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June 4-7, 1979

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PROCEEDINGS

BONCLARKEN, FLAT ROCK, NORTH CAROLINA

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 1979—7:30 P.M.

The 175th meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church began on Monday, June 4, 1979, with the opening worship service at 7:30 P.M.

Following the Prelude and the Call to Worship, Retiring Moderator C. B. Todd constituted the meeting with prayer. A song "Universal Praise," *Bible Song* No. 209, was sung and the Prayer of Confession was offered by the Retiring Vice-Moderator, A. M. Allan.

Mr. Todd introduced to the Synod Dr. David Rodriguez, Moderator of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico, and Dr. S. Saldana, the official delegate of the Mexican Synod. The special music for the Worship Service was provided by Mr. Meredith L. Cavin, who sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Mr. Allan read from God's Word, Philippians 3:7-14, and delivered the evening message, using verse 10 as the central theme. Following the conclusion of the sermon, the Memorial Service of the General Synod was presented by Mr. Todd, who noted the loss of teaching elders V. F. Latham, J. P. Pressly, A. M Rogers, and F. L. Shannon during the past year. The names of the ruling elders lost to death were read to the Synod and Mr. Todd spoke words concerning the rewards of faithful service. Short biographical sketches of the four teaching elders were presented and Synod rose to a moment of silent prayer which was concluded by Mr. Todd.

Mr. C. E. Edwards began the Communion Service, with Synod singing *Bible Song* No. 243 as a song of consecration and dedication. Mr. Edwards then presented a Communion Meditation. Mr. J. A. Derrick gave the Words of Institution and Mr. Edwards led the Prayer of Consecration. Mr. Edwards and Mr. Derrick administered the Sacrament. The service was concluded with the singing of *Bible Song* No. 106 and the benediction by Mr. Edwards.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1979—9:00 A.M.

The opening worship service was led by Mr. C. H. Carlisle. Synod began by the singing of *Bible Song* No. 108, "Salvation's Joy," and *Bible Song* No. 65, "Penitence and Pardon." The Synod stood for the reading of Scripture, followed by the devotional centered on the need for God's forgiveness. The General Synod knelt for a fifteen minute session of confessional prayer.

Mr. Harold S. Mace, Director of Bonclarken, welcomed the General Synod to Bonclarken.

The Principal Clerk declared the roll to be constituted and a quorum to be present, and moved that the items of unfinished busi-

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ness be postponed to that portion of the meeting when they naturally occur. The motion carried. (NOTE: See Appendix for Official Roll.)

The Retiring Moderator, C. B. Todd, presented his report to the General Synod.

Mr. A. M. Allan, Retiring Vice-Moderator, escorted the Moderator-Elect to the lectern, where, following the transfer of the Moderator's shield, Mr. C. T. McCants made appropriate remarks.

A motion carried that the Report of the Moderator be received as information and printed in the *Minutes of Synod.*

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR

It has been a great honor to represent you as Moderator during the past year. I am grateful for the opportunities afforded me to visit in each Presbytery, to consult with many ministers and laity, to see many churches that had been only a name to me, and to learn of the loyalty of Associate Reformed Presbyterians throughout Synod.

I traveled about 12,000 miles in order to participate in the following events:

Anniversary Greetings: Pottsville, Arkansas (125th); Prosperity, Tennessee (150th); Prosperity, North Carolina (190th); Coddle Creek, North Carolina (225th); York, S. C. (125th).

Church Dedications: Shiloh, South Carolina; Lancaster, South Carolina; Prosperity, North Carolina.

Installation Services: Reverend Robert M. Wallace, Jr. and Reverend John Hoeprich.

Presbytery Meetings: Catawba, Florida, First, Mississippi Valley, and Second.

Report of Synod and Message: Linden, North Carolina; St. Andrew, North Carolina; Crowders Creek, North Carolina; New Albany, Mississippi; Providence, St. Charles, Missouri; Parkway Place, Arkansas; Edgemont, Virginia; Lauderdale, Virginia; Back Creek, North Carolina.

Miscellaneous Meetings: Pisgah, N. C.; Women of the Church, Boyce Memorial, N. C.; Mississippi Valley Presbytery Men's Meeting, Memphis, Tenn.; formal opening of Erskine College; Erskine Board of Counselors; chapel program at Reformed Theological Seminary; Women's Synodical, Doraville, Ga.; First Presbytery Christian Education Workshop, Charlotte, N. C.; Laymen's Day at Bonclarken; Reconciliation Meeting, Due West, S. C.; Evangelism Training at Bonclarken; Pan Presbyterian Meeting, Atlanta, Ga.: four Executive Board Meetings; Communion Service for Congressmen, National Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C.

Visits with Ministers: Midlane Park, Ky.; Southwest, Arkansas; Johnson's Creek, Virginia; Fairlea, W. Va.; and Old Providence, Va.

The assistance of many people has made my job easier. Grateful appreciation is expressed to Vice Moderator Arthur M. Allan for writing three articles for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian, preaching Synod's opening sermon, and serving on the Emphases Committee for 1979; to Mr. Ed Hogan and his staff for their continued support; to the Clerks of Synod; to Reverend C. R. Beard for serving as Secretary for the Executive Board; to Mr. W. M. Kennedy

for his tireless efforts in handling Synod's finances; to the members of the Executive Board and all the other Boards and Committees who contributed to the ongoing of the work of Synod during this year.

The Lord has blessed Synod with many loyal and dedicated members. While we may enjoy our smallness as a denomination because it is possible to know personally many of our members, there is a need for growth. There are many cities throughout the seven Presbyteries that should have an ARP church; and the 100 to 400-mile gaps between ARP churches should be filled. Hopefully, this can be accomplished by continued emphasis on evangelism and a steady increase in the planting of new mission churches.

Since our denomination has only 28,000 members, we ARPs need to work together. Differences in our beliefs weaken the effectiveness of our work and witness. The Reconciliation Meeting held in February made a start toward ironing out our differences. More meetings of this type (where frank discussions are held and where prayer abounds) should help our denomination. The question has been asked, "How can ARPs have unity?" I am convinced that the only real unity that will be blessed by the Lord will occur when we obey God's commands and honor His Name and His Word. To the extent that we please the Lord and do His will, our denomination will be blessed.

Could it be that ARPs need to catch a vision of what the Lord has planned for the Associate Reformed Presbyterians in the matter of spiritual growth as well as numerical growth? Also, do we not need to renew our enthusiasm for the work of God's Kingdom?

As we consider the matters before this General Synod, let us be much in prayer that God's will may be done and may we continue in our efforts to KNOW CHRIST AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN.

Charles B. Todd

The Vice-Moderator-Elect, Mr. M. S. Bender, was escorted to the lectern by his Pastor, Mr. R. E. Beckham. The Synod confirmed Mr. Bender as Vice-Moderator. After appropriate remarks, Mr. Bender presented the program and it was adopted.

Mr. McCants made his appointments to the various Moderator's Committees. The Synod approved the appointments by vote.

Following the Call for Reports for Reference, the Reading Clerk read to the General Synod the Memorials from the Presbyteries, prior to their submission to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials and Excuses.

The Moderator referred recommendation No. 5 of the Report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations to the Moderator's Committee on the Executive Board.

The Moderator proposed that the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs serve as a committee to review the complaints and appeals submitted to the Synod in order to make recommendations as to whether the Synod shall hear the complaint, appeals, and request for review. The Synod would then vote as to whether or not to hear the complaint, appeals, and request for review. There was no objection to this process voiced.

The Moderator introduced special guests, new ministers, and seminary students. The special guests and new ministers are as follows:

SPECIAL GUESTS: Dr. Marc C. Weersing (Presbyterian Church United States), Dr. Robert F. Stevenson (UPUSA), Dr. David Carson (RPCNA), Dr. John H. Stek (CRC and RES), Reverend Robert Prosser (NARCAC, WARC), Reverend Gordon K. Reed (PCA), Reverend Thomas S. Champness (OPC), Reverend Al Lutz (RPCES), Dr. John Bratt (CRC), Dr. S. David Chambers (Presbyterian Council on Military Chaplains and Military Personnel), Dr. Art Borden (ABS), Reverend Phillip Missick (Stated Supply of Hopewell, Tenn.), Reverend Robert Grigg (Stated Supply at Chalmers Memorial), Dr. James Wesberry (LDA), Mrs. Beth McCalla (President, WSU), Dr. David Rodriguez (Moderator of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico), and Dr. Salatiel Saldana (Fraternal Delegate, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico.) NEW MINISTERS: Joe R. Blevins, Charles V. Carroll, James A. Coad, III, John A. Coad, L. Calvin Draffin, Gary Fravel, John J. Hoeprich, Billy S. Howell, Jr., Robert Ingram, and Joseph B. Lennon. (Not all special guests and new ministers were present.)

Dr. David Rodriguez, Moderator of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico, was presented to the Synod and brought words of information and greetings to the General Synod. A special invitation was extended to the members of the General Synod to attend the December Fiesta, celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico.

The privileges of the floor were granted to those who had been introduced and to Board and Committee Chairmen as their reports are presented.

The new ministers of our denomination were then specifically introduced and came forward to be presented to the Synod. Students of Theology present were introduced. (The names of the students of Theology, Licentiates, and Candidates are listed in the Directory.)

Mr. Charles H. Carlisle presented the 1980 Budget of the General Synod on behalf of the Board of Stewardship, which was adopted as presented.

BUDGET FOR 1980
INCOME ESTIMATE

Direct Synod Income—UNRESTRICTED		
Voluntary Commitment Goal		$ 615,000
Unrestricted Interest Income and Misc. Gifts		35,000
Gift from A.R.P. Foundation		1,189
Lake Wales Gift		10,000
		$ 661,189
Income From Other Synod Sources—RESTRICTED		
Income from Publications		
Adult Quarterly	$ 16,330	
Plan Book	600	
Prayer Calendar	1,400	
The A.R.P.	33,250	
		$ 51,580
Conference Registration		
Christian Education	$ 2,100	
Worship Committee	4,500	
		6,600
Woman's Synodical Union		
Bonclarken	$ 13,000	
Christian Education	5,000	
Church Extension	30,000	
Erskine	20,865	
World Witness	71,000	
		139,865
Special Offerings		
Christmas Benevolent Fund	$ 30,000	
Bonclarken	12,000	
Church Extension	22,860	
Erskine	20,000	
World Witness	25,000	
American Bible Society	4,828	
		114,688
Restricted Interest		
Church Extension	$ 3,000	
World Witness	5,000	
		8,000
Direct Support From Churches		
Church Extension	$ 1,140	
World Witness	218,260	
		219,400
Other		
Christian Education	$ 475	
Church Extension	800	
The A.R.P.	500	
World Witness	106,000	
		107,775
Total From Other Sources		$ 647,908
TOTAL SYNOD INCOME ESTIMATE		$ 1,309,097

AGENCY	1979 Budget Alloc. From Unrestricted Funds	% of Alloc.	1980 Budget Request From Unrestricted Funds	1980 Rec. Amt. From Unrestricted Funds	1980 % Of Alloc.	Change In % 1979-80	Amt. From Other Sources For 1979	Total Budget For 1980	% Of 1980 Total Budget	% Of 1979 Total Budget
Boards										
Ann. & Rel.										
Board	$ 1,000	.15	$ 1,200	$ 850	.13	−.02	–0–	850	.06	.08
Self-Insurance	10,000	1.54	5,000	–0–	—	−1.54	–0–	–0–	—	.81
Christmas Benev.	–0–	—	–0–	–0–	—	—	$ 30,000	$ 30,000	2.29	2.64
ARP Foundation	–0–	—	1,000	1,000	.15	+.15	–0–	1,000	.08	—
Bonclarken										
Supplement	41,854	6.46	68,000	42,900	6.49	+.03	25,000	67,900	5.19	5.41
Camp	1,000	.15	1,500	1,000	.15	NC	–0–	1,000	.08	.08
Christian Education										
General Operating	47,187	7.28	50,384	47,820	7.23	−.05	7.575	55,395	4.23	4.32
Adult Quarterly	–0–	—	—	–0–	—	—	16,330	16,330	1.25	1.34
Church Extension	127,647	19.70	217,200	135,863	20.55	+.85	57,800	193,663	14.79	15.36
Erskine										
Supplement	102,083	15.75	118,820	104,635	15.83	+.08	40,865	145,500	11.11	11.49
Synod Scholarship	16,000	2.47	16,000	16,000	2.42	−.05	–0–	16,000	1.22	1.29
Student Union	100	.02	100	100	.02	—	–0–	100	.01	.01
Executive Board										
Board	1,500	.23	1,500	1,250	.19	−.04	–0–	1,250	.10	.12
Emphasis Co.	500	.08	500	500	.08	—	–0–	500	.03	.04
Synod Meeting	–0–	—	800	–0–	—	—	–0–	–0–	—	—
Officers										
Moderator	2,000		2,000	2,000				2,000		
Principal Clerk	1,600		1,750	1,750				1,750		
Reading Clerk	600	.66	650	650	.68	+.01	–0–	650	.34	.35
Bill Clerk	100		100	100				100		

Boards										
Treasurer										
Salary	6,000		6,420	6,420				6,420		
Emp. Tax	368		394	394				394		
Travel	693	1.29	750	750	1.35	+.06	–0–	750	.68	.68
Expenses	960		960	960				960		
Insurance	349		400	400				400		
Minutes of Synod	6,160	.95	7,500	6.500	.98	+.03	–0–	6,500	.50	.50
ARP Center	70,718	—	74,975	73,975	11.19	+.28	–0–	73,975	5.65	5.72
Publications										
Board	$ 1,000	.15	$ 1,500	$ 1,250	.19	+.04	–0–	1,250	.10	.08
Plan Book	1,050	.16	1,160	1,160	.18	+.02	600	1,760	.13	.13
Prayer Calendar	–0–	—	–0–	–0–	—	—	1,400	1,400	.11	.11
The ARP	18,733	2.89	21,711	17,961	2.72	–.17	33,750	51,711	3.95	4.00
Stewardship										
Board	3,000		2,500	2,500				2,500		
Promotion	2,000	1.16	1,000	1,000	.91	–.26	–0–	1,000	.46	.61
Audit	2,500		2,500	2,500				2,500		
Contingency	5,000	.77	5,000	5,000	.76	–.01	–0–	5,000	.38	.40
World Witness	157,347	24.28	233,730	160,906	24.34	+.06	425,260	586,166	44.78	42.20
Ecclesiastical Comm.	1,500	.23	1,500	500	.08	–.15	–0–	500	.03	.12
Committees	–0–	2.72	–0–	–0–	2.84	+.12	–0–	–0–	2.18	2.20
Historical Conc.	450									
Foundation	–0–	—	1,000	500	—	—	–0–	500	—	—
Committee	–0–	—	150	150	—	—	–0–	150	—	—
Inter-Church Rel.	3,617	—	3,770	3,770	—	—	–0–	3,770	—	—
Lay Ministry										
Committee	993	—	1,000	800	—	—	–0–	800	—	—
Adult Conf.	2,000	—	2,400	2,000	—	—	–0–	2,000	—	—
Director	2,200	—	2,200	2,200	—	—	–0–	2,200	—	—

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Minister & His Work										
Committee	788	—	700	700	—	—	–0–	700	—	—
Tax Guides	100	—	125	125	—	—	–0–	125	—	—
Pres. Council	2,000	—	2,000	2,000	—	—	–0–	2,000	—	—
Nominations	682	—	1,000	1,000	—	—	–0–	1,000	—	—
Theol. & Soc. Con. ..	750	—	900	750	—	—	–0–	750	—	—
Worship Comm.	3,471	—	5,000	3,500	—	—	4,500	8,000	.—	—
Bicentennial Ann.	300	—	600	500	—	—	–0–	500	—	—
Priorities	–0–	—	1,000	1,000	—	—	–0–	1,000	—	—
A.B. Society	–0–	—	–0–	–0–	—	—	4,828	4,828	—	—
Presbytery Rec.	50	—	–0–	–0–	—	—	–0–	–0–	—	—
Computer Service	–0–	—	–0–	3,060	.54	+.54	–0–	3,600	.27	—
	$ 647,950	100%	$ 870,349	$ 661,189	100%		$ 647,908	$1,309,097	100%	100%

Mr. Carlisle recognized by presentation of Certificates of Appreciation churches reaching the 20% Voluntary Commitment figure or a raise of three percentage points over the past year. Those churches pledging 20% for 1979 were then identified.

Dr. James Wesberry of the Lord's Day Alliance and Reverend Arthur C. Borden from the American Bible Society were given the privilege of the floor to speak, with Mr. Wesberry speaking first. Mr. Borden submitted a report from the American Bible Society. A motion carried that the report of the American Bible Society be received as information and be allowed to be printed in the Appendix of the *Minutes of the General Synod,* upon decision of the Executive Board.

The Principal Clerk announced the result of the Overture Vote on Amendment No. 1 to the *Rules of Order* as follows:

Presbytery	Number Voting	Number For	Number Against	Not Voting
Catawba	53	53		
First	50	50		
Florida	19	19		
Miss. Valley	29	28		1
Second	53	41	8	4
Tenn.-Alabama	16	7	9	
Virginia	16	13	1	2
TOTALS	236	211	18	7

A motion to recess carried at 11:19 A.M. and, following announcements, Synod was dismissed with the benediction by Mr. T. D. Grant.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1979—7:00 P.M.

Synod began its evening session with a traditional "Singing of the Psalms" led by Mr. J. C. Smith.

The Moderator made announcements and introduced his mother and his sister and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. William Evans.

The first presentation of the evening was that of Church Extension, featuring a presentation by Mr. R. C. Grier, Chairman of the Board, who used special slides to illustrate the status of the work of Church Extension.

The Board of Christian Education made the second of the evening's presentations, with the Chairman of the Board of Christian Education, Mr. G. H. Smith, presiding. Mr. Smith introduced the new Director of Christian Education, Mr. J. R. Wolff, who was escorted to the lectern by the incoming Chairman of the Board, Mr. D. L. Pearson. Mr. Wolff's family was introduced and Mr. Wolff addressed the Synod. The Prayer of Commission was offered by the Moderator.

Mrs. Harry McCalla, President of the Woman's Synodical Union, gave the Report of the Woman's Synodical Union. A motion carried to receive the report as information and print it in the Appendix of the *Minutes of Synod.*

The Moderator gave recognition to the Past Moderators and Mr. P. L. Grier and Mr. R. C. Grier unveiled the permanent plaque, which will be on display at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center in Greenville, South Carolina, containing the names of all Past Moderators.

Special inscribed Bibles were presented to living past moderators and to widows in memory of deceased past moderators. Those present and receiving Bibles were:

> **PRESENTED TO WIDOWS IN MEMORY OF:** Reverend James P. Pressly (received by daughter Mrs. Isabel P. Hunt and son Dr. James B. Pressly); Reverend J. W. Carson; Reverend C. B. Betts (received by Reverend Charles Y. Todd, Pastor of Mrs. C. B. Betts); Reverend David T. Lauderdale (received by son Reverend W. C. Lauderdale); Reverend R. A. Lummus (received by daughter Eleanor L. Miller); Reverend M. R. Plaxco (received by Reverend James Boyce, nephew); Reverend R. C. Grier (received by daughter-in-law, Mrs. R. C. Grier, Jr.); Reverend C. O. Williams (received by Reverend James Ragsdale, brother of Mrs. C. O. Williams); Reverend B. L. Hamilton; Reverend M. W. Griffith; Reverend A. M. Rogers. **PRESENTED TO LIVING PAST MODERATORS:** Elder John G. Barron (received by daughter Mary B. Galloway); Reverend P. L. Grier; Reverend C. E. Edwards; Reverend M. B. Grier (received by Miss Ann Marie Bell, representative of Virginia Presbytery); Reverend R. T. Nelson (received by Reverend David Rockness, representative of Florida Presbytery); Elder W. H. Stuart (received by Elder C. A. Boswell, family member); Reverend E. Gettys (to be presented personally by Moderator Clyde T. McCants); Elder C. R. Younts; Reverend R. J. Marshburn; Elder H. H. Long; Reverend L. M. Allison; Reverend W. C. Lauderdale; Elder W. A. Deaton; Reverend H. E. Pressly; Reverend R. E. Beckham; Elder C. H. Carlisle; Reverend K. C. Seawright; Elder T. S. Watt; Reverend R. T. Ruble; Elder G. G. Parkinson; Reverend G. R. Oates; and Elder C. B. Todd.

The presentation of the Committee on the Minister and His Work was chaired by committee chairman W. C. Lauderdale and featured an address by Dr. David Chambers, Director of the Presbyterian Council on Chaplains and Military Personnel. Chaplains Doug Jones and Charles Echols shared the platform.

Following a short break, World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, presented the historical drama "How Great Thou Art," a play enacted by members of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico. Those participating in the drama, written by Mrs. Emma R. Echols and directed by Reverend Boyce Wilson, were José Manuel López G., Reyes del Angel, Rubén Aguirre Mar, Alfonso Hernández Romo, Amado Hugo del Angel, Pablo Morales Rodríquez, David Aguirre Mar, María Magdalena Lara Calderón, Laura Nélido Aldana V., Lilian Mezquida Alonso, and Josefina Mares Vergara.

Synod adjourned for the evening with the closing prayer by Dr. J. Calvin Reid.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1979—9:00 A.M.

The morning session began with the morning devotional, led by Vice-Moderator M. S. Bender, on the general theme of seeking God's will. Synod again participated in a session of shared prayer for God's presence with us.

The Minutes of the preceeding sessions of the 175th General Synod were presented, corrected, and adopted.

The floor was opened for nominations for Moderator with Mr. G. R. Oates recognized first. Mr. Oates requested that Mr. C. H. Carlisle be recognized to make a speech to the Synod. Synod voted to grant Mr. Carlisle the floor. Mr. Carlisle noted that he could not nominate, as he was not a delegate and, following his address, turned the floor back to Mr. Oates, who placed in nomination the name of Mr. E. R. Young. The nomination was seconded by Mr. W. W. Orr and Mr. Jim Coad, Jr.

Mr. R. T. Ruble made the nominating address and placed in nomination the name of Mr. J. H. Patrick. The nomination was seconded by Mr. T. S. Watt and Mr. H. S. Mace.

Mr. Young and Mr. Patrick addressed the Synod.

An order of the Day was challenged by a motion "that by agreement of Dr. C. E. Edwards, Chairman of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs, Reverend C. T. Fincher, appellant, Mr. Orean Baston, appellant, and Reverend J. C. Barker, representing Catawba Presbytery, the Order of the Day at 1:45 P. M. on this date be the Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs acting as a Moderator's Committee." The motion carried.

The report of the Special Committee on Bicentennial Anniversary was presented and adopted:

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

This report is in three sections: Section I is relative to the "Set of 5 Bicentennial Publicatons"; Section II has to do with the "Time, Place, Setting, etc. for the 1982 'Celebration Synod' "; Section III has to do with recommendations that have to do with summarizing our current status of operation.

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The Five Volumes of the "Set of Five"

1. Volume One, "History of the A.R.P. Church" (1782-1882) by Lathan.

2. Volume Two, "Centennial History of A.R.P. Church," 1903.

NOTE: We are fortunate to have these two different types of history books about the first century of our history. Reprints of these two books are to be released in 1979. The Washburn Press of Charlotte, NC, is under contract to produce 2,000 copies of each. As of this date, production is on schedule. This committee, working with the Executive Board and the Board of Stewardship secured the contract for $24,600. Dr. Charles H. Carlisle, Chairman of Stewardship, signed the contract.

3. Volume Three, "History of the A.R.P. Church 1882-1982." This important book is being prepared by the heads of the history departments of Erskine College and Erskine Seminary: Lowry Ware, Chairman; Ray A. King, and Jim Gettys. This book will also contain the index of volume one (Lathan), as well as being completely indexed itself. Some of the above mentioned editors are taking "Sabbatical Year" time to do their work. It is scheduled to be ready in late 1981.

4. Volume Four, "OUR NEW SONG," is being composed by Alec Wyton, internationally renowned composer of sacred music, music in the vein of the Psalms of Zion. Early in 1979 Dr. Wyton visited several sections of our denomination, meeting with choirs, church leaders, and seeing institutions and churches, etc., to get the "Special Flavor Inspiration" for this composition.

NOTE: Bear in mind that this committee, encouraged by the generosity of those with special interests in music, has assumed the responsibility of raising the funds needed. Most donors to this project wish to remain anonymous as of now. Dr. Joe Patrick of Greenwood, of our committee, heads up this part. Song to be ready in time for the 1982 celebration.

5. Volume Five, "Bicentennial Supplement." This volume will contain sermons, addresses, etc. delivered at the '82 Celebration. It will have statements of purpose for being, its part in our history, and its plan in the future life of the Kingdom, from Boards, Institutions, etc. of our church. This volume will complement the 1982 Minutes of Synod and will be ready when those minutes are printed.

NOTE: Plans are to have an outline of the A.R.P. seal embossed in gold on the backs of five books of this set. The hard backs are to be of a color that is significant/prominent in the seal, plus a jacket to hold all five.

NOTE: Committee on Promotion and Distribution—Paul Sherrill, Chairman, William A. Deaton, Logan V. Pratt, and W. M. Kennedy. The set of five is being offered at $50.00, regular price. We are encouraged by the response.

II

Time, Place, Setting for the 1982 'Celebration of Synod'

NOTE: Anticipated participation (a) 400 ministers, elders, etc. (b) 120 choir and supportive musicians, (c) 40 representatives of sister denominations, (d) 15 of the press (e) 250 general public for popular meetings.

Of all the good possibilities that were considered, our two main establishments (Bonclarken and Erskine) came to the fore. Repeatedly over the past 30 years our assembly grounds have been the meeting place of Synod—26 of the 30. We are, therefore, well aware of the fine hospitality that has been extended, and the facilities that are expanding. So we will concentrate on Erskine.

PLACE AND SETTING: Consideration is given to the significance of a place in the history of our church. Erskine Seminary organized in 1837, Erskine College in 1839. Nearby Erskine are churches of the late seventeen hundreds—Cedar Springs, Long Cane, Due West, etc., plus Greenville, Greenwood, Anderson, etc. Adequacy of Facilities: (a) dormitories at Erskine at a minimum cost per room, dining facilities; (b) two large auditoriums, the A.R.P. church and Lesesne Auditorium; (c) classrooms and lecture halls for committee meetings; (d) plus the possible use of the new Physical Activities Center, seating 2,500 for popular meetings, should any of our meetings require that much seating.

TIME: June 14-17, 1982, the second full week of June instead of the first full week. Why? (a) Many of our choir leaders and singers are in public school systems as teachers and staff. They want to participate in the bicentennial programs. Most schools complete their year by the first week of June. (b) Then too, many of the parents who are choir members with children in school will be free to help. (c) If Erskine or Bonclarken is the place, the same facts would obtain. Erskine prefers the second week in light of proposed summer school schedules. (d) Another special reason is that we plan for the Bicentennial Choir and supportive musicians to have a concentrated, consecrated weekend of intensive preparation for the 1982 Synod at Erskine or Bonclarken (Friday, Saturday and Sunday), June 11-13, 1982.

III

Recommendations

1. That all of the actions of this committee, the Board of Stewardship, and the Executive Board, relative to the "Bicentennial Set of Five" books be formally sustained by Synod.

2. That Dr. Lowry Ware, chairman of the editors, be allowed to speak to this Synod in behalf of the work of this committee.

3. That the A.R.P. Center, in consultation with the Board of Stewardship and the Promotion Committee, be in charge of distribution and storage of these books.

4. That Erskine College and Erskine Seminary host the Bicentennial Celebration Synod.

5. That the second week of June (June 14-17, 1982) be the time for the Celebration Synod.

6. That Synod request churches, presbyteries and Synod agencies to continue to provide means and encouragement to their Bicentennial Committees. The aid of all is greatly needed. EXAMPLE: The help of the Worship Committee, through its "Music Conference" is vital to the PRAISE part of the celebration.

7. That $600.00 be appropriated for this committee's work in 1980. (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

PAUL SHERRILL, Chairman

The report of the Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study was presented and adopted:

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CONGREGATIONAL SELF-STUDY

The Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study recommends that:

1. The Statistical Report Form be altered to add lines for reporting "Baptisms," "Family Units," and "Family Altars."
2. The Congregational Report Form be altered to add lines for the church name.
3. The Presbyteries of the General Synod consider requesting their Clerks and/or Committees on Congregations to conduct workshops for their churches on these forms.
4. This committee be allowed to conduct the study of the forms requested by the Executive Board for 1979-80.

Respectfully submitted,
Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study

The report of the Special Committee on Priorities was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PRIORITIES

I

In line with the directive of the General Synod of 1978 that the mission of this committee be "based on Christian principles," and being mindful of the fact that "except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it," (Psalm 127:1) we cite admonitions in the Scriptures which refer to priorities in Christian service:

Genesis 1:1
"In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth."

Matthew 6:33
"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

Mark 10:31
"But many that are first shall be last; and the last first."

Matthew 22:36-40
"Master, which is the great commandment in the law? Jesus said unto him, 'Thou shall love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Matthew 28:19-20
"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."

Acts 1:8
"But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

We cite also, as being directly applicable, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Form of Government, Chapter I (C) 1, 2, 3, 4:

> "The mission of the Church is a mission of witness and ministry. Christ called the people of the Church 'witnesses'. Paul saw God as giving gifts to equip the Church's people for the work of ministry."
> "All that the Church says and does is to be a witness to Jesus Christ, God's living Word, as He is spoken of in the Holy Scriptures, God's written Word. God has sent His Church into the world that the Church will present Jesus Christ through preaching, witnessing, teaching, sacrament, worship and both individual and corporate Christian living and action. All of the Church's people in every phase of their living are to be God's ministers to the world by being servants of His Son, the King of the Church."
> "God the Father has given the Holy Spirit through Christ to the world to reveal and to make the ministry of the Church effective."
> "The message of the Church's ministry is the message of reconciliation. Through the varieties of its ministry, the Church is to bear witness that '. . . God was in Christ reconciling the world to himself . . .' (2 Corinthians 5:19) to the end that all people might be reconciled both to God and to one another."

II

The activities of this committee have been undertaken on the authority of a directive of the General Synod of 1978, as contained in the Minutes of that Synod, pages 680 and 682:

> "It is in recognition of the fact that some agencies are proposing budgets far in excess of our denomination's willingness and ability to support, while others are holding the line or relatively so that this Board is requesting a study of priorities and long-range projections as guidelines to where Synod's funds should be expended and which work should receive major emphasis."

and Recommendation No. 7

> "That the Board of Stewardship challenge the General Synod by a request that a Special Committee be appointed by the Moderator to set priorities and goals based on Christian principles to show more clearly the direction in which the church is headed, and thereby give this Board a better basis for allocating resources that are available."

III

The Committee has examined reports from most of the boards and committees of the General Synod. While we have not been able to analyze adequately all data and plans therein, and consequently are requesting continuance of the committee for another year, we do now identify the following areas of general concern which would be a part of the committee study during the coming year:

1. The urgent necessity of a spirit of unity in the denomination.
2. Evangelization through both Church Extension and World Witness.
3. Evangelization through congregational renewal and spiritual programs in order to solve the all-too-common problem of lack of growth.
4. The lack of an adequate supply of ministers, directors of education, and other full-time local church professionals.
5. The lack of volunteers for missionary service, in adequate numbers, from within the denomination.
6. Inability to meet financial needs, and the related problem of churches which fail to meet the established voluntary commitment level.

7. Need for a clear identification of the place of each program and institution of the Church as it works toward its overall objectives.
8. Desirability of instituting an orientation program of the denomination for new ministers coming into this Church.
9. The feeling by some of our people that Bonclarken could, with changes in policy, provide far greater service in helping accomplish the aims of the denomination than is the case at the present time.
10. The relationship of Erskine College and Erskine Seminary to the denomination, and the need for greater identification between the denomination and the two educational institutions.
11. The need for a study of the effectiveness of existing committees and boards, even with possible consolidation of some of the present boards and/or committees, should it appear desirable.
12. The need to provide care for our senior citizens.
13. Lack of loyalty to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and its programs, as evidenced by financial support in some local churches for programs completely outside the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, to the neglect of denominational programs.

IV

We make the following specific recommendations as matters deserving immediate action:

1. That the second Sabbath of July, 1979, be set apart as a day of prayer for Christian unity throughout the denomination.
2. We urge the adoption of the Executive Board's report concerning Reconciliation, knowing no priorities can be properly established until the spirit of unity prevails.
3. That the General Synod empower the Board of Stewardship to employ a part-time person, working under their direction, to carry the total program of the General Synod, especially emphasizing the priorities of the General Synod, to each congregation; and that the General Synod and the Presbyteries empower this person or others appointed by the Board of Stewardship to present this emphasis to each congregation.
4. That the General Synod request all churches to support the "TOTAL" program of the General Synod by their voluntary commitments.
5. Except for appeals for authorized special offerings, that the Synod direct each Board, Committee and Institution to refrain from soliciting and to discourage separate, restricted gifts from any congregation which is not meeting or making active efforts to meet the level of voluntary commitments requested by the General Synod.
6. That this committee be continued another year.

Respectfully submitted,

GRADY R. OATES, Chairman

The Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs was presented, amended by the addition of two recommendations, and adopted:

REPORT OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS

The Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs met at the Doraville A. R. P. Church in Doraville, Georgia on January 26, 1979. All members were present except Vernon Latham who died in the fall of 1978. The meeting was opened with the reading of Jude by Dr. Charles Edwards and with prayer by Rev. Grant Johnson.

The Bonclarken charter was reviewed and found to be in conformity with the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** of the General Synod.

The matters referred to on pages 649 and 706 of the 1978 **Minutes of the General Synod** in regard to whether the actions taken by the Synods of 1966, 1969 and 1971 have been superceded by the adoption of our present Form of Government in 1972 and the Book of Discipline adopted in 1974 were considered.

We, the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs find as follows:

Whereas, the Westminster Confession of Faith, Article XXXI, Section IV states that "All synods or councils since the Apostles' times, whether general or particular, may err, and many have erred; therefore they are not to be made the rule of faith or practice, but to be used as an help in both."

We find that the resolutions of 1966, 1969, and 1971 of the General Synod refer and relate to final determinations of church courts and not to actions by boards or agencies of the General Synod.

We further find that our Form of Government does not preclude dissent. In view of this, the General Synod should not join with the Board of Christian Education in expressing its disapproval of the actions of those submitting the minority report referred to on page 649 of the minutes of 1978. (NOTE: See added recommendations.)

The question of whether General Synod should be incorporated was referred to John G. Lewis, Jr. and Richard Lewis.

The commission closed its meeting with prayer and will meet again at Bonclarken on June 5, 1979.

The Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs met at 2:00 P.M. in the Hotel at Bonclarken on June 5, 1979. The meeting was opened with prayer.

A motion was made and duly seconded and presented as follows:

> "If the Erskine College Charter is amended in accordance with the provision to provide for the appointment of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College by the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and that this provision cannot be changed without the approval of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, then the Charter of Erskine College will be brought into compliance with the changes requested by the General Synod."

The Commission recommends to the General Synod to amend at this meeting of the General Synod its "MANUAL OF AUTHORITIES AND DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS AND AGENCIES" as it applies to the Board of Trustees of Erskine College in the following respects:

(a) Add to the membership of the Board:

> **"Alumni representative": The President of the Erskine Alumni Association".**

(b) Strike "Ex-officio" and reword the "**Advisory section**" as follows:
"**Advisory**": The President and ALL Vice-Presidents, the Treasurer and the Secretary, all Deans, a delegate from the Seminary Faculty, two delegates from the College Faculty, the Chaplain, the President and Vice-President of the Student Government Association, the President of the Seminary Student Body, the President of the Woman's Synodical Union, and the Chairman of its Christian Higher Education Committee",
and change the section on "**Committees**" to read as follows:
(c) "**Committees**":
Executive Committee
Committee on Academic Affairs
Committee on Student Services
Committee on Business and Finance
Development Committee
Theological Seminary Committee
thereby bringing the **Manual of Authorities and Duties of the Officers and Agencies of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church** and the present By-Laws of Erskine College in harmony one with the other.

ADDED RECOMMENDATIONS

(a) That the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs prepare a study to illuminate us as to the proper channels for registering dissent.
(b) That the matter referred to in paragraph 7 of this report be held until such time as the study above be completed.

The Report of the Committee on Historical Concerns was presented and adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORICAL CONCERNS

Fathers and Brethren:

The Historical Concerns Committee wishes to emphasize two concerns: our relationship with the Historical Foundation at Montreat and our preparation for the upcoming bicentennial observance.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church has benefited by approximately a half century of assistance and cooperation from the Historical Foundation, and in that time its total contribution to the Foundation has been only about $5,000.00. The Foundation has also paid the expenses of the A.R.P. representative who meets with its governing board.

Next October, the Historical Foundation will sponsor a workshop on local church history which could prove to be very helpful for our churches as they plan local bicentennial projects. We would like to ask that there be representatives at the workshop from each presbytery and that these representatives visit local churches to share what they have learned.

For these reasons, the Committee believes that our present contribution of $300.00 annually to the Historical Foundation be increased to $1,000.00. We request only $100.00 for expense money for our Committee. We propose to send out a circular letter before the October workshop explaining how churches may borrow and deposit materials at the Foundation and the services that it provides. We would encourage local churches to deposit records at Montreat, but for those churches which have not done so, we would suggest that they consider photocopying the older records for their preservation.

(NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

Respectfully submitted,

LOWRY WARE, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on Lay Ministry was presented and adopted:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAY MINISTRY

The committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That the 1979 Assistant Adult Conference Director be the Reverend Guy Smith. That Reverend Smith be Director in 1980 and 1981.
2. That the budget for the Lay Ministry Committee be as follows: (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

Salary of Director of L. M.	$ 1,200
Expenses for Director	1,000
Conference Expenses	2,400
Committee Expenses	1,000
	$ 5,600

3. That John Bigham be reappointed Director of Lay Ministry for 1980.
4. That October 14, be Lay Ministry Day throughout Synod and that the topic be "Carry the Word."
5. That Reverend Don Elliott and Mr. John Bigham be granted fifteen minutes on Synod's program to promote the Adult Conference.

ROBERT FALLS, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on the Minister and His Work was presented. Mr. E. S. Irby noted that he would present three amendments needing discussion time and moved for adjournment.

The motion carried and the Synod was dismissed with the benediction by Mr. T. G. Morris.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1979—1:30 P.M.

The afternoon session was opened with a devotional by Mr. W. B. Sutherland, Jr., who spoke to the Synod on personal, private prayer.

Synod began its business session by adopting a motion to postpone the action on the Report of the Committee on the Minister and His Work until the conclusion of the Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs acting as a Moderator's Committee.

Mr. C. E. Edwards presented the report item by item:

Item No. 1 was presented, moved, and committed to the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs by substitute vote.

Item No. 2 was presented, moved, discussed, and the body of the complaint was read. Synod voted to consider the complaint. The Moderator instructed the court as to procedure. Various possible procedural ramifications were debated. Mr. Fincher gave a brief statement of his charges and the record of the Presbytery was heard.

The Moderator again instructed the Synod as to procedure and offered prayer for the Synod.

Mr. Fincher, as complainant, spoke first, asking the Clerk to read from the original charges made to the Presbytery. Mr. Fincher then spoke to his case. Following Mr. Fincher's presentation, Mr. Barker spoke for the Presbytery. Mr. Fincher then closed the argument. The vote was approached with further debate as to procedure. Mr. Fincher was allowed to strike the final paragraph of his complaint as it stated conclusions which were of an opinion nature as regarding the meaning of the vote.

The altered complaint was reread and, following debate, a motion carried that the complaint of Mr. Fincher concerning the action of Catawba Presbytery not be sustained.

The following Resolution was adopted:

> "*BE IT RESOLVED* that the action taken by the Synod regarding the complaint of Mr. C. T. Fincher does not in any way reflect a position by this Synod regarding inerrancy."

The motion to adjourn prevailed and Synod was dismissed, with the Benediction by Mr. B. E. DeWitt.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1979—7:00 P.M.

The evening session began with the singing of *Bible Song* No. 276, "The Penitant's Hope." Mr. W. M. Harris, Jr., served as devotional leader for the evening, using Prayer as his topic.

Synod entered into business session with the Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission acting as a Moderator's Committee, item No. 3, which was adopted.

Item No. 4 was altered by the withdrawal of the appeal of Mr. C. T. Fincher. The appeal of the Edwards Memorial Session was then read.

The record of the court which pertained to the matter was read. The defense of the Session was presented and the statement on behalf of the Presbytery was made by Mr. J. C. Barker. Mr. Orean Baston concluded the presentation on behalf of the Session.

The Order of the Day, the presentation of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, was begun with Mr. J. C. Smith presiding. Mr. Smith led in the singing of the 102nd Psalm and led in prayer. I Cor. 16:17 was read as the Scripture lesson. Those speaking were Dr. Marc C. Weersing, PCUS; Dr. Robert F. Stevenson, UPUSA; Dr. John H. Stek, CRC and RES; Rev. Al Lutz, RPCES; Rev. Thomas Champness, OPC; Dr. G. K. Reed, PCA (written greetings read); Rev. Robert Prosser, NARCAC, WARC; and Dr. David Carson, Observer from RPCNA.

The next Order of the Day, the election of the Moderator, was taken. Ballots were distributed and collected, and counted by Mr. Robert Sherer, Mr. C. B. Todd, and Mr. Mike Bender.

The floor was reopened for the matter of the appeal of the Edwards Memorial Session and a motion was made that the appeal be sustained as amended so that the appeal be handled item-by-item. The amendment failed and the appeal of the Session was sustained.

REPORT OF ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS ACTING AS A MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE

On reference from Synod the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs acting as Moderator's Committee make the following recommendations:

1. After reviewing the Amendment to the Manual of Procedure of First Presbytery, Article VII, B., 4., "Procedure for Securing a Pastor for a Local Congregation" the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs is of the opinion:
   (1) The said amendment of First Presbytery relating to the call of ministers is unconstitutional in that the amendment is an infringement upon the constitutional rights of each congregation of the First Presbytery, whenever applicable, to choose its own pastor.
   (2) Said amendment not pertinent because there is now pending for Synod's consideration a proposed uniform procedure for calling, transferring and installing ministers.

(NOTE: This item No. 1 committed to Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs.)

2. The complaint of Rev. C. T. Fincher against the decision taken by Catawba Presbytery at its called meeting Jan. 14, 1979 in reference to the Catawba Presbytery not censuring "Rev. King and Rev. Coffey" be referred to Synod for hearing.
3. That Synod decline to hear the complaint of Rev. Charles Wilson as to the matter of censure of Rev. Ruble and Rev. Morris of Second Presbytery.
4. This committee found the appeals of Fincher and Edwards Memorial are in order and should be heard by the General Synod and Synod should follow procedures in the Book of Discipline, Chapter X, paragraph 9, page 236 to wit: "After a higher court has decided that an appeal is in order and that it should be considered by the court, the following procedures are to be followed: (1) reading the appeal, with the reasons for it; (2) reading the record of the case, which appeal is being made; (3) hearing the parties, the appellant having the right of opening and closing the argument; (4) taking the vote, with members having the right to vote either to sustain, to sustain in part, or not to sustain the appeal."

A motion was made "That the case of the Edwards Memorial Session be closed." Discussion followed and the motion carried.

The following resolution was made and carried:

"Be it resolved that the General Synod of 1979 affirms that the *Scriptures* of the Old and New Testaments *are* the Word of God without error in *all* that it teaches."

The result of the election of the Moderator-Elect was announced and Mr. J. H. Patrick was escorted to the lectern by the Reading Clerk. Mr. Patrick spoke appropriate words to the Synod.

At the suggestion of a member of the court, the Synod stood and sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

The General Synod accepted the invitation of Bonclarken to host the 1980 General Synod.

A motion to adjourn carried and, following announcements, Mr. Dale Maddox offered the closing prayer and benediction.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1979—9:00 A.M.

The morning session began with the morning devotional led by Mr. G. F. Johnson. Synod again participated in a season of prayer. Ruben Aguirre, representing the Mexican fellowship, presented a memorial sash to the Moderator on behalf of the Mexican fellowship.

The Minutes of Wednesday's Sessions were read, corrected, and approved.

The Moderator-Elect was recognized to place in nomination the name of Mr. C. E. Linderman as Vice-Moderator. A motion carried that Mr. Linderman be accepted by acclamation.

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials and Excuses was presented item by item and all recommendations were adopted.

The following, as an amendment to the Report of the Moderator's Committee, was made and adopted: "In order to implement the intent of this memorial I move that Synod's Executive Board appoint a special committee to study ways in which Synod could minister to Senior Citizens and/or those who are responsible for such ministry." The report was then adopted as amended.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS AND EXCUSES

Our recommendations are as follows:

1. That the First Presbytery memorial concerning inactive members be adopted, and that
2. The Judiciary Committee of Synod recognize the need for a positive attempt to be made by the Session to notify those individuals whose names are removed from the church roll.
3. That Second Presbytery memorial "A" be adopted.
4. That both memorials concerning the official status of the Alliance of Loyal Laity (Second Presbytery memorial "B", and the First Presbytery memorial) be rejected.
5. That as to the First Presbytery memorial concerning Dr. Kenneth Morris:
   (a) Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 be adopted.
   (b) Paragraphs 4 and 7 not be adopted.
6. That the excuses submitted to the Clerks for either all or part of this meeting of Synod be granted.

FIRST PRESBYTERY (ADOPTED)

That the constitution be amended to allow the removal from the inactive church rolls those individuals who remain on the inactive rolls for a period of three years and that this memorial be referred to the Judiciary Committee of the General Synod.

SECOND PRESBYTERY (ADOPTED)

That the General Synod study the feasibility of establishing a Home for the Aged for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, taking into account the work already being done in this area by three Presbyteries of our denomination.

SECOND PRESBYTERY (NOT ADOPTED)

Because it is a Christian duty of the Church to encourage an ever-broader and ever-more effective witness and ministry by its lay members through available channels including existing voluntary organizations, and

Because Church government, our Form of Government declares, 'is not intended to serve an arbitrary or dictorial function' but 'to promote order within the Church so that the Church may best fulfill its divinely-appointed responsibilities . . . always in the spirit of Christian love,' and

Because such attention to a reconciling love is appropriate to the spirit stemming from the Committee on Reconciliation at its February 15-16 meeting; and

Because our Form of Government unfortunately omits mention of the role of any voluntary organization no matter how well established;

Be it resolved that the General Synod offer to extend official standing as recognized voluntary-organization groups to such groups as are now functioning in support of a stronger witness and service, to include the Women's Synodical Union, the Young People's Christian Union and the Alliance of Loyal Laity; and

Be it further affirmed that such voluntary groups as are given this recognition shall carry out functions consistent with the Westminster Confession under their own constitutions, their own elected leadership, meetings and communications systems; and

Provided further that members of such groups shall continue to be responsible to Church courts as individuals as has always been the case, rather than as organizations since such organizations are not in the ascending Session-Presbytery-General Synod line of official Church courts.

FIRST PRESBYTERY (NOT ADOPTED)

On February 15 and 16, 1979, forty people assembled in Due West, S. C. for the purpose of seeking a reconciliation within the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. Since that time there has been a great deal of enthusiasm and optimism concerning the effectiveness of this meeting. People on all levels of the denominational structure seem to be making a concentrated effort to cause reconciliation to become a reality.

However, we feel there is an organization that is a potential obstacle to the anticipated reconciliation. The organization to which we refer is the recently formed Alliance of Loyal Laity.

In making this statement, we are not disagreeing with the stated purpose of this group. We support the entire statement presented in the "We Stand For . . ." section of the organization's publication entitled "The Highroad for All." We also feel that the officers and members of this Organization are sincere in their efforts to work for the advancement of God's Kingdom.

However, even our most sincere efforts can sometimes bring detriment to the very cause we are seeking to support.

A growing number of laity and clergy within our denomination express a fear that, either wittingly or unwittingly, the Alliance of Loyal Laity is actually organizing laymen to push a specific viewpoint that is held by only a portion of the denomination's membership. A natural result of this type of reasoning can only lead to the formation of a second group, the establishment

of a second publication, and the attempt to sway the members of our denomination in a second direction. This will cause the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to become more rigidly divided than it has been in recent months.

To facilitate the reconciliatory efforts being carried out on all levels of our denominational structure and to prevent a sharper division from developing within our denomination, we memorialize First Presbytery to memorialize the General Synod to request the members of the Alliance of Loyal Laity to disband their organization and end all activities that have been associated with it.

FIRST PRESBYTERY

WHEREAS, Dr. Kenneth Fitzhugh Morris has served with distinction on the Erskine Theological Seminary faculty for sixteen years, and

WHEREAS, many ministers within and outside the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination have studied under him over those years and owe him a good part of their Biblical and theological training, and

WHEREAS, he has consistently proven himself to be an exceptional teacher, scholar, Presbyter and churchman, setting an outstanding example for our church, and

WHEREAS, upon his resignation from this teaching position it is evident that he did so under duress from some element of the church he has served so capably (cf. **Associate Reformed Presbyterian,** June 1979 issue, pg. 29); (NOT ADOPTED)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that First Presbytery memorialize the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, meeting June 4-7, 1979, to publicly thank Dr. Kenneth Fitzhugh Morris for his outstanding record and faithful service to the denomination as Professor of New Testament and Greek at Erskine Theological Seminary, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we give him best regards in his new position, hopefully within this denomination, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the General Synod go on record as deploring the actions of individuals and groups that created this atmosphere of pressure leading to Dr. Morris' resignation. (NOT ADOPTED)

Mr. J. M. Bell, Sr. noted that this year is only the second year in the past fifty years that Mr. Mark B. Grier has not been present.

Mr. J. C. Carson asked that Synod stand in recognition of Mr. K. F. Morris for his years of service. The request was granted.

Mr. J. H. Young offered a motion concerning the Alliance of Loyal Laity, which was ruled out of order.

A member of the court moved that the Moderator's Committee Report on Memorials and Excuses be reconsidered. The motion failed.

The Report of the Committee on Nominations was presented. A member of the court moved to substitute the name of Mrs. George Morrison for the name of Mrs. Sara Woodard on World Witness, The Board of Foreign Mission. Following procedural motions calling for voice vote and the qualifications of the two individuals, the substitute motion failed.

The Report of the Committee on Nominations was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee presents the following nominees for service on Boards and Committees and as Officers of the General Synod. The terms of service will begin July 1, 1979, and will expire as of June 30 of the year indicated. Those persons indicated by asterisk(*) have been appointed by Presbytery or from a name or names submitted by the Woman's Synodical Union. Those filling unexpired terms of less than two years may succeed themselves without a year elapsing.

Board of Annuities and Relief
1981 Martin E. Gilbert (To replace James Coad, Jr.)
1983 William L. Walker, W. Harris Blair, W. B. Sutherland, Jr.
Youth Representative (1981): Katie Armistead

Board of Directors of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.
1980 William A. Deaton, Donald W. Harper, W. Nale Falls
1981 Hugh C. Dale, R. Tom Nelson, Jr., Mrs. Francis McCullough
1982 Logan V. Pratt, G. J. Gerard, Gerald R. Milford
1983 James P. Ashburn, Wayne E. Stanchfield, Mrs. Margaret Alexander

Board of Bonclarken
1980 J. B. Hendrick (To replace Fred Archer)
1983 John Cerney, Terry Wallace, Mrs. F. M. Huffman

Board of Christian Education
1980 Robert F. Ingram * (Fla.—To replace Mrs. Carl Chaplin)
1982 William M. Harris, Jr.* (Va.—To replace Hedley Coffey)
1983 Gerald Hallman * (First), Spencer Anderson, G. R. Slater, E. L. Bland

Board of Church Extension
1980 Potter Liddon * (Fla.—To be replaced by Barney Alford 7-1-80)
1983 Barney Alford * (Fla.—Effective 7-1-80), R. S. Miles, Jr.* (Second), Robert Oates

Board of Dunlap
NOTE: Board is frozen until further action of Synod.

Board of Trustees of Erskine College
1985 Mrs. John L. Pressly* (WSU), Jim Tysinger, Olin B. Cannon, G. Webster Curry, Guy H. Smith

Board of Publications
1983 John S. Banks, Bobby E. DeWitt
Youth Representative (1981): Jeff Leaptrott

Board of Stewardship
1980 A. G. Westbrook * (Catawba), William A. Deaton * (First), Bob E. Murdock
1981 Walter Hartwig * (Florida), Clarence McLennon * (MV), John L. Carson
1982 Charles H. Carlisle * (Second), Charles F. Edgar * (TA), Walter Todd
1983 Dallas Hemp * (Va.), Miss Ruth Morrow, P. H. Starnes
Youth Representative (1981): Jay Gibson

World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions
1985 Jan Senneker, Mrs. Sara Woodard

Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs
1983 J. Palmer Steele, R. M. Robinson, P. Allen Larson

Committee on Historical Concerns
1983 James P. Sloan
Youth Representative (1980): Ronny Shepherd

Committee on Inter-Church Relations
1981 L. L. Richardson (To replace T. S. Watt)
1983 Mrs. Charles Pearson * (WSU), William F. Mitchell
Youth Representative (1981): Allyson Price

Committee on Lay Ministry
1980 R. M. Kennedy (To replace W. C. Myers), Henry P. Bigham (To replace Tom Earle)
1982 Roy Baker (To replace Allan Alexander)
1983 Mrs. Roy Beckham * (WSU), Bob Ramsey, Mrs. Richard Lewis

Committee on Minister and His Work
Youth Representative (1980): Kim English

Committee on Nominations
1981 James Bell * (Va.—To replace Vernon Latham)
1983 H. H. Long (Second), Mrs. R. M. Robinson * (WSU)
Youth Representative (1980): Marie Westbrook

Committee on Theological and Social Concerns
1982 Calvin W. Todd, William T. Sherer
1983 Mrs. W. W. Averyt * (WSU), Philip A. Tinkler
Advisory Member—Professor from ETS (1980): Randall T. Ruble
Youth Representative (1980): Paul Bell

Committee on Worship
1983 Mrs. John L. Parsons * (WSU), Mrs. Nancy English, James A. Hunt
Youth Representative (1980): Patrick Robinson

Officers of Synod
Bill Clerk (1983): W. Ed Kirkpatrick
Assistant Clerk (1983): James R. Fee

Trustees for A.R.P. Center Facility (Committee of Executive Board of Synod)
1980 William M. Kennedy
1981 Charles R. Younts
1982 W. Herman Lesslie

Special Committee on Bicentennial Anniversary
Paul Gettys (To replace Charles Y. Todd)

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That each local session have as an item of business for their December session meeting the consideration of persons they feel capable of serving on one of Synod Boards or Committees and that they submit that name to the Nominating Committee for consideration by January 1. Along with each name submit some background information, address, church, phone number, place the person may best serve, and his willingness to accept a nomination. We wish to commend those churches who sent in names to the Nominating Committee.

2. That all Presbyteries make their appointments by the Fall meeting and that the clerk forward their names to the Committee on Nominations by January 1.

3. That the names of nominees from the Woman's Synodical Union be submitted to Synod's Nominating Committee and not less than two names for

each vacancy be submitted. Synod's Nominating Committee will contact the women nominees for each position.

4. That no person be elected to serve on a Board or Committee under whose jurisdiction that person is serving. (e.g., Church Extension, World Witness, Erskine Board of Trustees, etc.). We encourage Presbyteries to follow this recommendation.

5. That these nominees submitted who have been contacted and willing to serve be elected.

Nominating Committee officers for 1979-1980 are Richard B. Leaptrott, Chairman; Dr. Paul Shannon, Vice Chairman; and James Bell, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,
ROY E. BECKHAM, Chairman

A resolution was proposed and adopted as follows:

"Be it resolved that the action of this Synod concerning the Edwards Memorial Session not be interpreted as a reflection on the work or integrity of Catawba Presbytery."

A letter of Pastoral Concern was presented by Mr. C. T. Fincher, who asked that it be entered into the record. Following discussion, the motion was tabled.

The Report of the Committee on the Minister and His Work was presented.

Recommendation No. 3 was amended to empower the Committee on the Minister and His Work to undertake a study of "the securing of and retention of ministers for the denomination."

The "Proposed Uniform Procedure for Calling, Transferring, and Installing Ministers," together with procedures used by the several presbyteries was committed to the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs for review and recommendations to the General Synod.

The Report, as amended, was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK

The Committee would like to call to the attention of the General Synod certain aspects of its work during the past year.

1. Files on Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers have been maintained at the Associate Reformed Presbytrian Center. Subject to certain limitations, these files are available for use by pulpit nominating committees and Presbyteries.

2. Income tax booklets have been provided for all Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers.

3. Our denominational association with the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel has been maintained. Current Associate Reformed Presbyterian representatives on the Council are: Bob E. Murdock, 1980; W. C. Lauderdale, 1981; Clyde T. McCants, 1982; C. Ronald Beard, Principal Clerk (ex-officio). The Reverend W. C. Lauderdale serves as Secretary of the Council. Dr. S. David Chambers, Director of the Council, will present the work of the Council to this meeting of the General Synod. Two ministers of our denomina-

tion have been called to active duty during the last year: Fred R. Archer to the U. S. Navy, Camp Pendleton, California, and Charles W. Echols, Jr., to the U. S. Air Force, McDill Air Force Base, Florida.

4. Revision of the "Proposed Uniform Procedure for Calling, Transferring, and Installing Ministers" has been continued, and a copy of that document is attached to this report.

Recommendations

1. That the attached 1978 report of the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel be received as information and printed in the Minutes of Synod. (See Appendix.)

2. That those ministers who have not yet submitted personal data forms be encouraged to do so as soon as possible.

3. That Synod's Committee on the Minister and His Work be empowered to undertake a study of the retention of ministers in the denomination. (See Preceeding.)

4. That the attached "Proposed Uniform Procedure for Calling, Transferring, and Installing Ministers" be recommended to the Presbyteries for inclusion in their appropriate manuals. (Reference. Minutes of Synod, 1974: "That a subcommittee of Synod's Committee on the Minister and His Work Committee, or his equivalent, from each presbytery prepare a statement of uniform procedure for the calling, installing, and transferring of a minister and that this statement be submitted to the presbyteries for their approval" (p. 642).) (NOT ADOPTED. See Preceeding.)

5. That the following budget request be approved:

Committee Expenses	$ 700.00
Tax Guides	125.00
Presbyterian Council	2,000.00
Total Request	$ 2,825.00

Respectfully submitted,
W. C. LAUDERDALE, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns was presented. The paper on "The Presbyterian Form of Church Government and the Bible" was received as information and approved for printing in the Appendix. The paper on "The Theological and Biblical Basis for Human Rights" was amended and as amended was approved for printing in the Appendix as information.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THEOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL CONCERNS

In compliance with the directives of the General Synod (Minutes of Synod, 1978, page 715) that the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns submit papers on "The Word of God in Relationship to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church Courts" and "The Issue of Universal Human Rights," the attached papers are submitted herewith.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM KUYKENDALL, Chairman

A motion carried "that Synod thank Dr. L. M. Allison and Reverend L. L. Richardson for their work on the papers in the Report of the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns."

The Report of the Committee on Worship was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WORSHIP

The Bonclarken Music Conference continues to be the single largest endeavor of the Worship Committee. The ninth annual music conference was held July 10-14, 1978, at Bonclarken with approximately two hundred fifty choir members, directors, and organists representing twenty-five A.R.P. Churches in attendance. The conference staff consisted of Mr. Gary Shive, Adult Choir Clinician; Mr. Ronald A. Nelson, Junior Choir Clinician; Mr. Allen Pote, Youth Choir Clinician; Ed Bradberry, Brenda McGowan, and Edie Blair, accompanists; Rev. Mike Woodard, Recreation Director; Susan Wardlaw, lifeguard; and Reta Phifer, Conference Director.

There were ninety-eight junior choir members in attendance at the 1978 conference, and this number has consistently increased each year. The first youth choir workshop was held in 1975, only on the spur of the moment, with thirty-five junior and senior high young people in attendance. In 1978, only three years later, a total of one hundred fifteen young people participated in the youth choir. Because of a keen interest on the part of choir directors and children this year we have added a primary choir for rising second and third graders. A good choir experience now provides for continued choir participation into the adult years.

The 1978 music conference was the best attended to date; but please note, only twenty-five (25) A.R.P. churches were represented. The members of the Worship Committee are sorry that more congregations are not taking advantage of this opportunity to sing under the direction of such fine directors. We urge you to encourage your choir members, young and old, to attend the music conference this very summer. Once they come, they will come again!

The 1979 Music Conference will be held July 9-13 with Jane Marshall, Robert H. Ellis, and Mabel Stewart Boyter directing the Adult, Youth, Junior and Primary Choirs. We are grateful to be able to secure such qualified and well-known clinicians as these.

Gary Shive of Concord, N. C., Tom Roberts of Atlanta, and Betty Ann Ramseth of Sacramento, CA have accepted our invitation to direct the respective choirs for the music conference July 14-18, 1980.

A collection of "Articles on Worship" written by ministers and lay persons in our denomination is being distributed to each congregation by the Worship Committee. It is hoped that these will be beneficial to the local session and particularly to the sessional worship committee.

The Worship Committee is currently working with Erskine Seminary on plans for a Worship Workshop to be held in the fall of 1979.

Current approved books of praise in the A.R.P. denomination include the following: THE PSALTER HYMNAL, BIBLE SONGS HYMNAL, THE PSALTER, BIBLE SONGS, SONGS FOR CHRISTIAN WORSHIP, YOUNG PEOPLE'S PRAISE, THE HYMNBOOK, TRINITY HYMNAL, and PSALTER HYMNAL of the Christian Reformed Church.

Recommendations

1. That congregations consider using the Hymn of the Month suggestions as published in the Plan Book and in the **Associate Reformed Presbyterian** as a means of learning new hymns and psalms.

2. That the 1980 Music Conference be held July 14-18 at Bonclarken with Gary Shive, Tom Roberts, and Betty Ann Ramseth directing the Adult, Youth, Junior and Primary Choirs.

3. That ministers and sessions encourage participation in the Music Conference and any area workshops, and that local churches consider paying the expenses of their choir directors and/or organists.

4. That the Committee on Worship co-sponsor a worship workshop with Erskine Seminary in 1980.

5. That the budget for 1980 be $9,500 with a $5,000 supplement from Synod. (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

Respectfully submitted,
BETTY HUNT, Chairman

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1980

Music Conference	
Adult Choir Director	$ 500
Youth Choir Director	500
Primary/Junior Choir Director	500
Accompanists	450
Recreation Director	100
Recreation Expenses	100
Craft Director	100
Craft Expenses	150
Life Guard	50
Board and Travel for Conference Staff	3,000
Music for Conference	2,000
Underwriting Recording	300
Publicity and Mailing	400
Worship Workshop	400
Prayer Calendar Honorarium	50
Committee	
Travel Expenses	700
Miscellaneous	200
TOTAL	$ 9,500
Supplement from Synod	$ 5,000

A motion to adjourn prevailed, with a benediction by Mr. R. A. King.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1979—1:30 P.M.

Synod began the afternoon service with the devotional led by Moderator C. T. McCants.

Following announcements, the Synod returned to the business of the Synod as the Report of the Moderator's Committee on Erskine was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ERSKINE

The committee met in the Chapel on Tuesday, June 5th. Two papers were received by the committee: The Erskine College Audited Financial Statement, June 30, 1978, and the Report of Erskine College to the 175th Meeting of the General Synod. Advisors present were: Rev. R. J. Robinson, Dr. M. S. Bell, Dr. J. A. Knight; Dr. R. T. Ruble, Mr. L. W. Logan and Mr. T. S. Watt. Mr. Mark Hubbard, president of the student body of Erskine College and Mr. Gilbert Rowell, President of the student body of Erskine Theological Seminary were also present.

The meeting was called to order with the roll call and opening prayer. Each advisor was given an opportunity to make statements concerning the different areas of their responsibility. The committee explored many questions with the advisors concerning the operation and future of the College and Seminary.

The committee takes note of the progress of the Greater Distinction for Erskine Campaign, and the work of the Task Force on Admissions. The committee also received information that the capacity of the Erskine College computer has been enlarged and the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center will be able to use the computer for the operation of Synod's business.

Recommendations of Committee

1. We recommend the adoption of the recommendations listed in the report of the Board of Erskine College.
2. We recommend the adoption of the recommendations of the Dean of Erskine Seminary.
3. We recommend that Synod express its appreciation to Dr. K. F. Morris for his sixteen (16) years of service to his Lord and Church as a professor at our Seminary. This expression to be that Synod stand showing its appreciation.

REPORT OF ERSKINE COLLEGE

We report our operation since our 1978 report to you. Senior management at this writing includes:

Chairman	E. I. Davis, Jr.
Vice Chairman	R. J. Robinson
Treasurer	J. R. Starr
Secretary	A. W. Alexander
Assistant Secretary	A. L. Love
President	M. S. Bell
Vice President and Dean of the College	J. A. Knight
Vice President and Dean of the Seminary	R. T. Ruble
Vice President for Business and Finance	C. H. Carlisle
Vice President for Development	L. W. Logan
Dean of Students	P. L. Watson
Chaplain	L. P. Kennerly

July 1 the following persons will succeed to the indicated offices; other incumbents will continue in office:

E. I. Davis, Jr.	Chairman
J. R. Wolff	Vice Chairman
J. R. Starr	Treasurer
A. W. Alexander	Secretary

A copy of the 1979 College catalog, Exhibit A; Theological Seminary catalog, Exhibit B; and the Auditor's Report, Exhibit C, are attached. (NOTE: These are not printed herein but are on file at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.)

The audit of Erskine College including the Seminary indicates that income for the year exceeded expenditures as follows:

College	$39,166
Seminary	10,505

Changes in fund balances since the prior audit and the audit of 1968 are indicated below:

	1978	1977	1968
Current Fund	$ 308,220	$ 276,742	$ 115,976
Student Loan Fund	920,404	870,551	303,936
Endowment Fund	4,205,530	3,961,883	1,392,827
Annuity Fund	40,437	37,686	11,310
Plant Fund	8,633,636	7,964,610	6,624,157

Major events and projects completed during the year have included:

—Appointment of The Rev. C. T. McCants to the Seminary faculty as Assistant Professor of Ministry
—Choraleer trip to Mexico for Centennial Celebration of the Synod of Mexico
—Air conditioning of Kennedy Dormitory
—Construction of The Ellenburg Picnic Pavilion
—The planting of 72 willow oaks and 10 American holly trees on the campus mall
—Registrar's records placed on computer
—Purchase of two new movie projectors for Lesesne Auditorium
—New porch roof for Carnegie Dormitory
—Construction of apartment in Robinson Dormitory for residence director
—Overhaul of air conditioning systems serving Lesesne Auditorium and Watkins Student Center
—Installation of smoke alarms in dormitories
—Securing of title to 48 acres granted to the Seminary by the Will of the late F. Y. Pressly
—Expansion of computer system
—Inauguration of Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellows Program
—Title III grant received to fund retention study
—NSF grant to fund special science training for high school students (third year)
—Formal organization of Parents Asosciation

Applications for academic merit scholarships continue at the record level established during the previous years.

	1979 (to date)	1978	1977
Applied	71	73	39
Offered	71	73	39
Accepted	49	49	29

A review of financial aid awarded students for the current year indicates the following distribution of grant, loan and work funds as well as the source of these funds:

Academic Scholarships (152)	$ 77,924
Erskine Grants (225)	97,987
Music Scholarships (19)	6,450
Valedictory Scholarships (16)	1,500
Faculty and Staff Scholarships (10)	12,910
Athletic Scholarships (73)	65,760

Missionaries and Ministers Grants (40)	11,976
Two Students in One Family (52)	2,250
Tuition Exchange Grants (1)	2,400
Name or Donor Designated Grants (99)	75,519
Name or Donor Designated Loans (13)	15,432
Erskine Loans (9)	6,000
Erskine Work Study (252)	72,586
Government Work Study	34,108
BEOG (41)	148,034
SEOG (61)	27,050
NDSL (143)	105,340
Student Life Assistants (18)	9,000
South Carolina Tuition Grants (317)	479,945
	$ 1,252,171

Sources		
Erskine Funds	$ 366,743	
South Carolina State Funds	479,945	
Federal Funds	314,532	
Other Sources	90,951	
	$ 1,252,171	

The College has enjoyed an encouraging response to the Living Endowment program at a time when major emphasis has been placed also on the campaign for capital gifts. A review of prior years indicates gifts to the Living Endowment as listed below:

	1979 (to date)	1978	1968
Unrestricted	$ 164,647	$ 146,688	$ 125,217
Restricted	75,532	53,893	16,991
	$ 240,179	$ 200,581	$ 142,208

The Greater Distinction for Erskine Capital Campaign has received $9,051,152 in gifts and pledges. Trustees are in the process of enlisting leadership for the second phase to secure $4 million in deferred gifts.

The College has received $1,753,140 in gifts and pledges to the Physical Education—Athletic Facility. Negotiations are underway to secure the services of an architect. Occupancy of this building is scheduled for September 1981.

The special Task Force on Admissions, appointed by the Board of Trustees and chaired by Mr. David W. Sides, has submitted the following recommendations:

1. "We recommend that steps be taken to keep the (Admissions) Office 'covered', even if it means hiring additional personnel."
2. "We recommend that a promotion program with a slogan similar to '600 by 60' be adopted to focus attention on recruitment in the 1980's."
3. "The Committee . . . examined the feasibility of extension classes and recommended that this area might be pursued only if classes were completely under the jurisdiction of the College and taught fully by qualified College personnel."
4. "We recommend that no greater emphasis be placed on recruiting day students. Instead, we recommend a special focus on area student recruitment. We suggest the Development Office might encourage local industry to offer academic scholarships for local students to attend Erskine."

5. "We recommend that items under 'A' (below) be referred to Synod's Executive Board for implementation and that items under 'B' be referred to the college administration for implementation."

A. **For the Church:**

1. Have Erskine representative at all Youth Conferences, Retreats, and Rallies.
2. Have Erskine representative to speak at least once a year at Presbytery and Presbyterial Meetings.
3. Synod observe Erskine Student Day in every congregation during a specified month.
4. Pastors be responsible for getting the Erskine message to their congregations. (For example, show that Erskine can be financially competitive with state supported schools.)
5. Pastors take Youth Groups (Junior Highs and Senior Highs) to spend the day at Erskine.

B. **For the College:**

1. College needs to keep in direct contact with WSU Christian Higher Education Chairman who will disseminate news and get response from local congregation.
2. Consider requesting names of tenth grade students from churches. If no response comes from church then contact Erskine Alumnus or supporter in congregation.
3. Offer use of college facilities for weekend youth retreats.
4. College recruitment office needs to utilize the Church Magazine.
5. Prepare bulletin board kit for every church (annually). Utilize WSU Christian Higher Education Chairman for input and distribution.
6. That the College have display (like World Witness Board) for Synod and Presbytery meetings and conferences.
7. That the College place advertisements in appropriate church magazines.

Our intercollegiate athletic program has been moderately successful during the year. The soccer team finished the season with a record of 11-5-1 and won the NAIA District 6 championship. The men's basketball team finished the season with a record of 14-15. Ten members of the 13 member squad were freshmen.

The women's basketball team won 19 games and lost 6. This has been their most successful season. They played excellent basketball finishing fourth in the state. Erskine lost by three points in the state tournament to S. C. State which won the national small college tournament. The women's volleyball team finished second in the state and third in the South.

A review of the past 25 years of College finances underscores the dependence of the College on student fees, financial aid programs which subsidize students, and gifts to the College. Whereas we are grateful to the General Synod for its continued generous support of Erskine College, we must note that the affects of inflation have forced the Board to increase student tuition and fees in enlarging amounts. During the past five years student fees have been increased as follows:

1974	$180
1975	165
1976	135
1977	225
1978	250

Student tuition and fees will be increased $395 for the fall of 1979. Total cost for a full-time boarding student will amount to $4,295.

In an effort to arrest or reverse this trend, the Board of Trustees has approved programs designed to increase endowed scholarships and earnings on endowment funds.

The actions of the General Synod of June 1978 have received thoughtful consideration. With regard to the recommendations recorded on p. 630 of the **Minutes** of the General Synod, we report the following.

The Board of Trustees by its action during the meeting of April 27, 1979, passed a resolution which outlined suggested amendments to the Charter for presentation to Synod's Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs. It was the opinion of the majority of the Board that this action fulfilled the request by Synod which was listed on p. 630 of the **Minutes** of the General Synod.

The Board has reviewed the recommendations approved by the General Synod on p. 659 of the 1978 **Minutes** and notes item 2 with appreciation. The intent of recommendation 3 has been incorporated in this report. Recommendation 4 has been adopted and implemented by the Board of Trustees.

The report of the Special Committee on Christian Higher Education published in the 1978 **Minutes**, pp. 621-623 was reviewed. The Board of Trustees hereby expresses its appreciation for this report and the work of this committee, especially its understanding of very complex matters.

The addendum to the "Statement of the Philosophy of Christian Higher Education" was referred to a special trustee committee chaired by Dr. A. L. Love. This committee was asked to conform the statement of purpose of the College to the addendum.

In response to a request from The Rev. Dr. Grady Oates, Chairman of the Special Committee on Priorities, the attached report (Exhibit D) was submitted by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees. (NOTE: Not reprinted herein.)

The members of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College and Theological Seminary reaffirm our allegiance to the mission of Christian higher education of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination in the hope of building a stronger college and seminary and a stronger church.

Additional Requests and Recommendations

1. That May 11, 1980, be designated as Erskine College Day in the churches with a special offering being received for Erskine College; and that September 16, 1979, be designated as Erskine Theological Seminary Day with an offering being received for the Seminary;
2. That you grant Erskine $118,820 for the operation of the College and Seminary and $16,000 for Synod's scholarships;
3. The Board of Trustees requests the General Synod designate annually a Sabbath when ministers are asked to present the claims of the Gospel ministry to the members of their congregation.
4. Your prayers and earnest efforts in support of the work of the College and Seminary; and
5. Your continued support of efforts to make Associate Reformed Presbyterian students aware of the special opportunities and financial aid provided for them at Erskine College.

The Chairman, President and members of his staff plan to be present at the General Synod to answer questions.

This report was directed by resolution of the Board during its meeting April 27.

E. I. DAVIS, JR., Chairman

REPORT OF THE DEAN OF THE SEMINARY

Fathers and Brethren:

The 1978-79 academic year has been an important year in the life of Erskine Seminary and we are grateful for God's direction and blessing in it. To the members of the General Synod we extend the thanks of students and faculty for your partnership with us in this important part of the mission of the church.

On September 11, 1978 Erskine Seminary began its 142nd year of service in the field of graduate theological education. The formal opening of the College and Seminary was held on September 18 with Moderator Charles Todd as the principal speaker.

Accreditation

Following a visit in May 1978 by Dr. Marvin Taylor, Associate Director of the Association of Theological Schools, Erskine Seminary formally applied for accreditation by that association. The Seminary is already accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities. Accreditation by the Association of Theological Schools has been a goal of the Seminary since 1956. At its meeting on June 12-13, the Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools accepted Erskine's petition for self-study and granted our Seminary "preaccreditation status." During the past academic year the faculty of the Seminary has been engaged in an in-depth evaluation of its program with Dr. L. M. Allison as chairman of the Self-Study Committee. Erskine Seminary expects a visit by an Association of Theological Schools accreditation committee in the spring of 1980.

Faculty

During the past year teaching responsibilities in the Seminary were as follows:

Historical and Systematic Theology	Dr. L. M. Allison
Old Testament and Hebrew	Dr. Randall T. Ruble
New Testament and Greek	Dr. Kenneth Morris
Church History	Professor Ray King
Ministry	Dr. C. M. Coffey Professor Clyde T. McCants

In September 1978 Professor Clyde T. McCants assumed the work at Erskine Seminary which had been formerly done by Professor Tom Long. In addition to teaching courses in Homiletics, Worship and Church Administration, Professor McCants is responsible for the Seminary's program of supervised ministry. Professor McCants has brought to this new work experience as a college English teacher, pastor and administrator of our denomination's Church Extension program. He has taken up his work with vigor and a high degree of dedication to his new calling and has gained the respect of both faculty and students. The Seminary is grateful to God for calling Mr. McCants to this work.

Professor Ray King continues his work toward the Ph.D. at Emory University and Dr. Kenneth Morris will again teach Greek at the summer school at Columbia Theological Seminary.

During the fall semester, Dr. L. M. Allison was on a sabbatical leave and he used part of this time to visit mission work in Peru where his daughter serves as a missionary.

A Search Committee has been appointed to nominate qualified persons for the positions of Professor of Historical Systematic Theology and Professor of Ministry. Dr. Coffey has indicated that he plans to give up his teaching work no later than February 1980 and Dr. Allison is scheduled for retirement at the end of the 1980 spring semester. Both of these members of the faculty have

served the seminary for the past twenty years and have taught many of the ministers in our denomination. The Search Committee, chaired by Dr. Kenneth Morris, is comprised of faculty members, administrators, and trustees. Suggestions of qualified persons for the positions may be made to either Dr. Morris or Dean Ruble.

On November 27, the Seminary honored the late Dr. Gilbert Gordon Parkinson by unveiling his portrait in McQuiston Divinity Hall. A service of appreciation and remembrance brought together many of Dr. Parkinson's former students and recalled some of his great contributions to the Seminary and the life of the church. Dr. Parkinson served on the Seminary faculty from 1900 to 1950.

Students

The total enrollment of the Seminary for the past academic year was forty-three. In addition, several college students took work in the Seminary.

The Seminary student body is diverse, representing ten different denominations. In recent years there has been a marked increase in students from the Pentecostal Holiness church. These students have done good work and have made a positive contribution to the life of the Seminary.

Two retreats were held during the year, one at Bonclarken and the other at Camp Fellowship on Lake Greenwood. The Rev. Jim Baird of the First Presbyterian Church in Macon, Georgia, was the leader for the Spring Retreat and developed the theme of "Discipleship in the Local Church."

The Erskine Missions Fellowship sponsored a Film Festival on Missions on March 29, 30 and April 1. Fourteen films were shown over this period of time and were made available to the entire Erskine community as well as to people in the surrounding areas.

Seminary student body officers for 1979-80 are Gilbert Rowell (A. R. P.), President, Herb Codington (P. C. U. S.), Vice President and Tim Stowe (A. R. P.), Treasurer.

Academic Program

The Seminary has continued to upgrade its academic program by introducing professional assessment for all students who have completed three semesters of work. A faculty committee carefully evaluates each student on the basis of a student self-profile and a series of written reports from the student's field supervisor, faculty advisor and peers. The purpose of this new program is to enable the student to assess his strengths and weaknesses, both personally and professionally, and to make necessary adjustments and corrections as the student moves toward professional ministry. The Seminary has again participated in the "Readiness for Ministry" testing program administered to all seniors. Students who have participated in this program feel that it is helpful in allowing them to evaluate themselves against a national norm.

A formal agreement with the Candler School of Theology at Emory University has been reached which allows Methodist students at Erskine to transfer with ease to Emory to complete their third year of Seminary education. In the past, some problems have developed for Methodist students transferring to Emory because of curriculum differences.

A year ago the Seminary sought to compliment the church's emphasis on evangelism by introducing into its curriculum a course on evangelism required by all seniors. During the past year the Seminary again sought to relate to the concerns of our denomination by offering a course in New Church Development taught by Professor Clyde T. McCants.

Continuing Education

The annual Church Growth Conference was held on October 25-26. Dr. W. W. Orr spoke on organizing a new church and the Rev. R. B. Elliott discussed ways to develop an old established church in a changing situation.

The third Missionary Conference was held on February 14 with Professor Harvie Conn of Westminster Seminary as the principal speaker. Other conference leaders included the Rev. Mr. Archie Moore, a missionary to Korea, Mrs. Sarah Pressly, missionary-designate to Mexico, the Rev. Mr. Jim Barker and the Rev. Mr. John Carson. This conference was a joint endeavor of Erskine Seminary and the Board of Foreign Missions and received substantial financial support from the Greenville Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The conference was both well attended and well received.

On April 3-4 the second Whitesides Pastors' Institute and the nineteenth Robinson Lecture series were held on the Erskine campus. The Robinson Lecturer was Dr. Sam Hill and his four lectures dealt with "Religion in the South." The Rev. Stuart Briscoe was to have been the Whitesides Pastors' Institute preacher, but he became ill just before the conference began. The Seminary was fortunate in securing the Rev. Tom Long of Columbia Seminary to replace Mr. Briscoe. In addition to preaching two sermons, Mr. Long conducted workshops on preaching for ministers and others in attendance.

These continuing education conferences are intended to serve the needs of pastors and church leaders as well as the Seminary community. Because of financial limitations on the Seminary, funding to operate the conferences must be secured outside the budget. The Seminary is grateful to the Board of Church Extension, Board of Foreign Missions and the Greenville A. R. P. Church, the Whitesides family of Gastonia, North Carolina and an anonymous donor for making these conferences possible and profitable for those who are able to attend them. The Seminary has been fortunate in securing an unusually high level of conference leadership and these conferences are now among the best offered on the East coast during the academic year.

Gifts

The Seminary has been blessed by God through the good support of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, alumni and friends. The Special Seminary Offering in 1978 was $16,695.00, an increase of approximately 40% over the previous year. There has been an increase in both the number and the amount of gifts from many supporters of the Seminary. Over the past two years, several Sunday School classes have made regular contributions for the support of Seminary students. A number of individual churches have assisted Seminary students with their theological education. The establishment of the Lucy Bowden Scholarship Fund which provides grants to Seminary students for reciting the Catechism has increased scholarship aid. The W. W. Boyce, W. S. Brooks and Elizabeth Simpson McConnell Funds continue to grow and make available much needed capital for the operation of the Seminary. Increased support from the Woman's Synodical Union has meant much to the total Seminary community. Through all these sources, the Seminary is becoming better able to do the work committed to it by God through the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Recommendations

1. That the Special Offering for Erskine Seminary be promoted in the congregations of the denomination on September 16th and that ministers be urged to inform their people of the importance of this offering for the operation of the Seminary.

2. That friends of the Seminary continue to support the A.R. Presbyterian Fund, Inc., through contributions and memorial gifts and that congregations consider placing this fund in their annual budgets. Gifts to this fund should be sent to Dean Randall T. Ruble, Erskine Theological Seminary, Due West, S. C. 29639.

3. That the General Synod express appreciation to churches which provide the opportunity for Seminary students to engage in preaching and other

church activities. Requests for the services of Seminary students for preaching and summer work should be directed to Professor Clyde McCants, Box 171, Due West, S. C. 29639.

4. That ministers and lay people be encouraged to participate in the programs of continuing education at the Seminary and that Sessions be urged to provide funds to enable ministers to attend these conferences.

5. That the Dean's report be printed in the Minutes of Synod.

RANDALL T. RUBLE,
Vice President and Dean

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Annuities and Relief was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

We recommend that Synod approve recommendations nos. 1 through 4 of the Report of the Board of Annuities and Relief.

We further recommend that Synod encourage Presbyteries to publicize to their churches their obligations to contribute to this important ministry of the A.R.P. Retirement Plan.

We recommend that Synod extend its sincere thanks to the Board of Annuities and Relief for their diligent efforts in our behalf.

REPORT OF BOARD OF ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The Board met on two occasions since the last meeting of the General Synod, August 5, 1978, and January 27, 1979. The activities of the Board are reported herein as information for the General Synod.

BENEVOLENCE

Christmas Benevolent Offering

The distribution approved from the 1977 Christmas Benevolent Offering amounted to $31,429.92, going to 15 recipients. As of the date of this report, $38,869.80 is available for distribution from the 1978 offering, with the distribution to be approved by the Board at its July 29, 1979 meeting. All retired ministers and Synod employees and all widows of former ministers and Synod employees, including widows of missionaries, are eligible recipients and will be contacted concerning their needs. The Board is extremely grateful to all individuals and churches which have contributed to this fund. The Board is especially thankful for the extraordinary support of the Bartow and Lake Wales churches.

Widows Benefit Fund

On May 30, 1978, the denomination was the recipient of a gift of $177,000 for the purpose of providing lifetime benefits to thirteen widows of former Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers. The amount of the gift was actuarially determined to provide an average monthly benefit of $150.00 to the 13 widows. Grateful appreciation has been extended to the donor. The first benefit checks were sent in January 1979. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation holds the funds in trust and provides assets to Synod's Treasurer as needed to make payments. Financial statements of the Fund are submitted to the Board of Annuities and Relief and are filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

Miscellaneous

As of the date of this report, there are fifty-four known widows of former Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers, missionaries, and Synod employees. There are also twenty-six retired ministers and Synod employees. These dedicated servants of Christ continue to need our prayers, friendship, and financial support.

INSURANCE

There has been no change in premiums and no significant changes in coverage in our group benefit program since the last meeting of Synod. The Board has continued to investigate and study "Group Survivor Income" but due to cost and other considerations is unable to present a firm proposal to the General Synod at this time. The Board reaffirms the need for coverage in this area and asks that the General Synod defer consideration until the 1980 General Synod.

Legislative enactments are causing many mandated changes in group benefit coverages and the Board will attempt to keep our participants informed of these changes as they occur.

RETIREMENT

There are no recommended changes in the Retirement Plan at this time.

In response to an inquiry concerning Credited Earnings when a manse is provided, for those ministers who are provided a manse, earning will be recognized only for Base Salary plus a hypothetical housing allowance equal to 20% of the Base Salary. Additional allowance cannot be a part of the recognized Credited Earnings.

Changes in Retirement Plan Participation

1. During the period January 1—December 31, 1978, the following Participant retired on the date indicated: Frank L. Shannon (9-1-78).

2. The following retired Participant was lost by death during the year: Mary L. Kennedy (1-16-78).

3. The following active Participant was lost by death during the year: Vernon F. Latham (11-4-78).

4. The following persons became Participants in the Retirement Plan during 1978 as of the dates indicated: Robert P. Brawley (5-28-78); Meredith L. Cavin (7-2-78); Robert F. Ingram (8-6-78); Ray B. Lanning (6-6-77); P. Allen Larson (5-22-77); William F. Mitchell (2-15-78); Frank D. Stewart (6-6-75).

5. The following Participants were reinstated to active participation during the year: Miss Ethelda Hanna (9-1-78); W. C. Lauderdale (1-1-78).

6. At year's end the following Participants were on approved leaves of absence: R. W. Ackerman; C. S. Alexander, Jr.; L. M. Allison; F. R. Archer, Jr.; J. S. Banks; J. F. Beard; W. F. Blakely; W. J. Boyd; S. H. Cain; P. A. Campbell; J. Coad; C. W. Echols; E F. Franze; L. P. Kennerly; R. A. King; G. W. Letchworth; R. B. Luebke, Jr.; C. T. McCants; J. W. McQuiston; K. F. Morris; B. R. Nowak; J. E. Pressly; C. S. Rimmer; F. D. Stewart; J. R. White; T. L. Wilson; J. R. Wright; L. C. Young.

7. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and have qualified for a Vested Benefit in the Retirement Plan: R. D. Bradford; J. A. Cannon; L. L. Dattler; R. S. Miles, Sr.; H. L. Smith. NOTE: H. W. Dale, who had previously transferred to another denomination died during the year without qualifying for a retirement benefit.

8. The following Participant terminated employment during the year, or has previously terminated employment subsequent to 7-1-75, and has qualified for a Vested Benefit in the Retirement Plan: J. T. Stephenson.

9. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and either have qualified or may qualify for a contingent right to a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: D. M. Bonner; R. L. Brawley; J. C. Gardner; J. D. Hatch; C. C. Jett; R. B. Lanning; T. G. Long; F. A. Malone; T. J. Mercer; K. C. Nordvall; R. L. Penny; H. L. Richardson; L. T. Richie; J. R. Thompson; R. J. Yelverton.

10. The following persons were removed from Participation in the Plan during the year and did not qualify to retain a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: Miss Linda L. Hays (Former missionary); R. E. Steel (minister dropped from Roll of Florida Presbytery).

11. The following persons were receiving a retirement or permanent disability benefit under the Plan at year's end: R. M. Alber; Dr. Janet Alexander; Mrs. Elinor H. Bell *; Mrs. Sarah W. Blakely *; J. G. Brawley; Mrs. Emma R. Echols *; Mrs. Mary P. Edwards *; Miss Florence Craig; E. Gettys; M. B. Grier; P. L. Grier; W. P. Grier, Jr. **; Mrs. Wilma M. Griffith *; W. C. Halliday; Mrs. Frances P. Hamilton *; W. A. Hethcox; Mrs. Jean B. Latham *; R. C. Kennedy; L. P. Knox; Mrs. Sallie C. Lauderdale *; J. B. McFerrin; Mrs. Helen C. McFerrin *; R. T. Nelson; H. M. Pearson; Mrs. Agnes D. Plaxco *; J. P. Pressly; W. L. Pressly, J. H. Ragsdale; A. M. Rogers; K. C. Seawright; F. L. Shannon; F. W. Sherrill; J. C. Smith; J. P. Steele; F. T. White; A. K. Whitesides; Mrs. Evelyn R. Williams *; Mrs. Gladys D. Young. *As widow of deceased Participant, the Joint and Survivor Option having been selected or automatic as to those who died after 9-1-61. **As Participant disabled prior to 12-1-72.

12. The following persons apparently are eligible for the Retirement Plan as of 12-31-78, but as of that date enrollment procedures have not been completed: Bruce E. Hoyt; D. O. Jones; R. D. Maddox; A. L. Roberts.

Financial Statement

The "Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Financial Statement" as compiled and reported by Price Waterhouse & Co., independent auditors, will be filed with the Principal Clerk, at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, and with members of the Board of Annuities and Relief, and will not be repeated herein. A "Statement of Income and Expenses and Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits for the Year Ended December 31, 1978 and 1977" will be submitted for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.** (NOTE: See Appendix.)

Miscellaneous

In its report to Synod in 1971, the Retirement Committee stated the goal of eliminating Retirement Plan contributions from local congregations which do not currently have a regular pastor. While the Board of Annuities and Relief would like to be in a position to relieve churches without a pastor from making contributions, this is not feasible at the present time. We still have an obligation for past service benefits and with Plan liberalizations approved but not yet effective, it continues to be necessary to ask congregations who are currently without a pastor and which have 50 or more active members to make contributions to the Plan.

Recommendations

1. That the Christmas Benevolent offering be continued and that all pastors and other church officers give this special ministry their support.

2. That churches and individuals be commended on their continued faithful support of the special ministries of this Board.

3. That the Board be permitted to defer for one year the time for presenting to the General Synod a proposed survivor income program.

4. That all other actions of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.

Respectfully,

H. H. LONG, Chairman
ED HOGAN, Secretary

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on A.R.P. Foundation was read and adopted. Mr. Deaton spoke to the Synod on the subject of the foundation.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON A. R. P. FOUNDATION

In accordance with the direction of the Moderator, the Committee on A.R.P. Foundation has met and was presided over by the Chairman, Thomas G. Morris.

One paper came into our hands, the Report of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc. with an attached paper of proposed By-Law amendments of the A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.

In addition, your committee was privileged to hear from the Chairman of the Foundation, Mr. William A. Deaton, concerning the operations, as well as the assets, of the Foundation.

Your committee makes the following unanimous recommendations:

1. That the report of the Foundation be printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**
2. That the recommendations of the Foundation be approved.
3. That Mr. William A. Deaton, Chairman of the Foundation, be granted time on the floor of Synod to explain matters of interest and importance to the denomination regarding the Foundation.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.

The meetings of the Foundation were scheduled this year in conjunction with the meetings of the Board of Stewardship, probably the last year this will be done because of time requirements.

Officers of the Foundation, as elected, are as follows:

Chairman: William A. Deaton
Vice-Chairman: Reverend John L. Carson
Secretary-Treasurer: Donald W. Harper

The Administrative Office of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc. has been moved to the following address:

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.
A.R.P. Center
One Cleveland Street
Greenville, South Carolina 29601

The total assets of the main account of the Foundation total approximately $30,000, showing little change from the year-ago figure. Expenses increased

somewhat as Messrs. Ed Hogan and William A. Deaton attended a Financial Development Institute related to deferred giving. Details of the balance sheet and transactions are available at the Administrative Office or from the Officers.

The Board has approved the attendance of William A. Deaton and Donald W. Harper at an advanced Financial Development Institute dealing with legal and tax matters associated with deferred giving. The cost will be about $500.00 for each.

The Board retained the Hartford Company in Los Angeles to appraise the Rev. George Morrison property in Kern County, California. The appraiser, a MAI found the market value of the property to be $128,000.00 as of December 30, 1978. After very careful consideration, the Board retained the services of Hartford for disposition of the property for a net amount to the Foundation of $150,000.00 and retention of all oil, gas and mineral rights. While a cash sale would be desirable, the terms, amounts, and conditions are all negotiable.

Two checks in the amount of $5,850.00 (quarterly) from a special fund totalling $177,000.00 were delivered to the Treasurer of the General Synod for disbursement at the direction of the Board of Annuities and Relief.

The Board at its April 1979 meeting voted unanimously to give $1,189.00 for general purposes to the General Synod in order that the projected 1980 budget can be balanced.

Recommendations

1. In accordance with Recommendation No. 2 in 1978, adopted by the General Synod, the Board has adopted Bylaws changes as needed to bring Bylaws current and in accordance with present and proposed organizational and operational procedures. It is recommended that these changes, known as Proposed Bylaw Amendments, which are attached, be adopted.

2. It is recommended that Foundation Day be March 9, 1980, and that it be so marked in the Church Calendar.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM A. DEATON, Chairman

PROPOSED BY-LAW AMENDMENTS
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
January 19, 1979

Article I, § 3, amended to read:
"The principal office of the corporation shall be located at One Cleveland Street in the City of Greenville, County of Greenville, State of South Carolina."

Article II, § 2, amended to read:
"The number of directors shall be not less than eleven (11) nor more than sixteen (16) as determined by the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. Directors shall be elected for staggered terms and shall serve terms of four years. A director may not be re-elected for a second full term until one (1) year after completion of the term."

Article II, § 3
"Members of the board of directors shall be elected by the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church with at least one member from each Presbytery of Synod. Members elected to fill a vacancy caused other than by completion of a term shall serve for the remainder of the term."

Article II, § 4, amended to read:
"The board shall hold at least three (3) regular meetings each year at such place and time as determined by the boord and the spring meeting of the board shall be the annual meeting at which officers shall be elected to take office on July 1."

Article II, § 5, deleted.
Renumber §§ 6, 7, 8 and 9 of Article II as §§ 5, 6, 7 and 8, respectively.

Add to Article II, § 8, (formerly 9):
"Telephone conference call meetings may be held when necessary, however, an affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the board will be required for approval of action in a telephonic meeting."

Article III, § 1, after "treasurer" on line 2:
"(One person may be elected as secretary-treasurer.)"

Article IV, § 2, 1st two sentences replaced with:
"The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers plus such additional members as the board may elect at the annual meeting. Total membership shall be an odd number not less than three (3) nor more than nine (9). A majority, but not less than three (3), shall constitute a quorum and the committee may act by majority vote of its members whenever a quorum is present."

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Bonclarken was presented. Synod stood in grateful memory of Miss Bess H. Mitchell, who for thirty-one years was a dedicated summer staff member at Bonclarken. The Report was adopted and Mr. H. S. Mace spoke concerning Bonclarken.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON BONCLARKEN

General discussion was held concerning the Report of the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken.

A tour of the facilities of Bonclarken was led by Mr. Mace, including the Hotel, Garrison Hall, the Motel units, and the new proposed camping area.

Recommendations

1. The Committee recommends that all four recommendations of the report of the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken be approved as submitted.

2. We further recommend that the Priorities Committee be given the task of considering item number four of the Board's report.

3. It is further recommended that the Board of Trustees be urged to explore every possibility concerning the upgrading and renovating of all facilities, and that development of the new proposed camping area be begun as soon as practicable.

4. We recommend that the Board of Trustees seek the guidance of Synod concerning the initiation of a program for the purpose of wills, bequests, and deferred gifts to be used for the development of the facilities.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BONCLARKEN

The Trustees of Bonclarken Assembly submits this report to the one hundred seventy-fifth meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

We are grateful for the opportunity to host the 1979 meeting of the General Synod. We welcome each representative and visitor to Bonclarken and trust that your visit will be an enjoyable one. **We cordially invite The Synod to hold the 1980 meeting at Bonclarken.**

The Pinecrest Estates Property has been developed into fourteen lots. Eight of these lots have been sold. The net income from sale of this property is tentatively scheduled for developing the Family Camping Area. The Camping Facility cannot be completed until these funds are in hand.

Since last year general maintenance and improvements have been carried out as far as limited funds permitted. One new apartment with three bedrooms has been completed. This apartment is in the old camp facility.

$34,172.66 in pledges to the Building Fund are outstanding. Payment of these pledges does not seem very encouraging. The Trustees have made the final payment on the Building Fund Note by using funds from various sources.

A camping program for boys and girls is scheduled for 1979 under the direction of Reverend Webster Curry. We encourage your support of this program for our children ages 8-13.

All requests for Associate Reformed Presbyterian Conference groups were met in 1978. A large number of other groups were served when our people did not schedule groups. Bonclarken, as all other Centers, operates on a group scheduling rather than an individual basis. When openings are available we always accept individual reservations. Sixty percent of our gross income from conference business is from groups served who are from outside our denomination. We desire a greater use of the Assembly by our people, but until this happens we are heavily dependent upon the many other groups using the facilities to make possible our continued operation.

A detailed rate study is underway relative to owners of private property at Bonclarken. The purpose of this study is to determine if rates charged are adequate to meet Federal and State regulations for services rendered private individuals by Tax Exempt Organizations.

This year, as in the past, we could not meet the requests for accommodations at several of our larger conferences. We hold a drawing for rooms with private baths in order to be as fair as possible. In an attempt to inform our people why we cannot meet many requests, the total housing accommodations at the Assembly is listed below:

Hotel:
Beds: 13 Single
29 Doubles
Baths: 12 Private
3 Connecting
3 Bath on Hall

Memorial Hall:
Beds: 54 Singles
12 Doubles
Baths: 5 Private
16 Connecting

Motel:
Beds: 0 Singles
30 Doubles
Baths: 16 Private

Ministers Apartments:
Beds: 8 Singles
4 Doubles
Baths: 4 Connecting

Garrison Hall Apartments:
Beds: 15 Singles
8 Doubles
Baths: 8 Connecting

Terrace Apartments:
Beds: 0 Singles
8 Doubles
Baths: 2 Connecting

Lakeview Apartments:
Beds: 5 Singles
1 Double
Baths: 2 Connecting

Meadowview Apartments:
Beds: 1 Single
1 Double
Baths: 1 Private

SUMMARY:	Single Beds—Total	96
	Double Beds—Total	93
	TOTAL BEDS	189
	Private Baths—Total	34
	Connecting Baths—Total	35
	Bath on Hall—Total	3
	TOTAL BATHS	72

Camp Complex: SINGLE BUNK BEDS—5 UNITS (18 Beds Per Unit) . . . 90
CENTRAL BATH HOUSE 1

The Trustees express sincere gratitude to the General Synod, the Synodical Union and the many individuals who supported the Conference Ministry with their interest, prayers and gifts during 1978.

The Trustees are grateful to Reverend Harold Mace, Director, and the staff for the energy and talents which they bring to the many and varied duties. We commend them for the work they do in behalf of the Conference Ministry.

The Trustees solicit the prayers, counsel and support of all Associate Reformed Presbyterians as we seek to fulfill our stewardship responsibilities.

The Trustees Recommend the Following

1. That continued support be given to Conferences, Retreats and Camp by all pastors and members of congregations.
2. That the members of the denomination join us in prayer that the pressing needs of the Assembly be met.
3. That the Bonclarken Day Offering for operating supplement be received the last Lord's Day in January of 1980.
4. That the General Synod through the proper committee, in consultation with the Bonclarken Trustees, conduct a study to determine the place of Bonclarken in the life and work of the Church and make recommendations to Synod in 1980, if feasible, regarding the continuing ministry of the Assembly.

A financial report is attached to the official copy of this report. (NOTE: See Appendix.)

Respectfully submitted,
W. HERMAN LESSLIE, Chairman
MARY ANN McDOWELL, Secretary

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Christian Education was presented. Recommendation No. 3 of the Moderator's Committee report was amended to have request No. 6 of the Resolution on the "Year of the Child" to read "by being sensitive to the needs and problems of the children in the world community and seek ways to minister to their needs."

Following amendments the Report of the Moderator's Committee was adopted. (NOTE: The Resolution on "Year of the Child" is printed as amended.)

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Your Committee on Christian Education wishes to make the following report:

The report of the Board of Christian Education with the attachments of a paper, "The Year of the Child," and the proposed budget for 1980 came into our hands.

We note with gratification to God that a Director of Christian Education has been appointed by the Board and commend the Board upon its selection of the Reverend Jerry R. Wolff.

We call attention to the emphasis in the report on the availability of the Director to visit and advise local congregations in the area of Christian Education.

Your Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That recommendation one (1) of the Board be adopted with the addition that the observance of Bible Mastery Month be publicized in advance in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine.**
2. That recommendations two (2) through seven (7) be adopted.

3. That recommendation eight (8) be adopted with the addition of the following item Number 7 "by encouraging, exhorting, and equipping parents to exercise the primary role of the Christian education of their children, structuring their families according to the Word of God, and in love disciplining and nurturing their children by teaching God's Word and by exemplary living, in a day when families within and without the church are floundering."
4. That recommendations nine (9) and ten (10) be adopted.
5. That the Board be requested to study the feasibility of formulating a program aimed at resolving problems within family relationships by the emphasis on Christian education within the home.
6. That the paper be adopted as amended.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

With grateful acknowledgement to God for His guidance during the past year and to the presbyteries and churches of our General Synod for their co-operation in carrying out the program of Christian Education, we make the following report:

Three meetings of Synod's Board of Christian Education were held in 1978 with good attendance and participation. Board members have been active in every phase of Christian Education.

Members of the staff of the Office of Christian Education for 1978 were:

Mrs. Harold Sanders, Administrative Assistant, January 1—December 31.

The Office of Director of Christian Education was vacant during 1978. During the time the Office has been without a Director, Mrs. Roy (Mary) Beckham of Greenville has assisted with resources, etc.

The staff makes the following report of activities during 1978:

1. Leadership and Consultation:
   The staff visited several churches and attended the Christian Education workshop at Charlotte. Booths were on display at Synod, the Adult Conference and at Christian Education workshops.
   Other areas in which the staff served were: As consultant for churches and individuals through correspondence and by telephone; and by mailing audio-visuals and other resources.

2. Conferences:
   Three conferences were held at Bonclarken during the summer of 1978 under the direction of the staff of Synod's Office of Christian Education:
   a. The first Junior High Conference (June 12-17) was attended by 90 conferees and advisors from 13 churches and 4 presbyteries. The program was carried out by a staff of 14 with the Reverend Don Elliott as Director of the Junior High Conferences. The theme was "Climb the Ladder of Faith."
   b. The second week of Junior High Conferences (June 19-24) was attended by 73 conferees and advisors from 12 churches and 5 presbyteries. The program, under the direction of the Reverend Elliott, was carried out with a staff of 17. The theme was "Climb the Ladder of Faith."
   c. The YPCU Conference (June 26-July 1) was attended by 239 conferees and advisors from 36 churches and 7 presbyteries. The Reverend James Fee, Director of the YPCU Conference, and a staff of 20 carried out the program. The theme was "Unity in Christ" with the Reverend Jan Senneker as Worship Leader.

3. Publications:
   The Office of Christian Education had responsibility to and/or for the following publications:
   a. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian: Through membership on the Board of Publications, and as a monthly contributor of articles, columns,

and new items. (During the absence of a Director of Christian Education, four DCEs helped out writing the monthly articles: Mrs. Mary Roberts, DCE at the Greenwood ARP Church; Mrs. Betty Allen, DCE at the Lancaster First ARP Church; Miss Laura Bell, DCE at the Pisgah ARP Church; and Mrs. Carole Ellis, DCE at the Greenville ARP Church.)
b. The Adult Quarterly: Worked with the Editor, Dr. W. H. F. Kuykendall in making arrangements for the writing, printing, distribution and copyright of the publication.
c. Youth Advisors Newsletter: This is a quarterly newsletter prepared by the staff and distributed free of charge to each Junior and Senior High Advisor.
d. Audio-Visual Catalog and Book List: These two catalogs were revised in 1976 and each year an up-date is published, giving a complete up-to-date listing of the audio-visuals and books available to the churches.
e. Resource Packet: A listing of resources, Christian education suggestions, are prepared and given out at Synod to each pastor and/or clerk.

The following statistical information is submitted for your information:

1. BIBLE MASTERY MONTH was observed in January with a study of I Samuel. Forty-three churches reported observing Bible Mastery month with forty of the churches studying the recommended material.

2. CATECHISM RECITATIONS:
   a. Brown's Catechism ..... 4 recitations.
   b. The Children's Catechism .....35 recitations.
   c. Westminster Shorter Catechism ..... 6 recitations.

3. CHURCH SCHOOL: Reports were received from 147 churches in the denomination. These churches report a Church School Enrollment of 15,566 with an average attendance of 106.

4. CURRICULUM MATERIALS:
   a. Church School: In the Children's and Youth Divisions the most popular material is David C. Cook; while in the Adult Division the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Quarterly is the most widely used. Listed below are the breakdowns between the ARP Quarterly and other materials. Consider these figures in the light of the 113 churches which reported and the fact that some churches used more than one curriculum in a given department.
   (1) Preschool Division: ARP Quarterly (1); Other (99).
   (2) Elementary: ARP Quarterly (2); Other (100).
   (3) Youth: ARP Quarterly (8); Other (103).
   (4) Adult: ARP Quarterly (95); Other (52).
   b. Youth Groups reported as follows:

	Members	Reporting Fellowships
YPCU	908	75
Junior High	546	58
Junior	410	48
Primary	453	55
Pre-School	356	29

   c. Vacation Bible Schools: 84 churches reported holding Vacation Bible Schools in 1978 with a total enrollment of 4,954. Eighty-one churches had one-week schools and three had two-week schools. Sixty-seven had schools for children and youth only; seventeen had family schools.
   Materials used were: Standard (21); David C. Cook (3); Gospel Light (11); Scripture Press (10); Great Commission (2); Vacation Ventures (2); Concordia (4); Augsburg (3); Lutheran (1); Own Material (17); and Other (3).

New Director Appointed

The Board is grateful to God that the Reverend Jerry R. Wolff has been chosen unanimously by the Board to serve as Director of Christian Education for the General Synod. Mr. Wolff will begin his duties on June 1, 1979. On Tuesday evening during the meeting of Synod, he will be formally introduced to the Synod and a service of commissioning will be conducted.

Recommendations

1. That the Book of Genesis be endorsed as Bible Mastery Book for 1980 and that individuals and groups be encouraged to study the book for relevance to their own lives and the society in which we live. (AMENDED.)

2. That conferences for the Young People's Christian Union and Junior High Christian Fellowships be held at Bonclarken during the summer conference season.

3. That sessions be encouraged to seek ways to provide scholarships to the conferences for their youth.

4. That local churches and the Presbyteries be encouraged to use the audio-visuals, resources and books available through the Office of Christian Education.

5. That the local churches and Presbyteries be encouraged to contact the Office of Christian Education for assistance in teacher training, evaluation, and strengthening of Christian education programs.

6. That appreciation be expressed to Woman's Synodical Union for their continued interest in and support of Christian education.

7. That the churches not using the **Adult Quarterly**, be encouraged to study it for possible use in the local church school program.

8. That the attached resolution be adopted by General Synod and recommended to each presbytery and local session. (AMENDED.)

9. That the **Policy Manual**, page 4, "membership" be changed to add as the sentence to the paragraph which begins "Synod's Director . . . ," the following sentence: "The Moderator of Synod shall be an advisory member of the Board."

10. That the attached budget be approved. (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget amount.)

Respectfully submitted,

GUY H. SMITH, Chairman

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1980

ADMINISTRATIVE	1980
DIRECTOR	
Salary	$ 14,000.00
Retirement	1,600.00
Housing Allowance	6,000.00
Employee Insurance	850.00
Social Security (5.85%)	–0–
Special Training	600.00
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	
Salary	9,800.00
Employee Insurance	375.00
Social Security (5.85%)	575.00
OFFICE EXPENSE	
Office Rental	1,644.00
Xerox	80.00
Telephone	325.00
Postage	700.00
STAFF TRAVEL	2,500.00
BOARD TRAVEL	4,000.00
SUB-TOTAL	$ 43,049.00
PROGRAMMING:	
Resource Material	
Periodicals	$ 100.00
Books	150.00
VBS Kits	75.00
Curriculum Samples	75.00
Other	50.00
Teaching Materials	50.00
Audio-Visuals	
Tapes	125.00
Slides, F/strips, Films	450.00
Equipment	150.00
Equipment Upkeep	75.00
Promotional Material	
Printing	200.00
Supplies	150.00
Postage	–0–
Curriculum Development	
Manuscripts	–0–
Copyrights	–0–
Contingency	–0–
Travel	500.00
Bibles and New Testaments	300.00
SUB-TOTAL	$ 2,450.00
CAMPS AND CONFERENCES:	
YPCU Conference	
Room and Board	$ 1,350.00
Honoraria	850.00

Travel	1,400.00
Planning	400.00
Insurance	250.00
Recreation	400.00
Supplies and Misc.	200.00
Junior High Conference	
Room and Board	1,515.00
Honoraria	900.00
Travel	1,400.00
Planning	400.00
Insurance	300.00
Recreation	575.00
Supplies and Misc.	510.00
YPCU Council	1,000.00
Camp for Exceptional Children	500.00
Contingency	250.00
SUB-TOTAL	$ 12,200.00
PUBLICATIONS:	
A.R.P. Quarterly	
Editor	$ 3,600.00
Publication	10,635.00
Mailing Preparation	625.00
Mailing Cost and Admin.	1,000.00
Copyright	130.00
Art Work	100.00
SUB-TOTAL	$ 16,090.00
MISCELLANEOUS:	
Contingency Fund	$ 500.00
SUB-TOTAL	$ 500.00
TOTAL	$ 74,289.00
INCOME:	
Honoraria	**$ 350.00**
Miscellaneous	75.00
Sale of Material	50.00
W.S.U. Support	5,000.00
Quarterly	16,330.00
Conference Fees	2,100.00
TOTAL	$ 23,905.00

RESOLUTION ON THE YEAR OF THE CHILD

The United Nations has designated 1979 as the International Year of the Child. A National Commission has been named by President Carter to gather information about the problems and needs that American children face today and in the future. Perhaps this is an opportune time for the church to examine the role of children in its ministry.

In light of the critical changes taking place in our society today as the American family is confronted with mobility, high divorce rate, changing values, "hurried" life-styles—perhaps as never before in this century, our children need a sense of belonging to the community of faith.

Children are valued persons in the community of believers and we should cherish their worth and dignity. They are not second-class Christians. **The Book of Common Worship** states "God our Father, who has redeemed us by the sacrifice of Christ, is also the God and Father of our children. They belong, with us who believe, to the membership of the Church through the covenant made in Christ, and confirmed to us by God in this Sacrament, which is a sign and seal of our cleansing, of our engrafting into Christ, and of our welcome in the household of God. Our Lord Jesus said, Suffer the little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of God. Verily I say unto you, Whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child, he shall not enter therein. And He took them up in His arms, and put His hands upon them and blessed them. Saint Paul also declared that the children of believers are to be numbered with the holy people of God." [1]

The Board of Christian Education is making a recommitment to its ministry with children and is asking that the General Synod join us. We request that in 1979 each individual church begin re-examining its ministry with children.

(1) by making a recommitment of its promises in the Sacrament of Baptism: to "undertake with the parents the Covenant responsibility for the nurture of the child," that is, by surrounding the children of the Church, "with their concern and love in Christ, that they may continue in the fellowship of the Church, confess Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, and live in His eternal Kingdom." [2]
(2) by evaluating its teaching ministry not only through instruction in the Church School but also through its worship and witness.
(3) by giving children love, encouragement and moral support.
(4) in teaching by example.
(5) by giving careful examination of its attitudes toward and ministry to exceptional children.
(6) by being sensitive to the needs and problems of the children in the world community and seek ways to minister to their needs.
(7) by encouraging, exhorting, and equipping parents to exercise the primary role of the Christian education of their children, structuring their families according to the Word of God, and in love discipling and nurturing their children by teaching God's Word and by exemplary living in a day when families within and without the Church are floundering.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Church Extension was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION

The committee met and was opened with prayer by Rev. R. E. Beckham. A roll call was taken.

The report of the Board of Church Extension was read by the Chairman, Rev. J. R. Wade.

It was noted that an editorial change was necessary in paragraph three, concerning the date for the Church Growth Seminar. Said change to be October 23-24 instead of October 24-25, 1980.

The following recommendations were made:

1. That the report of the Board of Church Extension be adopted and referred to Synod.

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[1] **The Book of Common Worship**, pages 121-122.

[2] **Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church**, "Book of Worship" pp. 250-251.

2. That an additional item be included as follows:
   That Synod be reminded that mission-minded Churches may give direct support to Mission Churches through Synod's Board of Church Extension.

The Moderator's Committee on Church Extension was adjourned and closed with prayer by Rev. W. C. Lauderdale.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

The Board of Church Extension is the agency of the General Synod charged with the responsibilities for denominational programs of evangelism and church development. We are grateful for the prayers, encouragement and financial support given by the General Synod through the budget, Opportunity Fund and by the W.S.U. through their regular and Special Contributions.

The Idlewild and Midlane Park congregations assumed self-support on January 1, and the Covenant congregation, Statesville, N. C. assumed self-support July 1, 1978. These congregations are to be commended for their faith, growth, and progress.

The Board, through the Director and Mission Developers, presented Church Extension at the Adult Bible Conference in August. In conjunction with Erskine Seminary, a Church Growth Seminar was sponsored in October with Dr. Will Orr and Rev. Bob Elliott serving as leaders. An Evangelism Seminar for Catawba, First and Second Presbyteries was conducted November 10-11 at Bonclarken. Another Church Growth Seminar is being planned for October 23-24 of this year. Campus Crusade presented the introductory course of the **Way of Life Discipleship and Evangelism Training.** The seminar assisted laymen and ministers by giving encouragement and support in personal evangelism. Many of the participants were already involved in a visitation program in their congregations and representatives from other congregations indicated that plans are underway to start a program. The Office of Church Extension has manuals on **Agape** and **Build** Groups from Campus Crusade which are available for use in congregations.

The response of the "2000 by the 200th" exceeds the goal for 1979. One hundred and eight congregations reported a combined goal of 1376 net increase in members for 1979. This is 68% of the congregations reporting a net increase of 4.8%. The only way the goal will be achieved is by making the strong effort on the congregational level. Historically, there is the tendency in our denomination to focus attention on an institution or agency and neglect opportunities on the local level. It is most encouraging that the congregations have agreed to become committed to evangelism on that level.

The Board is planning a pre-Synod conference on Evangelism in 1980. All ministers and as many laymen as possible are urged to attend this conference. The first session of the conference will begin on Saturday evening and the last session will end Monday noon prior to the Synod meeting.

Eighty-two percent of the congregations which are presently on Presbytery rolls have been started by Church Extension or have received funds from Synod during their history. The planting of new congregations is a matter of concern. The Presbyteries are encouraged to challenge larger congregations or clusters of congregations to consider the possibility or sponsoring new congregations in their areas. The net increase in membership of Church Extension congregations was 220.

In the Deferred Gifts Program, pastors are requested to continue to cooperate and encourage participation. By investing in Church Extension, the gift continues to be helpful in extending the Gospel through the channels of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

The Board is seeking a Mission Developer at-large to be used by Presbyteries in starting new work or in congregations which do not have pastors. The designated supplements will be used for support. This work will be under the direction of the Board of Church Extension.

A review of the work of Presbyteries is as follows:

Catawba—**The Mt. Pleasant Mission** near Charleston, SC, continues to be effectively served by the Rev. Rodney Foster, Mission Developer. This work is located in an area that is growing with a tremendous turn-over of residents. The group continues to worship in a cinema and the Church School meets in a Day School building. A provisional session is provided by the Catawba Presbytery. The **Church of the Servant** does not have a full-time pastor at this time. The Presbytery and mission group are working toward getting a full-time minister. The Rev. William F. Mitchell is at **Eden Terrace** where the work continues to prosper and grow under his ministry. The Rev. An is working among the Vietnamese refugees who have located in Columbia and other parts of South Carolina. The Board of Church Extension and Catawba Presbytery assist in the support of this work.

First—The **Pinecrest** congregation is in a new building which will be dedicated on Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of Synod. The congregation continues to grow under the ministry of the Rev. Clyde Reed. The Presbytery committee looks forward to the possibility of opening work in Greensboro before the calendar year ends. A work of outreach, under the direction of Rev. and Mrs. Mike Woodard and Miss Kathleen Murdock, has been started in the facility which was occupied by Pressly Memorial, Statesville.

Florida—The **Faith** congregation of Merritt Island continues to progress and grow under the ministry of the Reverend Wayne Frazier. The **Grace** congregation of Orlando has purchased property and is looking forward to having a mobile unit for worship and educational purposes located on their lot.

Mississippi-Valley—The **New Life** group at Horn Lake does not have a Mission Developer on the field. They have services each Lord's Day morning and evening with an average attendance of 22. Mr. Walter Weaver, a teacher, is currently supplying their pulpit. **Providence Mission** at St. Charles is supplied by Mission Developer Dale Maddox. They are now using a building for worship and educational purposes, which has been constructed on the lot. They have nine Communicants and three Non-Communicant members.

Second—**Grier Memorial** in Greenville, SC, continues to grow under the leadership of the Reverend James Corbitt. They plan to build a sanctuary and become self-supporting by the end of this year. This congregation is to be highly commended for the progress it is making. **Grace** congregation in Spartanburg is being supplied by Rev. Joseph B. Lennon, who recently became a member of the Second Presbytery.

Virginia—Since the death of the Reverend Vernon Latham in November, the **Johnson's Creek** congregation has not had a full-time pastor, but is being supplied by retired ministers and others in the area. This congregation plans to be self-supporting by the end of this year. The Rev. Mr. Latham had an effective ministry as pastor of this congregation. It will also be noted that he was the Mission Developer when the Faith congregation at Sumter, SC, was started. The **Kingsborough Mission** in New York began to receive aid from Synod's funds in October and continues to receive funds on the basis of $3,000.00 per year. The Rev. G. J. Gerard is the Mission Developer there and they have 57 Communicant members.

In order to effectively and faithfully perform the work entrusted to it by the General Synod, the Board is concerned that in its accountability, proper stewardship be exercised regarding the disbursement of denominational funds. The Board therefore requests that the **Policy Book** IV, A, 3, be: "Presbyteries will accompany their annual request for funds with a statement of their in-

tended use. Any change in the use of allocated funds requires the permission of the Presbytery and approval of the Board," and V, A, 12, be: "The Board shall closely monitor the work of funded congregations and give assistance to the committees of the Presbyteries and missions in securing pastors."

Recommendations

1. That the supplements for Presbyteries be sustained and the 1980 budget be adopted. (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget amount.)
2. That the Opportunity Fund Offering be received in all congregations in 1980 (Thanksgiving Season).
3. That the Woman's Synodical Union be thanked for its continued financial support.
4. That the program of Deferred Gift and Estate Planning continue.
5. That congregations continue in their evangelism efforts to meet the goal of "2000 net increase by 1982," and that congregational goals for 1980 be printed in the **Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
6. That the pre-Synod Conference on evangelism be supported by the General Synod.
7. That the mission congregations and pastors be thanked for their ministry.
8. That the Synod be reminded that "where there is no vision, the people perish . . ." Proverbs 29:18.

R. C. GRIER, Chairman
J. B. HENDRICK, Secretary

CHURCH EXTENSION BUDGET FOR 1980

OPERATING

GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE	
Director's Salary	$ 20,000.00
Director's Travel and Expense	2,500.00
Director's Insurance	846.00
Director's Retirement	1,600.00
Board Travel and Expense	3,000.00
Office Expense	1,344.00
Rent	672.00
	$ 29,962.00
EVANGELISM	$ 10,000.00
GENERAL MISSION EXPENSE	
Moving—Mission Pastors	$ 1,500.00
Training	1,500.00
Contingency	1,500.00
	$ 4,500.00
SUPPLEMENTS	
Catawba Presbytery	
Eden Terrace	$ –0–
Church of the Servant	6,000.00
Mt. Pleasant	14,910.00
Supp. for Rev. An	4,800.00
First Presbytery	
Greensboro	20,000.00
Pinecrest	7,500.00

Florida Presbytery	
Faith	4,000.00
Grace Community	7,500.00
New Work in Fl. Presbytery	7,500.00
Mississippi Valley Presbytery	
New Life	3,000.00
Providence of St. Charles	7,500.00
Second Presbytery	
Grace	5,000.00
Grier Memorial	–0–
Gwinnet County	15,000.00
Virginia Presbytery	
Johnson's Creek	–0–
New Work in VA Presbytery	15,000.00
Kingsborough	3,000.00
	$120,710.00
TOTAL OPERATING	$165,172.00
CAPITAL	
Church Site Purchase Fund	$ 90,048.00
Church Site Payment (Ms-Valley)	17,280.00
	$107,328.00
PROMOTIONAL	
Opportunity Fund	$ 1,000.00
Deferred Gift Material	1,500.00
	$ 2,500.00
TOTAL	$275,000.00

INCOME

OPERATING	
Synod (Pro-Rated)	$217,200.00
WSU (Unrestricted)	15,000.00
Interest—Perm Funds & Ellis Tr.	3,000.00
Honorarium	300.00
Direct Support	1,140.00
Other	500.00
	$237,140.00
CAPITAL	
WSU (Restricted)	$ 15,000.00
Opportunity Fund '79	22,860.00
	$ 37,860.00
TOTAL	$275,000.00

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Dunlap was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON DUNLAP

The Moderator's Committee on Dunlap met to consider the business given to it by the General Synod. Three papers came into our hands:—

1. The Report of the Dunlap Board
2. A request for the use of the funds from First Presbytery
3. A brief of legal advice about the use and sale of Dunlap property.

A time of discussion explored the legal problems and options open to the Synod for the further use of Dunlap Home. After much discussion the Moderator's Committee adopted for legal purposes the following motion:

1. Resolved: that The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, successor to the Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of the South, direct the Board of Trustees of Dunlap Orphanage to file a lawsuit in the proper court of jurisdiction for the purpose of having the Court declare all of the rights, duties, and privileges of the aforesaid Synod, pertaining to the legal title and use of 345 acres with improvements, sale of all or any of the 345 acres, and disposition of sale proceeds as provided in the various trust agreements established by William H. Dunlap in his Last Will and Testament, and all other trust documents.
2. That recommendations 1 and 2 of the Dunlap Board's report not be approved.
3. That the Synod express to the Board of Dunlap its appreciation for their time, effort, concern, directions and suggestions in their task of administrating the William Dunlap Orphanage.
4. That the Churches of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod be encouraged to stay informed that the William Dunlap Orphanage is still in existence and that Board is still very much in need of our prayer support and our help as the Dunlap Board continues administrating the orphanage in the future.
5. We recommend that Synod authorize the Board of Dunlap, at its discretion, to rent or lease the 9.06 acre campus for use in compliance with the trust provisions established by William H. Dunlap for a period of three years and up to a three year extension.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF DUNLAP ORPHANAGE

The Dunlap Board began and has ended this year making a diligent effort to accomplish the mandates approved by the Synod at the 1978 meeting.

1. The Home was officially closed for children 1 July 1978. Only one remaining child was left at this time. This child has been placed in the home of an Associate Reformed Presbyterian Elder and his family. This was done after the child's family indicated they had no desire to take the child.
2. The staff was reduced and various steps of phase-down were taken.
3. The board has secured legal counsel and assistance, with one result being the attached Legal Opinion and advice.
4. The farm lands, mining lands and part of the home facilities have been rented. Various funds have been consolidated and invested. The Board is transferring to the Proper Agencies of Synod most of these assets for investment and for administration.
5. (a) The possibility of a retirement home was investigated, including a survey of the Churches of Synod to determine the amount of interest.

However we are told that from a point of legality we most likely could not, in the scope of the William H. Dunlap will, turn the Home into a retirement home.

(b) Discussions were entered into with the Tennessee Baptist Association, the Memphis Boystown, and the Teen Challenge organization. In most cases these institutions would accept the Dunlap Home as a gift and attempt to continue to operate in some facet or other in child care work. None offered a definite plan or proposal, nor did they indicate that adequate funding was available at this time.

(c) Inquiries were made to the area Presbyteries to see if there was an interest in the Presbyteries sponsoring a retirement home. This was to no avail.

6. The cost of operation at this time consumes all the various incomes of the Home, even though we are not operating.

After much deliberation, We, the Dunlap Board, submit the opinion of the lawyers retained by the Board and make the following recommendations:

We recommend that:

1. Synod should sell the central campus area of 9.06 acres and all buildings thereon and seek court instructions as to the disposal of the money so raised. (NOT APOPTED.)
2. Disposal of all other property to be left to the discretion of the General Synod. (NOT APOPTED.)

Motion was made that the recommendation to Synod be accepted. The motion was seconded. Motion was carried with one dissenting vote.

This report submitted and approved by the Board.

PAUL K. SHANNON, Chairman

The Board of Trustees
William H. Dunlap Orphanage
Brighton, Tennessee 38011

Re: Sale of William H. Dunlap
Orphanage Property
Civil District No. 8
Tipton County, Tennessee

Gentlemen:

As we pointed out in our letter of January 12, 1979, the 340 acres in Civil District No. 8 of Tipton County, Tennessee, known as the William H. Dunlap Orphanage Property, was conveyed in trust in the year 1903 by two separate instruments to the Associate Reform Presbyterian Synod of the South and its Trustees and their respective successors in office. These trust instruments are identical with respect to the conditions of the trust under which the property was conveyed.

The trust instruments provide that the purpose of the trust was for the maintenance, support and education of orphans who are without means of support and education. The trust instruments, however, specifically authorize the Trustees and the governing body of the Associated Reform Presbyterian Synod of the South to sell the property when, in the judgment of the Synod, it is necessary to do so because it is impractical to maintain the home and the premises. The trust instruments also provide that any purchaser of such a sale would take free and clear of any obligation of the Trustees and would not be required to see to the applicaton of the funds. This being the case, I am, therefore, of the opinion that the Associated Reform Presbyterian Synod could pass good title to a purchaser under the authority granted it in the trust deed. The governing body of the Synod, however, would have to adopt a resolution

determining that it was not longer practical to maintain the home and the premises and authorize the sale of the property.

Such a sale as described above would create a knotty problem as to what disposition should be made of the proceeds of the sale. The trust instrument under which the Synod took the title specifically required that the funds from such a sale be reinvested in another home which would be named William H. Dunlap Orphanage. Unless the proceeds of the sale were reinvested as described in the trust instrument, the governing body of the Synod should seek judicial instruction as to permissive uses of the proceeds of the sale so as to avoid any possible liability for misuse of the funds.

To obtain judicial instruction would necessitate filing a lawsuit in a Court of competent jurisdiction joining all necessary parties and interests and ask the Court for appropriate instructions. It would appear to me that the probable forum in which this determination should be made is the appropriate Court of the County wherein the real estate lies, i.e. Tipton County, Tennessee.

I am likewise of the opinion that judicial instruction would have to be obtained if the decision was to retain the real estate and to put it to some other use other than that described in the trust instrument. Again this would have to be a lawsuit commenced in the appropriate Courts of Tipton County, Tennessee.

I trust this fully answers your inquiry, but if not please advise at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,
TIPTON, TIPTON & ACREE

REQUEST FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY (NOT ADOPTED)

Whereas, the A. R. Presbyterian Church has only had a retirement program in recent years; and

Whereas, as a result of the brief history of the A. R. Presbyterian retirement program, many retired ministers and employees of the General Synod of the A. R. Presbyterian Church and their widows are receiving less than adequate retirement compensation to meet their daily needs; and

Whereas, It is the feeling, by and large, of the membership of the General Synod of the A. R. Presbyterian Church that its employees should receive just and adequate compensation at retirement; and

Whereas, With the revenue derived from the sale of Dunlap properties, there now exists the possibility of a more adequate funding of the A. R. Presbyterian retirement program; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved, That the one-hundred and seventy-fifth meeting of the General Synod of the A. R. Presbyterian Church concurring herein;

That the properties of Dunlap be sold and the proceeds derived therefrom be used for the purpose of more adequately funding of the retirement program.

Special prayer was held for the fathers of Mr. Zeb Williams and Mr. J. R. Wolff, and for Mr. Harris Blair, Mr. R. C. Kennedy, Mr. E. Gettys, Mr. Mark Grier, Mr. A. K. Whitesides, and other brethren who are ill.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Executive Board was presented. An amendment to delete Rule VI, b of the Proposed Change of the *Rules of Order* was adopted as this will be a part of the study of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs. The report was adopted as amended.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE BOARD

Your committee reviewed the entire report of the Executive Board of Synod and calls attention to the following items of the Report:

Referrals of the Executive Board and Actions of the Executive Board.

Your committee also received and reviewed Recommendation No. 5 of the report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations.

With reference to the recommendation of the Executive Board and Recommendation No. 5 of the Report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, your committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That Recommendations No. 1 and No. 2 of the Executive Board Report be adopted.
2. With reference to Recommendation No. 3 of the Executive Board Report and Recommendation No. 5 of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, your committee recommends that the Manual of Authorities and Duties as submitted by the Executive Board be adopted with the following amendments:
   a. That Duty No. 3 be change to read as follows: "To maintain fraternal relationship through written greetings and/or **exchange of delegates** to the annual. . . ." (addition of Moderator's Committee underlined.)
   b. That Duty No. 2 be changed to read as follows: "To present to the Nominating Committee of the General Synod names for consideration for nomination for fraternal delegate for **assignment during the following calendar year** to the Synods of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Mexico and Pakistan and other denominational bodies as directed by the Synod. **In the event a selected delegate is unable to serve it shall be the duty of the Chairman of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations to make a suitable appointment of a substitute."**
   c. That Duty No. 7 be changed to read as follows: "To host delegates from organizations not **mentioned herein** but specifically invited by Synod and present them to the General Synod".

   That a note be added following "Duties" of the Inter-Church Relations Committee as follows: "Policies with regard to Inter-Church Relations previously approved by the General Synod which are not in conflict with these revisions of the Manual of Authorities and Duties shall continue in full force unless and until revoked."
3. That Recommendations No. 4 through No. 9 be adopted.

Your committee recommends the adoption of the report as a whole, with the recommended amendments.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

The Executive Board held four regular meetings since the last General Synod meeting. The activity of the Board is reflected in the following report:

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center:

It was with great joy that the Executive Board received the gift of the Camperdown Building from the Camp-Younts Foundation. Resolutions with regard to the new Center (attached to this report) were presented to the Board of Stewardship and a request from the pro tem trustees of the facility to the Executive Board was made, "that the Executive Board authorize the Board of Stewardship to provide advance funds as requested for the initial operation of the building for relocation of tenants and for adapting the space for the denominational offices. These funds will be returned to the denomination at some future date."

The question of rent from agencies using the facility was referred to the Board of Stewardship for recommendation. The Executive Board then stated

its support of the Moderator, approving his appointment of the pro tem trustees and their actions and the trustees were then made a committee of the Executive Board. The Board moved to grant the ARP Center authorization to spend unused budget funds for equipment purposes.

The Executive Board approved the recommended guidelines submitted by the Board of Stewardship with regard to payment of rent:

a. That the agencies of Synod utilizing the Center pay rent to the Building Account on a monthly basis, such total rent not to exceed the amount previously budgeted for expenditure in the A.R.P. Center budget ($11,178 in 1978), and that this policy be reviewed on an annual basis by the Board of Stewardship, based on an evaluation of the operating stability of the Center Facility.

b. That the funds for paying this rent for 1979 (for agencies other than the A.R.P. Center itself) be allocated from the realized gain on the Pelham Point property direct to the budget of Christian Education, Church Extension, Foreign Missions, and *The A.R.P.* Rent for future years, if approved, will be a budget item for these agencies. An estimate of the allocations necessary are as follows: (These figures may have to be revised based on actual space):

A.R.P. Center	2,055 sq. ft.	$ 6,714*
Christian Education	542 sq. ft.	1,644
Church Extension	220 sq. ft.	672
Foreign Missions	360 sq. ft.	1,128
The A.R.P.	334 sq. ft.	1,020
	3,511 sq. ft.	$11,178

* Includes *all* common space. The funds to pay this rent will come from the budget of the Center as approved by the General Synod.

With regard to oversight of the ARP Center Facility, the Executive Board approved the following:

a. That the Trustees be nominated by the General Synod's Committee on Nominations and that there be three Trustees, each appointed for a three-year term.

b. That the initial committee be appointed for terms expiring June 30, 1980; June 30, 1981; and June 30, 1982.

The plaque to be placed in the new Center was approved to read:

"This building and property given by Camp-Younts Foundation to the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to be used for the glory of God and the furtherance of His Kingdom."

The Center moving and equipment purchase costs were approved and the revised Center budget for 1979 was adopted for presentation to General Synod.

The Executive Board moved that upon request office space would be provided for the WSU in the Center.

In the matter of additional expansion of board programs, the Executive Board adopted the following standard:

"That as any board contemplates additional programs to those specifically approved for support by the A.R.P. Synod, which may call for additional program support by the Center, a projection of needs and costs be presented by that Board to the Executive Board for study and approval prior to the instigation of the program.

If program support by the Center is not approved by the Executive Board, any additional expenses and personnel support such programs need, must be found outside the A.R.P. Center."

The report of the special committee to assist in the preparation of the 1980 Center and Executive Board budgets was presented and adopted for submission to the Board of Stewardship. A copy of the 1980 proposed budgets are attached.

The 1979 Budget of the A.R.P. Center Facility was approved and attached to this report.

Referrals by the Executive Board:

The Executive Board made the following referrals to other agencies of the General Synod.

1. To the Board of Stewardship: The Executive Board asked that some vehicles be set up so that gifts to the denomination may be received. (8-4-78)
2. To the Lay Ministry Committee: The Moderator is to present on behalf of the Executive Board the concern for the lack of men's organizations in 112 of our congregations. (8-4-78)
3. To the Board of Church Extension: A request that the board provide for the possibilities for better work in the field of specific programs of evangelism. (8-4-78)
4. To the Committee on Nominations: A paper with regard to the status of WSU representatives was adopted for forwarding to the committee and the WSU President. (8-4-78)
5. To the Committee on Nominations: The Nominating Committee was advised of the vacancy in the assistant clerk's office. (8-4-78)
6 To the Judicial Commission: A letter from the UPUSA Church concerning a friend of the court brief was referred to the Judicial Commission. (8-4-78)
7. To the Committee on Nominations: For the questions concerning WSU representatives nominated for denominational positions a referral was made to the Committee on Nominations. (11-10-78)
8. To the Presbyteries: Trouble areas in voluntary commitment receipts were communicated to the Stewardship Committees of the appropriate Presbyteries. (11-10-78)
9. To the Board of Stewardship: A communication from JAARS was referred. (11-10-78)
10. To the Committee on Interchurch Relations: A letter from WARC was referred. (11-10-78)
11. To the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns: The request from PCUS for comment on the mission study was referred. (11-10-78)
12. To the Board of Stewardship: The Executive Board encouraged the Board of Stewardship to recommend to the Presbyteries that the Presbyteries send representatives to congregations which have withheld or reduced their Voluntary Commitments, to explain the needs and personally encourage the congregations to refrain from such actions. (4-6-79)
13. To the Judicial Commission: A motion carried that the Judicial Commission begin a study concerning the extent of the authority of the Executive Board with regard to the actions of presbyteries, and whole area of the subject of "Transfer of Jurisdiction" in the **Book of Discipline.** (4-6-79)

Executive Board Actions:

The Executive Board reports the following actions to General Synod 1979:

1. A special committee was appointed to investigate proper recognition of past moderators. Following extensive work by the committee, the following action was taken. A special edition of the Cambridge Bible with

suitable engraving will be presented to the past moderators and widows of moderators involved.
A wall plaque will be placed in the ARP Center with all moderators' names, past, present, and future, to be engraved on it.

2. The Executive Board recommends altering the report forms as follows for 1979:
Statistical Report, add lines for "Baptisms" and "Family Units."
Congregational Report, add a line "Church Name."
Additionally, a thorough study of the forms should be done in 1979-1980.
3. Mr. Michael Bender was approved by the Board as Vice Moderator-elect, pro tem.
4. A special committee was appointed to study the matter of interchurch relations and fraternal delegates. The subsequent report of that committee was adopted for recommendation to the General Synod, and is attached.
5. Necessary actions were taken to include or provide for all alterations in the MANUAL OF AUTHORITIES AND DUTIES as were adopted by the 1978 meeting of the General Synod.
6. The Executive Board acted to delete the printing of the program of the General Synod in the MINUTES OF THE GENERAL SYNOD. Additionally, the roll of the Moderator's Committees will not be printed.
7. The ARP Center was authorized to reprint the STANDARDS with a possibility of including the RULES OF ORDER.
8. The Executive Board approved the procedure whereby the ARP Center might make known across the denomination those ministers lost by death.
9. The Board of Dunlap: The Executive Board added to the directives of the General Synod that the Board be granted permission to investigate the possibilities of *Teen Challenge*.
10. Prosperity, North Carolina: A request from Prosperity Church with regard to transfer to Florida Presbytery was received by the Executive Board. The Executive Board took the following actions:

    That the references from Mr. Beard and Mr. Hogan be sent as advice to the Presbytery in answer to its reference of the Prosperity Church transfer request;
    That First Presbytery be advised that it is the understanding of the Executive Board that the General Synod has the authority to fix the boundaries of Presbyteries, and that the Presbytery does not have authority to transfer congregations across those boundaries; and
    That the Executive Board advise and request a month of prayer on the part of First Presbytery and Prosperity Church on a daily basis, and that following the month, both parties seek to meet and resolve their differences;
    and, that the Moderator appoint a committee to confer on a pastoral basis with representatives of First Presbytery and the Prosperity ARP Church to seek to resolve the differences which presently exist.

The Committee subsequently reported that First Presbytery has appointed a commission to work on reconciliation with the congregation, which has voted to withdraw, and therefore the Presbytery does not feel it necessary to make use of this special committee.

11. Committee on Reconciliation: The Executive Board approved the following motion:

    "In view of the continuing division in the Associate Reformed Presterian Church and in view of the difficulties involved in resolving

this division at the regular meetings of the General Synod, I move that the Moderator of Synod appoint four persons, preferably two from each side of the division, to select a representative group of not more than forty persons from across our denomination and to convene a meeting of that group for the purpose of resolving the deep division in our General Synod."

The report of the Committee on Reconciliation was then received by the Executive Board as information, and is transmitted, with the endorsement of the executive Board, to the General Synod for its consideration. The report is attached to this report.

12. Memorials: The Executive Board adopted a procedure that Presbyteries submit the memorials for deceased ministers to the Principal Clerk for inclusion in the **Minutes of General Synod.** A subsequent action limits these memorials to 350 words.
13. Pastoral Letter: The Executive Board requested the Moderator to send to each Session and Board of Deacons a pastoral letter discouraging the practice of withholding funds.
14. Bicentennial Anniversary: The Executive Board voted to approve the seeking of Dr. Billy Graham for the speaker for the Bicentennial Anniversary.
15. Emphasis: The Executive Board adopted for presentation to General Synod the Committee on Emphasis Report.
16. The Program for General Synod was adopted for submission to the General Synod.
17. With regard to questions concerning the terms of service of members of Boards and Committees of the General Synod, the Executive Board affirmed its support for the present system.
18. Rules of Order changes were proposed and adopted for submission to the General Synod. The proposed changes are attached.
19. The Rules of Procedure for the meeting of the General Synod were altered to conform to the Rules of Order and present custom, and are attached for adoption by the Synod.
20. The Book of Jonah was approved as the denominational study book for 1982, and is submitted to the General Synod for approval for use in that year.
21. The redistribution of the Ola B. Hunter Trust Fund income was made necessary by the closing of Dunlap, a 20% beneficiary. The Executive Board voted to concur with the Board of Stewardship proposal that the amount be divided equally between the other two beneficiaries, the Ministerial Insurance and Retirement, and the Board of Erskine College.
22. The Executive Board voted to allow decisions concerning computer resources to be made by the Board of Stewardship.
23. Upon request of the Chairman of the Special Committee on Priorities, the Chairman of the Board of Stewardship was added to the membership of the Committee.

Recommendations

1. That the General Synod approve the actions of the Executive Board relative to the A.R.P. Center as noted in the report of the Board.

2. That the Statistical Report Forms be altered by the addition of a line for "Baptisms" and a line for "Family Units," and that the Congregational Report Form include a line for "Church Name." Further, that the report forms be thoroughly studied in '79-'80, with further amendments recommended to General Synod in 1980. (NOTE: By previous action this study is to be done by the Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study.)

3. That the General Synod adopt the attached alterations to the "Manual of Authorities and Duties" with regard to the Interchurch Relations Committee. (AMENDED.)
4. That the General Synod consider the attached report of the Committee on Reconciliation which the Executive Board has received as information, and transmits to the Synod with its endorsement.
5. That the Committee on Emphasis report, as attached, be adopted.
6. That the proposed Rules of Order changes, as attached, be adopted.
7. That the proposed Rules of Procedure, as attached, be adopted. (See Appendix.)
8. That the denominational study book for 1982 be the book of Jonah.
9. That all other activity of the Executive Board reported herein be approved by the General Synod.

Respectfully,

C. B. TODD, Moderator and Chairman
C. R. BEARD, Principal Clerk

COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS (AMENDED)

MEMBERSHIP: **AT LARGE:** Eight members, one of whom shall be nominated from a name or names submitted by the W.S.U.
YOUTH REPRESENTATIVE: One

TERMS OF SERVICE: **AT LARGE:** Four years
YOUTH REPRESENTATIVE: One Year.

STATED MEETINGS: At least annually.

ORGANIZATION: **Officers:** Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary.

AUTHORITY: The Committee on Inter-Church Relations is responsible for maintaining relations with church bodies and interdenominational agencies as specified by the General Synod.

In the exercise of its authority, the Committee on Inter-Church Relations shall comply with the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

DUTIES:

1. To present to the Nominations Committee of the General Synod names for consideration for nomination as delegates to the North American Council of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches, The Lord's Day Alliance, the American Bible Society, Pan Presbyterian Conference and the Reformed Ecumenical Synod; to present to the Nominating Committee of the General Synod names for consideration for nomination as observers (delegates upon approval of membership) to the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council; and to receive and review reports from these bodies as well as from the delegates sent to them and disseminate information from these reports through the denominational magazine.
2. To present to the Nominating Committee of the General Synod names for consideration for nomination as fraternal delegates to the Synods of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Mexico and Pakistan and other denominational bodies as directed by the Synod. (AMENDED.)
3. To maintain fraternal relationships through written greetings to the annual meetings of the denominations approved by the General Synod, which as of this date are the Christian Reformed Church, Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Presbyterian Church in America, Presbyterian Church in the United States, Reformed Church in America, Reformed Presbyterian Church Evangelical Synod, Reformed

Presbyterian Church in North America, and the United Presbyterian Church in the USA. Representatives sent to any body shall be elected through the nominating process of the General Synod and shall not state or imply our denomination's commitment to any position not officially taken by our General Synod. (AMENDED.)

4. To investigate and study ecumenical relations that would be beneficial to Synod and to make recommendations accordingly.
5. To evaluate present relations of our church with other church bodies and interdenominational agencies and to make recommendations accordingly.
6. To prepare an annual budget for submission to the General Synod, which shall include membership fees for interdenominational bodies, our fraternal delegates' and representatives' expenses, hospitality for fraternal delegates and representatives attending our Genral Synod (but not their travel expenses), Inter-Church Relations Committee meeting and travel expense, and when necessary, assistance in bringing Mexican and Pakistan delegates to our General Synod.
7. To host delegates from organizations specifically invited by Synod and present them to the General Synod. (AMENDED.)
8. To make an annual report to the General Synod including an index listing of all reports received by the Committee during the year.

THE COMMITTEE ON EMPHASES

Theme for the 1980's: One Body and One Spirit
Ephesians 4:4-6

Theme for 1980: Working Together in Evangelism
I Peter 2:9

Overall Implementation Suggestions:

A. Monthly emphasis articles in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**

B. A printed brochure with widespread distribution to introduce emphases for the year (cost, ca. $750).

C. Presentation in the **Plan Book** and the **Prayer Calendar.**

D. Local implementation:
   1. Appropriate sermons and worship services.
   2. Use of one or more of the suggested action projects.
   3. Special study on a selection of the monthly emphases.

Monthly Emphases:

January: Declaring God's Deeds: Prayer; Colossians 4:2-4

The Apostle Paul knew, as we too must know, how profoundly his own ministry depended on prayer, his own prayers and those of others in the Christian community. The witness of the Church must begin with the prayers of the Church. When we pray that God "may open . . . a door for the word," we are not only praying that the Church may be strengthened in its witness to the world, we are also offering ourselves to walk through the doors that God truly does open before us.

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan a series of Bible studies on prayer.
2. Begin one or more new small prayer groups among the members of the congregation.
3. Provide **Prayer Calendars** and other daily devotional aids for members, hospitals, prisons, nursing homes.
4. Set up a telephone prayer ministry.

February: Declaring God's Deeds: Worship and Music; Psalm 107:31-32

The worship of Christian people is one of the ways that we not only glorify God and strengthen ourselves for His service, but also proclaim the fullness of His love, mercy, and redemption in our lives. When an elderly man, blind and almost totally deaf, was asked why he continued to attend the public worship services of the church with weekly regularity, he answered, "To show which side I'm on!" Worship truly is part of our witness.

Suggested action projects:

1. Ask the choir director to help the congregation learn at least one new hymn each month.
2. Plan a special series of studies on the Biblical and historical foundations for Christian worship.
3. Present a special worship service centering on the use of the Psalms in public worship.
4. Conduct worship services for local nursing homes, prisons, and hospitals.

March: Declaring God's Deeds: Preaching; II Timothy 4:1-2

From time to time, critics of the Church try to persuade us that preaching is out-of-style, out-of-date, and no longer an effective method of sharing the Good News. Each time, we must learn anew that although there are other effective ways of declaring God's deeds, none of them are substitutes for preaching. The sermon is here to stay, a fact which Dwight L. Moody acknowledged when he commented that "the best way to revive a church is to build a fire in the pulpit."

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan small-group sessions for analysis and discussion of the pastor's sermons.
2. Make plans for a special seasonal preaching mission for the church.
3. Provide an opportunity for members to suggest texts and topics they would like to see addressed in the pastor's sermons.
4. Prepare for the church newsletter an article on creative sermon listening.

April: Declaring God's Deeds: Youth Ministries; I Timothy 4:12

A pastor once commented that "young people are the church of tomorrow." He was, of course, at least half right: in a few years today's youth will assume the official roles of leadership in the life of the church. But it is equally true that young Christians are the church today, just as much a part of the body of Christ as the most venerable elder or the most highly respected president emeritus of the Woman's Society. Young people have a vital role to play in the witness of the Church right now, in the days of their youth.

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan concrete ways to encourage full youth participation in the life of the church.
2. Encourage youth participation in Candy Stripers and other community service programs.
3. Assist in forming a youth service group to help home-bound members, elderly people, and others in the congregation and community with special needs.
4. Provide training in personal Christian witnessing for young people.

May: Declaring God's Deeds: Christian Training; Deuteronomy 6:4-9

From the earliest times, God has called His people to preserve the Good News, to learn it, and teach it. Christians in 1980 are still called to be part of the process of education in the church and the home. Through good Christian

training many have been brought face to face with God's claims in their lives and have been led to commit themselves to Jesus Christ. Then, as the process of Christian education continued, they were enabled to grow in their knowledge of God's will and were equipped to serve and witness more effectively.

Suggested action projects:

1. Encourage the session to study carefully the entire Christian education program and make positive plans to strengthen it.
2. Plan a special weekend or one-day retreat for adults.
3. Provide a major training opportunity for teachers in the church school.
4. Plan an all-day trip for young people to the campus of Erskine College and Seminary.
5. Offer Christian education programs for homebound members, nursing homes, prisons, day nurseries, and other community facilities.

June: Declaring God's Deeds: Special Ministeries; Matthew 5:14-16

A young Christian was once asked this question: "By whose preaching were you converted?" His answer? "It wasn't by anyone's preaching. It was by someone's practicing." As Christian people find special needs in the world and seek, in the Saviour's name, to minister to those needs, they are proclaiming the Good News of God's love. In Matthew 25, our Lord Himself offered an impressive list of special ministries and assured us that as we serve others we also serve Him.

Suggested action projects:

1. Provide church school or vacation Bible school classes for exceptional children and adults.
2. Plan the use of church facilities for special summer community recreation programs.
3. Form small groups to study special community needs and recommend ways that the church can help meet those needs.
4. Form special service-fellowship-sharing groups for the elderly, the single parents, singles in general.

July: Declaring God's Deeds: The Individual Human Life; Mark 5:18-20

We may never know how much what we say and do will touch and affect another's life. It is true, however, that God has used the witness of individual Christian lives to draw men and women and young people to Him. The story of Jesus and the Garasene demoniac repays careful study in all of its details, but we should notice especially that Jesus sends the man to tell his friends "how much the Lord has done for you," and that one result of the witness of that individual life is that "all men marveled."

Suggested action projects:

1. Provide training in personal Christian witnessing for interested members of the congregation.
2. Plan an organized program of visitation within the congregation and the community.
3. Conduct a "talent search" within the congregation to find members who can serve in various aspects of the church program.

August: Declaring God's Deeds: Mission to Communities; Luke 13:34-35; 19:41-44

The Bible presents a number of srtiking images of concern for those gathered human communities we know as cities. We need only remember Abraham's appeals on behalf of Sodom in Genesis 18, God's zeal for the salvation of the people of Nineveh in the book of Job, and our Lord weeping over Jerusalem.

In our own age we have seen great cities at the brink of moral and fiscal collapse and the tragic results of urban blight. Surely we are called to be witnesses in word and deed to our human communities.

Suggested action projects:

1. Recommend to the members worthwhile community service agencies and encourage them to volunteer their time and talents.
2. Plan a Christian education outreach for sections of your community not ordinarily reached by the church, for example, an extension church school class.
3. Encourage church members to participate fully in the processes of local government.
4. Invite community leaders to speak on local problems and the role of the church in finding solutions to those problems.
5. Ask your presbytery Church Extension Committee to assist the church in looking for church development possibilities.

September: Declaring God's Deeds: World Mission; Matthew 28:16-20

"The Great Commission" still sends us out to declare God's deeds to all the nations. As we claim the opportunities to take the Good News to the world, in a strange way we also strengthen the church at home. An artist was asked once to paint a picture of a dying church. When he finished, his painting showed an offering box labeled "World Missions," and over the opening in the box an undisturbed spider web appeared. A living church is a church with a message for the world.

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan a major missions emphasis with appropriate films, speakers, and discussions.
2. Form a group to study independent mission organizations and report their findings to the congregation.
3. Consider increasing direct support of Associate Reformed Presbyterian missionaries for 1981.
4. Provide scholarship help for young people interested in mission service.

October: Declaring God's Deeds: Financial Commitment; II Corinthians 9:6-15

Perhaps we do not often think of our financial commitment as an essential part of our Christian witness. Our giving however, has a vital role to play in the overall outreach of the church. Our offerings buy bandages and Bibles, support missionaries and ministers, provide worship and witness. And the very fact that gifts are brought freely and joyfully demonstrates the gratitude we feel toward God, who has given so freely and joyfully to us.

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan a congregational fellowship dinner with a guest speaker on financial stewardship.
2. Conduct a carefully planned every-member stewardship visitation in the congregation.
3. Plan a special series of in-depth studies on the Biblical bases for financial stewardship.
4. Prepare visual aids to present effectively the budget needs of the congregation, the presbytery, and the General Synod.

November: Declaring God's Deeds: Our Denomination; Revelation 2:1-7

Denominations in our modern sense were certainly not a part of the church in the first century. Reading through the letters to the churches in Revelation 2 and 3, however, we certainly find much that speaks directly to our own situation as Associate Reformed Presbyterians. As part of this arm of the one

great body of Christ's Church, we, too, are called to endurance and energy, loyalty and love, purity and perseverance. A strong, committed, unified denomination can be a positive Christian witness to the world.

Suggested action projects:

1. Present a series of studies on the history, doctrine, government, and mission of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.
2. Plan an "Associate Reformed Presbyterian Fair," at which different classes and groups will present various aspects and activities of the denomination in skits and exhibits. Invite members of neighboring churches to attend.
3. Plan a trip to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, or invite a Center representative to speak to your congregation.
4. Arrange for every family in the congregation to receive **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** regularly.

December: Declaring God's Deeds: The Congregation; John 13:34-35

A few years ago, the young people were singing these words: "They'll know we are Christians by our love." As we read through the description of the church in the early chapters of Acts, we capture something of the meaning of that song. The life of the Christian congregation, the fellowship of faith and the concern that reaches out to one another in the church can be a strong, positive witness to what God has done for us in Jesus Christ.

Suggested action projects:

1. Plan a fellowship dinner. As part of the program present in a graphic way the history and progress of the congregation.
2. Make special plans to welcome visitors when they attend worship services and other programs of the congregation.
3. Organize a special committee to identify and help meet needs that arise within the congregation.
4. Write newsletter articles to introduce new members to the congregation.

RULES OF ORDER—RECOMMENDED CHANGES

I. **Section I, Constituting the Court**

a. Change the sentence beginning "The Roll of Voting Members . . ." to read: "At the first business session the Principal Clerk shall constitute the Roll of Voting Members in a manner approved by the Court."

b. Add to Item A, "according to the Form of Government Chapter XIII, C.).

c. Add a sentence to Item A., as follows: "Ministers must register at Synod's Registration to be recorded as present on the Official Roll of Synod."

II. **Section II, A., Election or Appointment of Officers.**

a. Change Section II. A. heading to read: "Election of Officers."

b. Change II. A. 2, to read as follows:

"2. **Vice-Moderator.** A vice-moderator elect shall be elected by the Court for a specific period one year before service. The vice-moderator elect must be a Teaching or Ruling Elder and shall be nominated from the floor, and shall previously have assured his nominator of his willingness to serve, if elected. Voting shall be by secret ballot, if more than one person is nominated. The moderator-elect shall be allowed to submit a name to the Court. The vice-moderator

elect shall become the moderator-elect in the event of the death, resignation, or other incapacities of the moderator-elect."
(NOTE: The section underlined would be a new addition. The other section has been approved in principal by the General Synod and has been submitted to the presbyteries.)

III. **Section II, B. 1., Duties of Moderator.** Delete duty 1. a. and renumber subsequent duties accordingly.

IV. **Section IV, Moderator's Committees.** "The Moderator's Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports shall be composed of the Stated Clerks of each Presbytery, a Ruling Elder from each Presbytery, and a representative from the Committee on Historical Concerns." (NOTE: This was changed by the subsequent report of the Moderator's Committee Report on Presbytery Records.)

V. **Section VI, A., Add to Item A—Matters to be Considered by the Court.** In line 4, change "in duplicate" to read "in triplicate." Note: The Moderator has brought to our attention that three official copies are needed: one each for the Moderator, Principal Clerk, and Reading Clerk (or person presenting the report if other than reading clerk).

VI. **Section VII, Deliberations of the Court.** NOTE: Our Rules of Order has omitted two important items: Explanation of **Motion to Reconsider,** and guidelines for **Minority Reports.** The following suggestions are directed to those items.

a. **Under Section VII, A.1.** Add the following sentences:
"The Motion to Reconsider is a main motion and can be made only by one who voted on the prevailing side. Anyone may second the motion. The motion to reconsider can be made only on the day the vote was taken or the day after. It cannot be amended and is undebatable if the motion to reconsider is undebatable. If the motion is carried, the original motion is again open to discussion and vote. No question can be twice reconsidered unless it was materially amended after its first reconsideration. Certain affirmative votes and certain negative votes cannot be reconsidered."

b. **Under Section VI, Matters to be Considered by the Court:** Add Sec. D.
"D. **Minority Reports.** It is the right of the minority to submit in writing, either together or each member separately, their views. A minority report (s) by a member (s) of a Board, standing committee, or special committee will be filed with the Bill Clerk prior to the close of the first business session, in the same format as the majority report. The report shall commence thus: "The undersigned, a minority of the (**Name of board or committee**)," etc., continuing as the majority report. After the reading, or presentation of the majority report, the minority report shall be presented and considered as a substitute to the majority report. Members submitting a minority report shall state their intentions to the majority before submitting a minority report. Minority reports for Moderator's Committees shall observe the same procedures as outlined above, except they shall be considered at the time of the presentation of the Moderator's Committee Report."
(NOTE: NOT ADOPTED.)

VII. **Section VII, B., Leave of Absence.** This present provision is totally ignored. Change to read:
"B. **Leave of Absence.** Members who are unable to attend the meeting of the Court shall submit a written excuse to the Principal or Stated Clerk. Members who must leave the meeting before final adjournment shall submit a written excuse for that portion of the meeting to be missed. Reasons for the excuse should be stated. Members are encouraged **not** to leave the Court without the permission of the Moderator."

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, The Camp-Younts Foundation has generously provided the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination with the means to provide central offices for the denomination, and

WHEREAS, the principals of the Camp-Younts Foundation, Mr. Charles R. Younts, L.H.D., and his wife, Mrs. Billie Camp Younts have expressed a desire that the property never be mortgaged and further desire that if the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church should cease to exist as the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination, that the facility provided, or the proceeds realized from the sale of such property be returned to the Camp-Younts Foundation.

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved that by a joint resolution the Executive Board of Synod, acting on behalf of the General Synod and the Board of Stewardship of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, stipulate that the property presently known as the Camperdown Building, One Cleveland Street, Greenville, South Carolina, shall not be mortgaged.

Be It Further Resolved that should the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church cease to exist as the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination, the property or the proceeds from the sale of the property shall be returned to the Camp-Younts Foundation.

Be It Further Resolved that in the event the present facilities shall become unserviceable, insufficient, or undesirable as the central offices, any proceeds from the sale of such property shall be maintained in trust by the Board of Stewardship to be used for providing space or central offices for the denomination.

Adopted this 4th Day of August, 1978.

RESOLVED: That the property known as The Camperdown Building, One Cleveland Street, Greenville, South Carolina, vested in the name of the "Board of Stewardship of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, an eleemosynary corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina and as the designated legal entity of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church," shall not be sold, transferred, or otherwise disposed of without the expressed consent or directive of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Adopted this 4th Day of August, 1978.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER FACILITY BUDGET FOR 1979

INCOME

Assets on Hand	$ 3,839.62
Anticipated Rent from Tenants	25,800.00
Anticipated Rent from General Synod	11,178.00
Interest on Savings	100.00
	$ 40,917.62

EXPENSES

Janitorial Service	$ 6,200.00
Utilities	
Electricity	9,880.00
Gas	2,770.00
Water	150.00
Sewer	75.00
Supplies	170.00
Repairs and Maintenance	
HVAC	1,500.00
General	500.00
Plumbing	50.00
Landscaping	450.00
Management	2,100.00
Payment to Furman Co.	1,317.72
Payment to General Synod	9,478.92
Interest Payment to General Synod	663.52
Expenditure of C. R. Younts Fund for Building	2,688.06
Contingency	2,924.40
	$ 40,917.62

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD
Budget for 1980

EXPENDITURES

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center	$ 74,975
Executive Board	
Board Travel and Expenses	1,500
Emphases' Committee	500
Officers of Synod:	
Principal Clerk Honorarium and Expenses	1,750
Reading Clerk Honorarium and Expenses	650
Bill Clerk Honorarium	100
Moderator Expenses	2,000
Treasurer of Synod	
Salary	6,420
Employer Tax	394
Travel	750
Expense Allowance	960
Insurance	400
Printing of Minutes of Synod	7,500
Synod Meeting Expense	800

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER

PERSONNEL	1980
Director's Salary	$ 19,416
Bookkeeper	8,902
Secretary A	7,704
Secretary B	7,650
Secretary C	6,972
Social Security Tax	3,104
Retirement (Director)	1,553
Employee Insurance	1,200
Workman's Compensation	200
GENERAL OPERATING	
Equipment Lease and Purchase	750
Equipment Maintenance	1,875
Telephone	2,195
Postage	800
General Office	4,665
United Parcel Services	275
Rent	6,714
Contingency	1,000
	$ 74,975

The Report of the Committee on Reconciliation to the Executive Board of Synod was considered. A motion that the General Synod adopt the recommendation and resolutions of the Committee on Reconciliation was presented.

The motion was amended to change the Resolution on Biblical Authority to read as follows:

> "We believe Christ is the Son of God. We believe God the Father gave His Son to save us from our sins. We believe that the Holy Spirit reveals Christ to us through the Holy Scripture which is the Word of God written. While we do not have the original autographs as evidence, we believe on faith that God's Word in its entirety was accurately recorded by the original writers through divine inspiration and reliably transmitted to us. We affirm that salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ and Him alone."

The motion, as amended, was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RECONCILIATION TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

The Committee on Reconciliation met at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Due West, S. C. on February 15-16, 1979. In compliance with the action taken by the Executive Board of Synod, forty persons participated. The participants belonged to six of our seven presbyteries and included both teaching and ruling elders. Plans for the two day format included prayer, meditation on Scripture, and papers on "Biblical Authority" and "Concerns About the A.R.P. Church and Its Direction." Opportunities for Christian fellowship were also provided in the program.

The following persons participated in the meeting:

Alexander, Anne
Barker, Jim
Beard, Ronald
Beckham, Roy
Bender, Mike
Carlisle, Charles
Cannon, Olin
Carson, John
Coad, Jim
Coleman, Walter
Corbitt, Jim
Dale, Hugh
Edwards, Charles
Elliott, Bob
Fee, Jim
Fincher, Tom
Grier, Bob
Hunt, Frank
Hunt, Jamie
Irby, Steve
Lauderdale, Chap
Letchworth, Gary
Lindley, W. M.
Long, Hazel
McCalla, Harry
McCants, Clyde
McCullough, Francis
Oates, Grady
Orr, Will
Patrick, Mike *
Pearson, Dwight
Richardson, Lonnie
Robinson, Bob
Ruble, Randy
Stuart, Bill (Sr.)
Todd, Charles
Vernon, Dodd
Edgar, Charles
Young, Jim
Young, Reynolds

A resolution on Biblical authority was adopted by 38 of the 40 participants. The Rev. Tom Fincher and the Rev. Steve Irby abstained from voting. That resolution is attached to this report.

The committee adopted a resolution on the usefulness of the meeting and its possible value for the future. That resolution is as follows:

> "We believe that this meeting has been helpful and constructive for all of us who have participated in it and we offer our thanks to Almighty God for His presence in our meeting together.
>
> We believe that further meetings of this nature could make a positive contribution to the unity and mission of our denomination by creating understanding and renewal in the life of the Spirit among us and among the people with whom we labor in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church."

The committee recommends that a feasibility study be made on the operation of Erskine Seminary under a separate Board of Trustees.

In a spirit of unity and optimism about the future of our denomination, the committee adopted the following resolution:

> "That we covenant together to do everything within our power by the grace of God to work for reconciliation within our churches and among the people of our denomination."

The committee adopted the following resolution:

> "While we recognize that we are a part of the church universal, in order to dispel the fears held by some in our church, that we declare that we are not candidates at this time for organic church union with any ecclesiastical body and that we discourage any efforts on the part of

* Joe Patrick was the participant on Friday afternoon.

ministers and congregations to promote or indulge in union conversations. We declare that we are willing to work in fellowship to be one in Jesus Christ."

The following resolution was also adopted:

"That we pledge ourselves to the spirit of cooperation and conciliation demonstrated in the formulation of our statement on the authority of Scripture. That this same spirit be implemented in all the matters that divide our Synod and that a course of common ground be sought which can draw our denomination together."

RANDALL T. RUBLE, Chairman
Committee on Reconciliation

RESOLUTION ON BIBLICAL AUTHORITY

We the undersigned members of the Committee on Reconciliation, meeting in session at Due West, South Carolina on February 16, 1979, do hereby make the following resolution and commend it to the Executive Board of Synod for its consideration:

We believe Christ is the Son of God. We believe God the Father gave His Son to save us from our sins. We believe that the Holy Spirit reveals Christ to us through the Holy Scripture which is the Word of God written. While we do not have the original autographs as proof, we believe on faith that God's Word in its entirety was accurately recorded by the original writers through divine inspiration and reliably transmitted to us. We affirm that salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ and Him alone.

(SIGNED)

Randall T. Ruble
E. Reynolds Young
James H. Young
James C. Barker
Walter J. Coleman
Clyde T. McCants
Charles E. Edwards
W. C. Lauderdale
W. M. Lindley
Michael T. Patrick
John L. Carson
Dwight L. Pearson
Hugh C. Dale
Francis M. McCullough
Lonnie L. Richardson
Charles H. Carlisle
Olin B. Cannon, Jr.
Gary W. Letchworth
Roy E. Beckham
Dodd Vernon
C. R. Beard
Charles F. Edgar, Jr.
Robert B. Elliott, Jr.
Robert C. Grier, Jr.
H. H. Long
Grady R. Oates
Harry McCalla
Will W. Orr
Anne W. Alexander
James Coad, Jr.
James R. Fee
W. H. Stuart
Frank M. Hunt
James T. Corbitt
Robert J. Robinson
Charles B. Todd
Michael S. Bender
James A. Hunt

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented, and amended by recommitting the material having to do with the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church International. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

With Rev. K. C. Seawright (Chairman of the Standing Committee on Inter-Church Relations serving as its official advisor), the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations considered the written report of the standing committee and a supplementary report concerning a comity agreement with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

It is recommended that both the written and supplementary reports, and all recommendations included in them, be accepted and approved. (NOTE: Recommendation No. 5 was submitted to the Moderator's Committee on Executive Board.)

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

Your Committee met at Bonclarken on Monday, June 4, 1979, and in addition to routine matters reviewed a letter from Executive Director Joe Matlock of the Board of Missions, Cumberland Presbyterian Church, responding to the letter seeking a comity agreement on church-planning which this committee had sent, by order of the 1978 General Synod, to all denominations with which the General Synod has authorized fraternal relations.

The letter expressed "full agreement" with the tentative proposal which had been approved by this committee as a basis for discussion, and declared that "whether any of the other denominations accept and abide by these agreements, at least we will be cognizant of them in our own church and will seek to abide by them."

The letter also suggested a conference by representatives of churches in the Presbyterian-Reformed family to seek a general and uniform agreement on this subject.

As a result, your committee makes two recommendations:

1. That the General Synod approve a bilateral agreement with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, to which CPC agreement already is expressed in the letter referred to above, under which neither of our denominations will undertake to establish a church in a town of 2,000 population or less, where the other already has a church; and that in establishing new churches in larger communities, the two denominations mutually agree that new locations be selected so that the churches of our two denominations shall be at least one mile apart; and, furthermore, that when either considers a new location in a community already served by the other, the appropriate boards of our two denominations shall consult with and cooperate with each other.
2. That your committee be directed by General Synod to set up a conference of church-extension representatives of Presbyterian and reformed churches to explore and seek to arrive at a general agreement such as proposed by the representative of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

This committee met February 7 and June 5, 1978.

For conciseness and economy of space, references to other bodies will be: Groups of which we are a member-denomination: NA&CAC, WARC—North American and Caribbean Area Council, World Alliance of Reformed Churches; RES—Reformed Ecumenical Synod; ABS—American Bible Society; LDA—Lord's Day Alliance; PPC—Pan-Presbyterian Conference. Denominations approved by General Synod for fraternal relationship: UPCUSA—United Presbyterian Church in the USA; PCUS—Presbyterian Church in the US; RCA—Reformed Church in America; CPC—Cumberland Presbyterian Church; CRC—Christian Reformed Church; PCA—Presbyterian Church in America; RPCES—Reformed Presbyterian Church, Evangelical Synod; OPC—Orthodox Presbyterian Church; RPCNA—Reformed Presbyterian Church in North America.

NA&CAC: For the first time in history, this group has elected as its chairman an ARP, Dr. Randell T. Ruble. It also elected Mrs. M. S. Bender to its Committee on Civil and Religious Liberty, class of 1982. A different basis of representation will take effect in 1981 with our denomination to be allotted one representative instead of the present two.

RES: The organization has been incorporated in order to facilitate tax-free gifts from foundations, its constitution being altered to reflect this incorporation and in no other respect. This makes necessary reindorsement of the constitution by each member-denomination.

ABS: Our Church led all Presbyterian bodies in per capita support of ABS in 1977, with 20 cents per member compared to 2.8 cents from PCUS and 2.1 cents from UPCUSA. RPCNA was second in per capita gifts with 14.8 cents per member.

LDA: This group reports marked expansion in membership in New England.

PPC: Dr. Randall T. Ruble has been elected an administrative officer, and our Church will, through him, serve as official host to the 1979 meeting. PPC is seeking expansion so as to include the smaller Presbyterian denominations of the U. S.

Organic church union, which has drawn the active interest of some in our denomination, shows the greatest progress in the PCUS-UPCUSA negotiations, with many of those two churches now maintaining union presbyteries and union synods. The smaller Presbyterian churches have not progressed beyond so-far-unsuccessful talks, and a degree of cooperation as in OPC-PCA Great Commission publications, and RPCES-PCA plans for joint operation of Covenant College. The as-yet fruitless negotiations by RPCES and OPC have now been joined by PCA as a participant.

The committee has prepared a letter of fraternal greeting for signature of its Chairman and of the Synod's Principal Clerk, to go to those denominations approved by Synod for fraternal relationship, to whom we may not be able to send delegates this year. This complies with a directive of the 1978 General Synod.

Carrying out a directive of the 1978 General Synod, the committee has sent to all denominations in fraternal relationship a letter proposing agreements for cooperation to avoid duplication in church planting.

The committee has reviewed the draft constitution of the proposed Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, International, which was referred to it after action by the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judicial Affairs, as reported in 1978 Synod Minutes, page 627, item III, and has made minor revisions—principally in the time schedule.

In accordance with the objectives of Synod's Special Committee on Priorities, this committee for the next several years plans a concentration on development of brotherhood and Christian love with other denominations, especially those with which the Synod has authorized fraternal relationship.

At the 1978 General Synod, nine denominations and groups sent greetings by fraternal delegates as noted in 1978 Minutes.

Our representatives to other bodies, other than individuals named in preceding paragraphs, were Rev. Thomas G. Morris, Sr., to PCUS; Miss Mary B. Thompson to LDA; and Charles Todd, Rev. Ronald Beard and Mrs. M. S. Bender to PPC; Gordon Parkinson observer to North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council.

In compliance with directive from the Synod of 1976, the following is an index of reports coming into the hands of the committee during the year: Reports from the above-named delegates; annual report, and Vol. 1 No. 2 of RES Diaconal Bulletin; American Bible Society Record (annual report in May, 1978, for year 1977), and Bulletin of United Bible Societies with world annual report, 1977; and Report of Committee to Study the Matter of Abortion, to 38th General Assembly, Orthodox Presbyterian Church; and Proceedings of NAPARC 1978 meeting.

Recommendations

We recommend that the General Synod—

1. Approve RES constitution revision to take note of incorporation.

2. Ratify constitution of proposed Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, International, with the following amendments: In Article II, line 1, change "governing" to "coordinating". In Article VIII, change dates in line 2 to "1979 and 1980"; change date in line 4 to "1980"; change date in line 6 to "1981"; change date in line 7 to "1982". In Article IX, delete everything after first sentence, then add this new sentence: "The place and exact dates of meetings shall be determined by the General Council." In Articl X, first line, change "1978" to "1981". (See Appendix to this report, with words to be changed indicated by underlining. (RECOMMITTED TO STANDING COMMITTEE.)

3. Express gratification of PPC efforts to expand its base to include more denominations, since such action would better serve its purpose of being a forum for Presbyterian and Reformed denominations.

4. Direct this committee, in the interest of conserving financial resources and applying them on a planned priority basis, to seek an arrangement with each denomination with which we exchange fraternal delegates or representatives, on a "home-and-home" basis. Such a system would provide, in any one year, that we send fraternal delegates or representatives to approximately half of these other bodies, while the other half were sending their representatives to our Synod; the next year the order would be reversed, with those we had visited the previous year sending their delegates to us, and vice versa.

5. Place in the hands of the Committee on Nominations the choice of nominees for fraternal delegates and representatives to all denominations and interdenominational bodies which have been approved by the General Synod, which at present will include seven denominations (two others prefer representation only through the NA&CAC) and five interdenominational organizations and conferences (one of these, RES, will only occasionally have meetings in the U. S.); these nominees to be placed before Synod for consideration at each annual Synod meeting, for assignments during the following calendar year. This change to include two provisions: (a) That it shall be the duty of the Inter-Church Relations Committee to suggest names of those they consider appropriate to the Nominations Committee for consideration; and (b) That when a Synod elected delegate or representative cannot serve, it shall be the

duty of the chairman of the Inter-Church Relations Committee to make a suitable appointment of a substitute. (NOTE: See Moderator's Committee on Executive Board.)

6. That this Committee's budget for 1979-80 be held to the same total as this year, provision being authorized for transferring the $75 previously allotted for NAPARC dues to committee travel and expense fund, and for increase of the maximum travel allowance of our delegates and representatives from $50 to $100 in order to cover occasional longer-than-usual trips. The budget: (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

Dues: (LDA $300, RES $600, NA&CAC $645.35)	$1,545.35
Expense of hospitality for Synod inter-church guests (of which up to $250 may be used, if necessary, for expense of delegate from Mexico or Pakistan)	750.00
Committee travel and expense fund, to include delegates	1,475.00
TOTAL	$3,770.35

K. C. SEAWRIGHT, Chairman

A motion by Mr. R. S. Trieble was tabled.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PRESBYTERY RECORDS AND REPORTS

The Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports met on June 5, 1979 in Synodical Hall at Bonclarken. Clerks of all the Presbyteries (except Tennessee-Alabama) and most of the other members were present.

The Committee considered the work of Presbyteries as reflected in their records and reports. We find that their records are kept in an orderly and appropriate fashion.

We recommend:

1. That the Presbytery Reports be received as information and published in the **Minutes of Synod.** (See Appendix.)
2. That the Presbytery Report blanks be made consistent with the Congregational report blanks in regards to the "Total Number of Ordained Elders" and "Total Number of Ordained Deacons."
3. That the Synod reconstitute their committee as an ordinary Moderator's Committee.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Publications was presented and adopted. Mr. R. T. Ruble spoke to the Synod on behalf of *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.*

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Moderator's Committee on Publications met Tuesday, June 5th, and made the following recommendations:

1. That recommendations nos. one (1) through seven (7) of the report of the Board of Publications be adopted.
2. That the Editor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian, Rev. Zeb C. Williams, be allowed five minutes to address the General Synod.
3. That an editorial change be made in the last paragraph of the Policy Manual of the Board of Publications, under Amendments, the second line to read "Upon unanimous consent in any **Board** meeting . . ." and the third line to read ". . . two-thirds of the **Board** members voting . . .".

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS

The Board of Publications met in September 1978 and March 1979 to consider and act upon the work committed to it by the General Synod. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Board has enjoyed the cooperation and fine support of the Rev. Zeb Williams, editor of the **Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and Mr. Ed Hogan, director of the A. R. P. Center.

Executive Committee

At its meeting in September of 1978, the Board of Publications appointed an Executive Committee comprised of its officers and commissioned to meet between Board meetings to oversee the church magazine and the other publishing activities of the Board. The specific duties of the Executive Committee are set forth in the new policy manual being proposed to the Synod for adoption.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian

With reference to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian,** the Board reports the following significant action:

1. The Board granted permission to the Director of Church Extension to review the subscription list of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** to determine those names who might be interested in bequests or gifts to the Board of Church Extension.
2. The Editor was asked to present an article on the policy and purpose of the magazine, and was requested to closely examine articles submitted for publication to insure the support of Synod's policies and programs as expressed in Paragraph VI, A of the **Policy Manual** of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** This action was not intended as a method to cut off articles of dissent.
3. The Editor was authorized to secure a part-time proof reader to be paid a small honorarium.
4. The Board adopted the attached **Policy Manual for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
5. A reader survey was approved.
6. The printing contract for 1979 was awarded to Martin Printing Company of Easley, S. C.
7. The Second Class Postage Permit was secured and this has improved delivery of the magazine and reduced mailing costs.
8. In an effort to allow the emphases in the magazine to more closely follow the Christian Year Church Calendar, the Board of Publications submitted requests to the Executive Board which prepares the emphases for the year and to the Committee on Worship which prepared the **Prayer Calendar** that the emphases and scriptures more accurately follow the Christian Church Calendar.
9. The Board approved the following activities as an effort to increase subscriptions to the magazine:
   a. That the Editor conduct a workshop for agents of the magazine during the Adult Conference.
   b. That the Editor request time during Saturday night of Layman's Weekend to promote the magazine.
   c. That a special reduced-rate subscription be offered during the Adult Conference.
   d. That the information for subscription renewals be forwarded to the agents by September 15, to permit special emphasis on renewals from October 1 through the first Sabbath in November.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian should be received into each home in our denomination. It is the only regular method of communication to the larger membership of the denomination and it is through this publication that

the priorities, mission and other information concerning the denomination can most effectively be communicated. The Board of Publications encourages each congregation to promote subscriptions to stimulate the effective use of the information the publication provides.

Other Actions of the Board

1. **Printing Contracts:** Printing contracts were approved by the Board on a competitive bid basis. Contracts were awarded for the following: **Plan Book:** Key's Printing, Greenville, S. C., **Prayer Calendar:** R. L. Bryan Company, Columbia, S. C., **Standards:** R. L. Bryan Company, Columbia, S. C.
2. **Rules of Order:** The Board approved printing 2,000 copies of the **Rules of Order** in such form that they could be included in the present **Standards** by those who desire to so include them. Printing will be delayed until conclusion of overtures to presbyteries.
3. **Finances:** The Board approved adjustments in the 1978 budget to reflect changes in income and adjustments in printing costs. The 1979 budget was also adjusted and the Board of Publications will work with the Board of Stewardship in meeting the 1979 budget. The proposed budget for 1980 was submitted to the Board of Stewardship and is attached.
4. **Election of Officers for July 1, 1979-June 30, 1980:**
   Chairman: Randall T. Ruble
   Vice-Chairman: Jerry Hallman
   Secretary: Charles Sanders
5. **Publicity for Synod:** The Board appointed Zeb C. Williams and Gerald Hallman to handle Synod publicity.
6. **Request to Committee on Nominations:** The Board submitted a request that Dina Livingston be replaced as Youth Representative as she has left the denomination.
7. **Certificates:** The Board approved the printing of the "Transfer of Membership Certificates" as approved previously by the General Synod. The Board is to review alternate printing methods and styles for the Certificate of Ordination of Elders and Deacons, and will conduct a survey of the churches to determine the need, use, and style of marriage and baptismal certificates. Pastors and Sessions are requested and urged to respond with their comments and suggestions.

Recommendations

1. That the **Plan Book** for 1980 be distributed on the same basis as in previous years and that churches be urged to reimburse the General Synod for the printing cost as determined by the printing contract.
2. That the first Sabbath in November be designated "The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Day" and that special emphasis on subscriptions be given from October 1 through the first Sabbath in November. Further, that special prayer be offered in each Church on that date for the Editor, the administrative staff at the Center who provide support, and the Board.
3. That each Session which has not already done so, appoint an agent to handle subscriptions to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and an agent to provide news items to the Editor (This may be the same person).
4. That the tentative budget for 1980 be approved. Adjustments as required by changes in the printing contract or changes in the number of subscriptions will be made by the Board and coordinated as necessary with the Board of Stewardship. (NOTE: See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

5. That the General Synod approve the attached **Policy Manual of The Board of Publications.** (See Appendix.)
6. That the General Synod approve the attached **Policy Manual of The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** (See Appendix.)
7. That all other actions of the Board as reported herein be sustained.

Respectfully,

R. T. RUBLE, Chairman

Board of Publications
Income

	1980 Proposed
Supplement from Synod	
Board Expenses	$ 1,500.00
The A.R.P.	21,711.00
The Plan Book	1,160.00
Subscriptions	
The A.R.P.	30,250.00
Plan Book and Prayer Calendar	2,000.00
Other	500.00
	$ 57,121.00

Expenditure Budget

	1980 Proposed
Board Travel and Expense	$ 1,500.00
Printing of Plan Book	1,760.00
Printing of Prayer Calendar	1,400.00
	$ 4,660.00
The Associate Reformed Presbyterian	
Editor's Salary	$ 12,300.00
Editor's Housing	7,000.00
Editor's Travel and Expense	1,900.00
Editor's Insurance	832.00
Editor's Retirement	1,544.00
Printing and Publishing	24,215.00
Labels and Postage	2,000.00
Materials and Supplies	1,000.00
Office Expense	850.00
Rent	1,020.00
Contingency	500.00
Refunds	–0–
	$ 52,461.00
	$ 57,121.00

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Stewardship was presented and adopted. Mr. Gregory Slater spoke to the Synod on the subject of Stewardship.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON STEWARDSHIP

Synod's Moderator's Committee on Stewardship met Tuesday, June 5, at 1:30 P.M. in Draffin Hall.

Gregory C. Slater, Chairman, opened the meeting with prayer. Robert P. Brawley was elected secretary.

The only document received for the consideration of the committee was the Report of the Board of Stewardship.

Actions taken by the committee:

1. We recommend that the General Synod encourage pastors and sessions to keep their congregations informed as to how their Voluntary Commitment is being allocated among the different causes of the Synod. (NOTE: See Budget for 1980).
2. Concerning the recommendations contained within the report of the Board, we recommend the following:
   (a) That items 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 8 be adopted.
   (b) That item 4 be adopted and the chairman of the Moderator's committee be allowed to express the committee's concern in this area.
   (c) That item 5 be adopted with the following amendment to section (b): ". . . in October, and that Presbyteries encourage ministers to exchange pulpits for the purpose of emphasizing total stewardship (life as well as dollars.)"

The meeting was closed in prayer by B. E. DeWitt.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

The Board of Stewardship held four meetings since the last meeting of Synod: on September 29, January 19, April 20 at the Center in Greenville and June 4 at Synod. Actions of the Board are reported herein as information to the General Synod.

Budget

At the January meeting of the Board, the budget for 1979 was finalized in the amount of $1,236,210 which reflected the cost of rental of space in the new center by the Boards using space in the center. The budget seems to be adequately funded and cuts in expenditures are not anticipated. (See copy attached and made a part of this report.)

On Tuesday morning we shall be presenting the proposed budget for 1980 to the General Synod in the amount of $1,309,097 which includes $661,189 unrestricted direct Synod income. Our goal for voluntary commitments is $615,000. The requests from the boards and committees amounted to $870,-349. The Stewardship Board's budget committee met on April 10 and heard the requests from the boards and committees that wished to make personal presentations. The full Board met on April 20 to review and act on the proposed budget. The Stewardship Board was impressed with the sincerity and urgency of each request for funds but was confronted with the problem of how to meet the great needs with so little increase in voluntary commitments. The proposed budget for 1980 reflects our best judgment as to how to use the limited resources. We anxiously await the report of the Special Committee on Priorities so that the Synod can give the Board of Stewardship more guidance as to how the church would like to see the resources used.

Commitments

In October the Board worked through the Presbytery committees in promoting voluntary commitments for 1980. The Chairman wrote to the session and diaconate of each congregation urging that the program of the denomination be supported by following the adopted policy of Synod on voluntary commitments. Members of the Board spoke at Presbytery meetings and at area

meetings of elders and deacons when invited. Invitations to meet with local sessions and diaconates were always accepted. The results are discouraging. The increase in voluntary commitments from 1978 to 1979 (as of March 31, 1979) was $20,040 or an increase from $570,650 to $590,690. The overall percentage for the Synod (as a percentage of the unresticted general fund) dropped from 13.94% in 1978 to 13.13% in 1979. Twenty-six churches were at the 20% level and twelve churches which are not at 20% moved up the 3 percentage points as requested. We highly commend all of the churches and plan to recognize them at Synod. Seventy-six churches increased their dollar amount, fourteen churches decreased the amount, and sixty-eight churches remained at the same level of giving. The large number that did not increase their giving plus those that made a reduction in these inflationary times pulled the percentages down.

At least four churches reduced their commitment because of the controversy in the denomination and a number of others would not make an increase for the same reason. The Moderator made a special appeal to the churches asking that this method of protest not be used. The Board of Stewardship also wrote to the churches with a personal appeal. We trust that the spirit of reconciliation will grow until the advancement of Christ's kingdom will be foremost in the minds and hearts of all our people.

Investments

The investment of permanent funds and temporary funds by the Treasurer has been handled with great care and expertise. We wish to commend Mr. W. M. Kennedy, Treasurer, for his very dedicated and capable service as Treasurer.

The Audited Financial Statements, both of the General Synod and the Investment account, will be placed on file at the Center for inspection.

Real Property

The Board executed a quitclaim deed for the Unity A.R.P. Church, Lancaster, S. C., in order for that congregation to borrow funds for expansion.

The Stewardship Board worked closely with the Executive Board in all the details relating to the new center facility. The Board wishes to go on record as expressing appreciation to Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Younts for their most gracious gift of the beautiful new facility. The Stewardship Board adopted a joint resolution with the Executive Board that the new center facility "shall not be mortgaged" and "should the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church cease to exist as the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination the property or the proceeds from the sale of the property shall be returned to the Camp-Younts Foundation." Both Boards also agreed that the center facility "shall not be sold, transferred, or otherwise disposed of without the expressed consent or directive of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church."

General

Synod's Treasurer was authorized to set up a special historical publications fund from which funds would be advanced as necessary to cover cost of publications to be printed by the Bicentennial Committee with reimbursement to come from the sale of the publications.

The Board observed some possible inequities in salaries of employees of Synod and asked the Executive Board to join in appointing a committee to study the matter to determine if an equitable salary scale might be devised. The committee has reported to both Boards and the Executive Board was asked to handle the matter. It is now being considered by that Board.

The Board wishes to note with appreciation that World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, has reported to the Stewardship Board that an Audit of

all Pakistan Mission accounts has been made by an outside auditor and the hospital accounts are audited annually by certified public accountants.

Special words of appreciation are made for Mr. Ed Hogan for his excellent assistance to the Board of Stewardship.

Appreciation is expressed to the Lake Wales Presbyterian Church Foundation for gifts of $20,000 to the Board of Stewardship, $20,000 to Board of Foreign Missions and $7,000 to the Benevolent Fund.

The Board plans to meet with the Chairman of the various Boards and Agency Directors to discuss budget control and allocation problems.

The Stewardship Board would call attention to the fact that the funds of Dunlap may be divided into unrestricted assets and restricted assets (such as the property). The two funds may be treated differently when final settlement is made of the assets.

Plans are being worked out for the A.R. Presbyterian Center to be tied into the computer at Erskine College to provide services for all the boards operating out of the center.

Recommendations

1. That the actions of the Board of Stewardship, as contained in its report, be sustained by the General Synod.
2. That the Treasurer's books be audited by Winn, Wright, and Potter Certified Public Accountants, Greenville, S. C., as soon as possible after the close of the year December 31, 1979.
3. That the following Special Offerings be authorized for 1980:
   January 27—for Bonclarken
   March 9—ARP Foundation
   April 6 (Easter)—World Witness—One Great Hour of Sharing
   May 11 (Mother's Day) for Erskine College
   September 14, for Erskine Theological Seminary
   October 5 (World Wide Communion) for American Bible Society
   November 30 (Thanksgiving) Opportunity Fund for Church Extension
   December, Christmas Benevolent Offerings for Board of Annuities and Relief.

Further, that the month of Feburary be set aside in 1980 for presbytery and local church special offerings. The only new offering would be for the ARP Foundation to provide funds to promote the Foundation throughout the denomination.

4. That every congregation prayerfully consider its primary denominational support to be through voluntary commitment to nurture the church's total mission and then to support special causes of its choice. This is in keeping with the adopted principle that solicitations for special causes be made expressly as over and above the congregation's voluntary commitment.
5. That the month of October be designated "VOLUNTARY COMMITMENT MONTH."

   (a) That the Committee on Stewardship of each presbytery be requested to join with this Board in promoting total Stewardship of time, talent and substance for the promotion of the Lord's work.
   (b) That each presbytery committee be requested to urge that an appropriate Stewardship message be delivered from each pulpit. (AMENDED.)
   (c) That the officers of each congregation be asked to prayerfully consider the support it should give to the denomination and seriously try to follow the adopted program of Synod.
   (d) That the session and the diaconate of each church consider a plan that will project how the church can progress year by year under this adopted program until it reaches the ultimate goal.

(e) That the ultimate goal be re-emphasized: that the Voluntary Commitment for 1980 by each congregation be an amount equal to 20% of the General Funds given in 1978 (Minutes of Synod—1979) or an increase of at least *three percentage points* (not 3%) over the previous year so as to in stages arrive over a period of years to the 20% level.

6. That Synod approve the mileage rate of 15¢ per mile beginning July 1, 1979 for employees of Synod and members of Boards and committees.

7. That a registration fee of $5.00 be charged to each elder delegate (ruling and teaching) to cover the cost of the 1980 meeting of Synod.

8. That the Board of Stewardship be granted the authority to prepare a final budget for 1980 following receipt of the voluntary commitments from the churches.

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. CARLISLE, Chairman

BUDGET FOR 1979—REVISED

INCOME

1. Direct Synod Income	
Voluntary Commitments	$ 615.000
Late 1978 Voluntary Commitment Payments	–0–
Unrestricted Interest	21,000
Miscellaneous Income	7,486
Gain on Sale of Property for Rent of Agencies	4,464
	$ 647,950
2. Income from other sources (no change)	588,260
TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME	$ 1,236,210

EXPENDITURES

	From Direct Synod Income	From Other Sources	Total Budget
Annuities and Relief			
Board Travel and Expenses	$ 1,000	$ —	$ 1,000
Self Insurance Fund	10,000	—	10,000
Christmas Benevolent Offer.	—	32,642	32,642
A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.	—	—	.....
Bonclarken			
General Operating	41,854	25,000	66,854
Camp Supplement	1,000	—	1,000
Christian Education			
General Operating	47,187	6,225	53,412
The Adult Quarterly	—	16,530	.....
Church Extension	127,647	62,200	189,847
Dunlap	—	—	.....
Erskine College			
General Operating	102,083	40,000	142,083
Synod Scholarships	16,000	—	16,000
A.R.P. Student Union	100	—	100
Executive Board of Synod			
Board Travel and Expenses	1,500	—	1,500
Emphasis Committee	500	—	500
Officers of Synod	4,300	—	4,300
Minutes of Synod	6,160	—	6,160
The A.R.P. Center	70,718	—	70,718
Publications			
Board Travel and Expenses	1,000	—	1,000
The A.R.P.	18,733	30,669	49,402
The Prayer Calendar	—	1,300	1,300
The Plan Book	1,050	500	1,550
Stewardship			
Board Travel and Expenses	3,000	—	3,000
Promotion	2,000	—	2,000
Audit	2,500	—	2,500
Treasurer of Synod	8,370	—	8,370
World Witness	157,347	364,345	521,692
Ecclesiastical Commission	1,500	—	1,500
Historical Concerns	450	—	450
Inter-Church Relations	3,617	—	3,617
Lay Ministry	5,193	—	5,193
Minister and His Work	2,888	—	2,888
Nominations	682	—	682
Presbytery Records	50	—	50
Theological and Social Concerns	750	—	750
Worship	3,471	4,250	7,721
Bicentennial Anniversary	300	—	300
Synod's Contingency	5,000	—	5,000
American Bible Society	—	4,599	4,599
TOTAL BUDGETED EXPENDITURES	$ 647,950	$ 588,260	$1,236,210

Mr. B. R. Nowak was granted the privilege of the floor, noting his history in the church, bidding the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church goodbye as he accepts the call of the Saluda, N. C. Presbyterian Church of the U. S. congregation. Synod rose in appreciation, giving him a warm round of applause.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions was presented. Recommendation No. 1 of the Moderator's Committee was amended so that Recommendation No. 7 of the Report of World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, be amended to make the Executive Secretary of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions an advisory member instead of an Ex-Officio member. The Report of the Moderator's Committee was amended further by the following amendment.

> "That the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church commend to the A.R.P. Mission in Mexico that the present camp facilities and the new Camp Maranatha now being constructed in Rio Verde field, be made available for official and other meetings of the A.R.P. Mission itself, the Synod of the A.R.P. Church in Mexico, Presbyterial and Synodical meetings of the Mexican Federation of Young People and the Mexican Federation of Women's Societies, and other A.R.P. denominational meetings under their own administration; subject to cultural and economic regulations approved by the active missionaries and the Mexican Synod."

The Report of the Moderator's Committee, as amended, was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON WORLD WITNESS BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSION

Committee met and the chairman declared a quorum present. Also attending were Mr. John Mariner, Rev. and Mrs. Pat Covone.

The committee made the following recommendations:

1. That recommendations 1-10 be adopted as presented in the Board of Foreign Missions' report. (AMENDED.)
2. That recommendation 11 of the Board report be adopted as amended by Synod's Report of Stewardship as is adopted by Synod.
3. That the Moderator's Committee take this opportunity to urge the churches to seek to achieve the 20% Voluntary Commitment figure, so that not only would the needs of the World Witness be met, but also all needs of the other agencies would be adequately met.
4. That Synod have a special prayer at this time for Dr. and Mrs. E. Gettys, the family of Rev. Jamil UL-Din, Dr. Janet Alexander, and Janet White.

REPORT OF WORLD WITNESS: THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Introduction

Psalm 136: 1-3

> "O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures for ever. O give thanks to the God of gods, for His steadfast love endures for ever. O give thanks to the Lord of Lords, for His steadfast love endures for ever;"

World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions gives thanks and praise to our Lord and God for His steadfast blessing on the Foreign Missions work of the denomination this past year. The Board of World Witness has held four regularly scheduled meetings during the year during which the business of the Board was conducted, prayerful concern was exercised for all of our missionary and National workers, and the goals and visions of our Board for future years was discussed.

The Board recognizes with appreciation the significant encouragement and financial support received from the General Synod, individual ARP Churches, the Woman's Synodical Union and individuals during the past year in our work. We are grateful for all of those who have supported the work through their Voluntary Commitments, Direct Support and designated gifts.

Because of the Lord's presence and power, the work of World Witness has been fruitful during the past year. Through the witness and testimony of our missionaries and National pastors and lay evangelists supported through our program, many have heard the Gospel for the first time this past year. We praise God for those who have accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour and represent the fruit of our labor. We recognize that 2.9 Billion people have never heard the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the first time and realize that the task to be done is enormous and yet within reach in our generation. We recognize that the Great Commission is a very current mandate of our Lord to each believer and that God provides a place for each and every Christian to work in world evangelization.

The Fields

Mexico

1979 is the Centennial year of the Associate Reformed Prsbyterian Synod of Mexico. We join with the Synod of Mexico in recognizing God's hand of blessing in the development of the Church over the past 100 years. We pray for a new vision for the coming years.

As a part of the Centennial celebration a group of Mexican young people will be presenting an historical drama of the development of the Mexican Church entitled, "How Great Thou Art" at the meeting of General Synod and in several centrally located ARP Churches during the month of June 1979. This drama, written by Mrs. Emma Echols, is being presented throughout the Synod of Mexico.

As part of the Centennial Celebration, the Erskine Choraleers toured the Mexican Churches in March 1979. Arrangements were co-ordinated by World Witness.

As a result of the Board's visit to the Mexican field and consultation with Mexican pastors in 1978 lines of communication have been more open during the past year in consulting and co-ordinating our work with the Mexican brethren. We appreciate the fine working relationship which we enjoy as partners in mission. The Synod of Mexico has officially approved the appointment of Rev. and Mrs. J. Coad, Jr., as missionaries to Mexico, and we ask the prayers of the General Synod for the Coads as they continue in their preparation to go to the field during the year.

In November 1978 the Boyce Wilson family was relocated from Tuxpan to Tampico to place them in a closer proximity to their work. Mrs. Sarah Pressly has been reassigned to Valles, Mexico and went to the field on April 26, 1979 after three months of intensive language study.

A new clinic was opened to minister to the needs of the Huastecan Indians in Mexico in February 1979. This clinic enhances our total evangelistic ministry among the Huastecan people and needs the prayers and support of the General Synod. The Mexican Mission has requested a missionary nurse to serve in this clinic.

Site development and detailed architectural plans were approved during the past year for the new camp and retreat center at Rio Verde. Construction of the initial cabin clusters was begun during the Spring of 1979. We are thankful for Mr. Robert Dorren, a construction engineer, who volunteered his services at no cost to World Witness to supervise the construction of the initial phase of cabin clusters.

Opportunities for evangelistic ministry in Mexico are limitless. World Witness is presently in the process of reviewing its goals and priorities for the development of the Mexican work in consultation with the Synod of Mexico. It is our prayerful desire to strategically strengthen all of the programs in the areas of church planting, Christian education, discipleship, retreat and conference programs, seminary and Bible schools, radio, Bible Correspondence Schools, medical and public health programs and programs in general support of the ministry of the Synod of Mexico.

Pakistan

We are pleased to report that through the blessing of the Lord in the midst of a difficult, unstable political climate that the work in Pakistan is progressing without interruption.

In the Fall of 1978, Miss Ethelda Hanna received her re-entry visa for Pakistan, and returned to her work. During the year, Dr. and Mrs. David Harding, Miss Melanie Heflin, and the Rev. and Mrs. Gary Letchworth were appointed as missionary candidates for Pakistan. We trust that their visas will be obtained during the Fall of 1979.

On April 14, 1979, our Lord granted an answer to more than two years of prayer. The Government of Pakistan issued an entry Visa for Dr. Susan McCollum. Dr. McCollum will enter language study in May in Pakistan.

During January with the help of Missionary TECH Team, an organization of missionary engineers and architects, a complete review was made of the ministry and program of the Nancy Fulwood Hospital, identifying the spiritual and medical goals of the institution and the compliance of the existing program in fulfilling these goals. A site and ministry development plan has been prepared from this plan to maximize the fulfillment of spiritual goals through the Nancy Fulwood Hospital and public health program during the coming decade. In accordance with this master development plan, adjustments will be made to existing buildings and new buildings will be constructed to accommodate all phases of the program including the orthopedic program and brace shop.

During the year, Dr. Richard Wrenn made additional visits to Pakistan and continuance of the orthopedic emphasis. We deeply appreciate the fruit of his ministry of medical compassion.

In January 1979 Rev. Jan Senneker, a member of the Board of Foreign Missions, visited the Pakistan field. In Pakistan he surveyed our ministry, held spiritual retreats for missionaries and Nationals, and provided pastoral care for our missionaries. We recognize that we are deficient in the supervision, evaluation, and provision of pastoral care for our missionaries.

During the past year, the Synod of Pakistan conducted a Workshop on economic development. The Synod of Pakistan is investigating several small

industrial and commercial projects which might provide employment and income for church members. The choir of the Sahiwal Central ARP Church had the honor of being on national television on Easter Sunday 1979. This provided a unique opportunity for witness.

There are areas of our program in Pakistan which are less than ideal at the present time. The causes of most of these problems are directly related to our understaffing of our work. At the present time there are no evangelistic missionaries to work with the Synod of Pakistan and the Punjabi Christian Church. There is an overwhelming need reiterated by requests from the Synod of Pakistan for ARP missionaries to work with them in all areas of church development and evangelism. We would challenge each pastor and congregation of the ARP General Synod to review their own congregations for suitable candidates.

During the past year, financial accounts of the mission in Pakistan were audited by an independent missionary auditor. A report has been submitted to the Treasurer of Synod's funds.

We are thankful for the continuing work in many areas of Pakistan including the tribal evangelistic and church planting ministry which is progressing with the blessing of the Lord, increased enrollment in the Bible Correspondence School at Karachi now numbering well over 2,000 students, ongoing follow-up, discipleship groups as a result of the major Youth for Christ Convention in Sahiwal last year, significant activity in the Adult literacy program and the medical and public health program of the mission.

There is an urgent need for workers for this field which is white unto harvest. The General Synod is asked to make this a matter of urgent prayer and concern.

The Board of World Witness

During the past year the Board of World Witness has held four regularly scheduled meetings and is becoming actively involved in directing the work. During the year, the Executive Secretary has spoken at local church meetings, held workshops on "setting a missions identity" and organizing a missions program in the local church, visited college campuses and in general promoted the work of the Board. He has also visited the field to counsel with the missionaries, meet representatives of the Synods of Mexico and Pakistan in furtherance of our policy of open communication and co-ordination of our work, and has attended the annual business meeting of the mission.

In March 1979 the Executive Secretary presented a paper entitled, "A Practical Strategy for Professional Development of Missionary Executives" at the annual meeting of the Evangelical Foreign Missions Association in conjunction with the National Association of Evangelicals. He serves on the Islamic sub-committee of the EFMA and is program chairman for the Fall 1979 Executive Spiritual retreat of EFMA.

Serious inflation in Mexico and Pakistan continues to hamper the ability of the Board to maintain its work at present levels in both countries. During the past year, $75,000 was eliminated from our Budget in the areas of aid to the Mexican Synod, aid to the Nancy Fulwood Hospital, and funds for response to emergency financial requests from the field. It was necessary to limit our program at 1970 levels in the face of the inflation.

The attached graph indicates the effect of inflation on the value of the dollar, adjusted against 1970 as a base of 100. It is noted that the total expenses of World Witness as well as the Voluntary Commitments received for World Witness, are substantially below the 1970 level adjusted by inflation. What is true for the Board of World Witness is also true for all of the agencies of General Synod. World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, continues to

affirm our commitment to work in any way possible to assist Synod's Board of Stewardship in raising the Voluntary Commitments of our denomination. (NOTE: Graph is not reprinted herein.)

The Board continues to be concerned for cross-cultural evangelism here in the United States. We recognize the mission fields of over 65,000 Muslim foreign students and approximately 40 Million Hispanics living within the United States. We are co-ordinating our studies with the Board of Church Extension to devise ways to reach such individuals within our ARP areas of influence.

During the past year, the Executive Secretary met with Foreign Missions Directors of other denominations with which we have fraternal relationships. These meetings were within the context of the Evangelical Foreign Missions Association and in securing and comparing policies of our Board in several areas. Specifically, contacts were maintained with the Foreign Missions arms of the Christian Reformed Church, the Presbyterian Church of America, the Presbyterian Church, U. S., the Reformed Presbyterian Evangelical Synod, the Reformed Presbyterian in North America, and the Orthodox Presbyterian Churches.

For nearly twenty years, the Pakistan Committee of the Reformed Churches in The Netherlands has provided personnel to work as associate missionaries with our mission in Pakistan. During recent years, several situations have created a profound difference in strategy and understanding of the missionary task between our organizations. During the past year, representatives of World Witness met with the Pakistan Committee of the Reformed Churches in The Netherlands to discuss our working relationship and to provide a better understanding of both organizations strategy and approach to missions.

Considerable time has been spent by the Board in discussing its responsibility to our missionaries as individuals, the programs and work of our missions in Mexico and Pakistan including those National workers employed by our missions, and our responsibility to the ARP Synods of Mexico and Pakistan. We confess that we are not meeting the needs of pastoral care, guidance and counseling of our missionaries and of co-ordinating and evaluating the work on the field which is our responsibility. Similarly there is a need for a ministry to potential missionary candidates within the ARP Church and at college and seminary campuses. For these reasons, World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, continues to recognize the need for an additional staff member as noted in the 1978 Report to General Synod.

In February 1979, the Third Annual Foreign Missions Conference was held at Erskine Seminary with Dr. Harvie Conn as the speaker. World Witness co-sponsors this event with the Erskine Theological Seminary.

In order to provide up-to-date prayer request information for the work of World Witness, an answering service was instituted in February 1979 entitled, "The World Witness Prayer Line". This service has been provided by a friend of our Board at no cost to World Witness. We encourage individuals and pastors to call 803-242-1187 any time of day for World Witness prayer requests.

During the past year the offices of World Witness were moved to the new ARP Center. We appreciate the fine new facilities provided for our Board which are enabling us to do a more efficient job.

The Prayer Warrior continues to be an effective monthly newsletter and the subscription list continues to grow. We are thankful to many individuals who have requseted this prayer letter and who are praying regularly for World Missions.

As a matter of record, the incorporation papers of the Board of Foreign Missions in the State of South Carolina have been amended to read, "World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church", and the new logo of the Board of World Witness has been registered.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 1979 MEETING OF GENERAL SYNOD, ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1. That the report of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, be adopted and printed in the **Minutes** of Synod.
2. That the General Synod continue to remember Dr. and Mrs. E. Gettys with prayer and support.
3. That the General Synod render thanks for the life and ministry of Rev. Jamil Ul-Din in Pakistan and that prayer be offered for his family and the continuing work on the field.
4. That the General Synod recognize the Centennial of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of Mexico with special greetings and Thanksgiving to God.
5. That the General Synod express thanks to all those who have labored on behalf of the General Synod on foreign soil.
6. That the general interest of the denomination in the work of Foreign Missions be encouraged by continuing emphasis in Presbyteries, Conferences, Youth Conferences, and publications and that pastors and elders prayerfully challenge members of their congregations to consider missionary service.
7. That the policy manual of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, be revised as follows to reflect actions of the 1978 meeting of the General Synod:

   That under Section 3 "Composition of the Board", Paragraph 1 be deleted and the following substituted:

   "The composition of the Board is determined by the General Synod. At present the Board is composed of twelve elected members (six year terms) one youth representative (two year term); and, Ex-Officio, a representative from the Woman's Synodical Union and the Executive Secretary of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions. (AMENDED.)

   The Moderator of the General Synod serves as an advisory member of the Board.

   Terms of service for all appointees shall begin on July 1, of the year in which appointment is made.

   Members appointed at large by the General Synod shall not be able to succeed themselves, except in those cases where they have filled an unexpired term of less than two years.

   Ex-officio members have the same privileges as those members appointed by name. Advisory members have all privileges except the privilege of making motions and the privilege of vote.

   Youth representatives are appointed members and have the same privileges and responsibilities as other appointed members.
8. That the Policy Manual of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions be revised to include the following policy on kidnapping and ransom of Board of Foreign Missions employees and representatives traveling abroad:

   "As a matter of policy, the Board of Foreign Missions will not pay ransom to or meet demands made by terrorists who have kidnapped or abducted Board of Foreign Missions employees and/or representatives traveling on Board business.

   Every legitimate means at the disposal of the Board of Foreign Missions will be initiated without asceding to ransom demands and widespread prayer will be made for the release of those detained.

   In order to most fully protect our missionaries from abduction, all missionaries shall be advised that in the event that any missionary be abducted and a ransom be demanded of the mission, the policy

is not to ascede to such demands. This policy shall also be communicate to the families of missionaries, and they shall be encouraged to abide by this position. In the event that eminent loss of mission property by violence endangers the life and well-being of any missionary, the property is to be considered expendable after all reasonable precautions have been taken."

9. That the Policy Manual of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions be revised to include the following policy on funeral and burial arrangements:

   "In the event of the death of a missionary or a dependent member of a missionary's immediate family, all normal funeral and burial expenses whether at home or abroad will be borne by the family.

   Missionaries will be advised that when death occurs on the field, interment should take place on the field unless legal restrictions in the host country require otherwise.

   If the family of the deceased decides to return the body to the homeland, transportation expenses of the body and accompanying family members will be the responsibility of the family. The Board will assist to the extent of one economy class one-way air fare.

   The Board of Foreign Missions maintains a life insurance policy on the head of each household to cover expenses associated with death and burial of missionaries."

10. That the General Synod join with World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions in dedicating itself to devote the remainder of 1979 to earnest prayer for the Lord's direction in regard to our present fields of labor and to discern whether the Lord would give us vision as to a possible new field.

11. That the proposed 1980 Budget of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions as attached be adopted. (AMENDED. See "Budget for 1980" for approved budget.)

Respectfully submitted,
DR. E. R. YOUNG, Chairman

1980 BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS BUDGET

Budgeted Income		
Voluntary Commitments		$ 233,730
Interest Income		
Restricted Funds	4,000	
Harper Mem. Fund	1,000	5,000
General Specials		
WSU (anticipated)	20,000	
Churches and Individuals	5,000	25,000
Direct Support		
ARP Churches	218,260	
WSU (anticipated)	20,000	
Other	2,000	240,260
Special Offerings		
One Great Hour		
Restricted Specials		
WSU (Anticipated)	31,000	
Churches and Individuals	99,000	130,000
TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME		$ 658,990

Expense Summary	
Synod Budget	$ 263,730
Direct Support	240,260
Other budgeted expense	155,000
Reserve funds	–0–
TOTAL	$ 658,990

SYNOD BUDGET

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
I. MEXICO			
A. Salaries			
1. R. L. Brunson		$ 10,260	$ 10,260
2. P. G. Covone		11,960	11,960
3. D. Rodriquez		10,160	10,160
4. R. B. Wilson		9,460	9,460
5. J. A. Coad		9,160	9,160
6. Sarah Pressly		6,856	6,865
7. New Couple		9,160	9,160
B. Child Allowance			
1. R. L. Brunson		2,400	2,400
2. P. G. Covone		2,250	2,250
3. R. B. Wilson		900	900
4. New Couple			
C. Maintenance and Rent			
1. Valles Mission Home	780	1,200	1,980
2. Sara Flores Home	660		660
3. James Love Home	660		660
4. N. E. Pressly Clinic	4,550		4,550
5. Nurses Home	3,450		3,450
6. Rio Verde Mission Home	780	1,200	1,980
7. Rio Verde Students Home	1,770		1,770
8. Rio Verde Camp Building	330		330
9. Taxes, Tamsan	1,200		1,200
10. Rent—R. B. Wilson	800	2,400	3,200
11. Rent—J. A. Coad	1,200	1,200	2,400
12. Rent—New Couple		1,200	2,200
D. Itineration			
1. All Fields	650	7,200	8,000
E. Car Insurance and Taxes			
1. R. L. Brunson		350	350
2. P. G. Covone		350	350
3. R. B. Wilson		350	350
4. J. A. Coad		350	350
5. New Couple		350	350
6. Sarah Pressly		350	350
F. Work and Workers			
1. White Cross, 3 Districts	—		5,500
2. Workers, Rio Verde District	7,550		8,550
3. Workers, Tampico District	6,160		7,160

SYNOD BUDGET

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
4. Workers, Valles	10,700		13,700
5. Itineration, Workers	—		1,550
6. Christian Education Team	5,340		5,340
G. Neill E. Pressly Clinic			
1. All expenses			367,000*
H. J. L. Pressly Dispensary			
1. All expenses			2,000
I. Huastecan Clinic			
1. All expenses			5,000
J. Education			
1. Seminary	—		5,750*
2. Training lay workers	550		550
3. Primary Boys	2,300		3,350
4. Primary Girls	2,300		3,350
5. House mother, boys	1,120		1,350
6. House mother, girls	1,120		1,350
7. High School students	2,500		3,500
8. Preparatory students	1,300		2,300
9. Normal School students	1,900		2,900
10. College students	750		1,750
11. Nursing students	750		1,750
12. Medical students	1,200		1,200
13. Bible Correspondence School	2,000		5,500
14. Book Store	1,500		10,000
15. Rio Verde Conference Center	6,000		100,000*
K. General			
1. Administration	950		950
2. Legal Matters	1,100		1,100
3. Pensions, Retired workers	3,350		3,350
4. Institutes	750		750
5. Village Clinics	—		4,000
6. Summer camps	4,000		20,000*
7. Camp Secretary	1,500		1,500
8. Telephones	1,900		1,900
9. School fees, Brunson		600	600
10. Scholarships, Covone		1,500	1,500
11. Radio & TV	2,000		3,000
12. Clerk/Bookkeeper			1,500
13. School Fees, Wilson		200	200
14. Rio Verde Social Security	600		600
L. Mexican Synod			
Subsidy to Synod	–0–		–0–
TOTAL	$ 88,020	$ 91,375	$ 708,405
II. NEW FIELD	$ 10,000	$ 25,000	$ 35,000
III. PAKISTAN			
A. Salaries			
1. George McBane		$ 9,960	$ 9,960
2. Gail McBane			

SYNOD BUDGET

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
3. D. E. Dagenhart		7,065	7,065
4. M. E. White		6,715	6,715
5. F. E. Hanna		6,665	6,665
6. Melanie Heflin		5,465	5,465
7. New Couple		9,160	9,160
8. New Single		5,465	5,465
B. Upkeep			
1. Bahar Afshan House		700	900
2. Bahar Afshan Quarters		250	600
3. Knox Home House		450	650
4. Knox Home Quarters		500	800
5. Ladies House		500	700
6. Ladies House Quarters		400	500
7. Hospital	2,000		9,000*
8. Knox Home		400	700
9. Chichiwatni	200	350	950
10. Chichiwatni House Qrts.		250	300
11. Chichiwatni Watchman		500	500
12. Ladies House Watchman		500	500
13. Knox Home Watchman		500	500
14. Bahar Afshan Watchman		500	500
15. New Bungalow		500	500
16. New Bungalow, watchman		500	500
17. Karachi house		1,000	1,000
18. Volkart House		600	1,000
C. Taxes			
1. Land and water	100		100
2. Property	1,200		1,200
3. Car Insurance		2,100	2,100
D. Itineration			
1. General		5,400	5,400
2. Ambulance, Hospital		1,300	1,300
3. Karachi		1,700	1,700
E. Work and Workers			
1. General	300		300
2. Church Extension	1,700		1,700
F. Bible Teacher and Chaplain	1,000		1,000
G. Institutions			
1. Nancy Fulwood Hospital	28,000		300,000*
2. Replacement of Equipment	4,000		4,000
3. MLP School Hostel	1,500		15,500
4. Sahiwal Primary School	1,100		1,100
5. 357 Primary School	800		800
6. Knox Home Hostel	1,650		2,500
7. College Girls' Hostel	1,800		2,500*
8. Karachi Schools	1,800		1,800
9. Orthopedic Program Develop.	—		100,000

SYNOD BUDGET

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
H. General			
1. Christian Literature	300		300
2. Office Expense	3,000		3,300
3. Language School	150		150
4. Murree School	—	300	300
5. Seminary Affiliation	1,500		1,500
6. Adult Literacy	16,000		25,000*
7. United Bible Training Center	100		100
8. Lay Training School	600		2,000
9. Converts Fund	200		200
10. District Medical Fund	350		350
11. Seminary Scholarships	600		600
12. College Scholarships	900		1,800
13. Teacher's Training Sch.	700		1,400
14. Tech. Training Sch.	700		1,400
15. EDA Program	600		5,000
16. Major repairs	4,000		6,000
17. Christian development	2,000		2,000
18. Bahwalpur workers	4,000		4,000
19. Bible Correspondence School	8,000		15,000
20. CTTC	150		150
21. Agriculture	1,500		1,500
22. Bible teachers	—		3,000
23. Volkart House Purchase			60,000
I. Synod			
1. Synod Subsidy	3,300		15,000
2. Retirement	1,500		1,500
PAKISTAN TOTAL	$ 96,400	$ 69,695	$ 665,145
IV. BOARD			
A. Personnel			
1. Blue Cross/Blue Shield		$ 10,700	$ 10,700
2. Retirement		10,590	10,590
3. Social Security		1,980	1,980
4. Synod Benefits		2,820	2,820
B. Executive Secretary			
1. Salary	19,350**		19,350*
2. Retirement	1,440		1,440
3. Social Security	1,170		1,170
4. Synod Benefits	200		200
5. Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1,000		1,000
C. Office Expense			
1. Secretary	11,000	($9,000-2,000 fringe benefits)	11,000
2. Printing	12,000		12,000
3. Tele., postage, telegraph	3,500		3,500
4. Rent			

D. General			
1. Board Travel	5,000		5,000
2. Secretary Travel	6,000		6,000
3. One Great Hour	—		25,000
4. Contingent	8,650		8,650
5. Bonclarken Cottage	—		600
6. Lillian Home	—		1,000
7. Car Depreciation	—	19,500	19,500
8. Missionary Travel	—	8,600	8,600
BOARD TOTAL	$ 69,310	$ 54,190	$ 150,100
SUMMARY			
NEW FIELD	$ 10,000	$ 25,000	$ 35,000
MEXICO	88,020	91,375	708,405
PAKISTAN	96,400	69,695	665,145
BOARD	69,310	54,190	150,100
TOTAL	$ 263,730	$ 240,260	$1,558,650

Other Budgeted Expense

A. Mexico	
1. One Great Hour Specials	$ 12,500
2. Specials	65,000
B. Pakistan	
1. One Great Hour Specials	12,500
2. Specials	65,000
TOTAL	$ 155,000

NOTE: *Items so marked include field generated funds.
**Subject to review of Board of Stewardship.

The following motion, as amended was adopted:

"That a special committee be appointed by the moderator to:

1. Search the records of the General Synod beginning in 1972 to discover and trace binding and valid Synod actions to the present which are still of a binding nature upon the present church and which have not been codified in any readily available form.
2. Report to the 1980 meeting of the General Synod on the results of their study along with a plan for codifying these actions in a form which can be updated and distributed annually."

The Report of the Treasurer of Synod was adopted. (See Appendix.)

A reply to a request of the 1978 General Synod concerning a retirement home was read and received as information. (See Appendix.)

A motion carried that the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and the Clerks be commended for their work at the General Synod, 1979.

A member of the court noted the meeting of a Celebration of American Evangelism in 1981.

A motion carried that the final roll call and the final adoption of Minutes be suspended.

Following announcements, and the singing of Psalm 133, the Moderator closed the General Synod with the Benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

CLYDE T. McCANTS, Moderator
MICHAEL S. BENDER, Vice-Moderator
C. RONALD BEARD, Principal Clerk
ROBERT ELLIOTT, Reading Clerk
ROBERT E. SHERER, Bill Clerk
JAMES R. FEE, Assistant Clerk
J. B. HENDRICK, Parliamentarian

Appendix

VERNON FLOYD LATHAM
Januaury 9, 1913 — November 4, 1978

Vernon Floyd Latham was born at Iva, S. C., January 9, 1913 the son of Floyd P. Latham and Mrs. Sudia Parnell Latham, members of Bethel Methodist Church in Iva. He graduated from Iva High School in 1931 and enlisted in the U. S. Army and was stationed in Hawaii.

While most of the soldiers mocked and spat upon our Savior, struck Him upon the head and cast lots for His clothes, several soldiers were seized with godly fear and exclaimed, "Surely he was the Son of God!" (Matthew 27:27-31, 35, 54). After Vernon came home from military service, he professed faith in Christ and was baptized in the Generostee A.R.P. Church in the summer of 1934 by Rev. Robert Neil Baird, D.D., who also married Vernon to Miss Laura Jean Brown in the Iva A.R.P. Church manse December 21, 1935.

Vernon was a farmer in Iva and a railroader on the B. & O. R.R. in Baltimore. The September after Pearl Harbor he returned to enlisted military service. In the Army Air Corps and later when it became the U. S. Air Force, Vernon was an aircraft mechanic and electrician, during World War II in the South Pacific, the Cold War, the Berlin Airlift, and the Korean War.

After the Korean War, stationed at Brookley A.F.B., Mobile, Alabama, the Lord began to call upon Vernon to "put on the full armor of God" (Ephesians 6:10ff). In the newly established Cottage Hill Presbyterian Church (P.C.U.S.), he was soon elected ruling elder, Chairman of Men of the Church, and the Chairman of Men of Presbytery. He worked very closely with the pastor and began feeling God's insistent call to the Gospel ministry. He had many friends and ties in the Presbyterian Church, U. S., but decided to give himself to the denomination in which he first professed Christ as Savior.

Retiring from the U. S. Air Force June 30, 1960, he entered Erskine Theological Seminary and graduated in May, 1964. The April 10, 1963 "Associate Reformed Presbyterian" predicated, ". . . Mr. Latham has promise of a very useful ministry." Mr. Latham had supplied the Bethlehem A.R.P. Church near Due West while in Seminary. He was ordained and installed as its pastor May 31, 1964.

Paul exhorted Timothy, "Endure hardship with us like a good soldier of Christ Jesus." (II Timothy 2:3). Vernon soldiered for Christ in small, low-salaried, home missions churches at great personal sacrifice. From Bethlehem, Vernon was called by Catawba Presbytery to begin a new work, Faith Mission, at Sumter, S. C. Working hard, loving people to Christ (he added 26 people one year to that small church), he left it a strong church and went back to Bethlehem for another four years. From there he went to Tucker A.R.P. Church in Georgia for three and a half years and in October, 1976, he went to the Johnson's Creek A.R.P. Church in Virginia. "Reverend Latham spent many hours visiting those in the hospital; those shut-in or in nursing homes. He had just the right words for those in sorrow. For those with problems, he was a good listener." Warm, quiet, loving, working hard even in ill health, he brought that church to the point of self-support when on November 4, 1978 the Captain of our salvation promoted Vernon F. Latham from "Reverend" to "Blessed" that he might rest from his labors; and his works do follow him. (Revelation 14:13).

JAMES PATTERSON PRESSLY
August 25, 1882 — February 26, 1979

Dr. James Patterson Pressly died on February 26th at the age of 96, after having served as a pastor for seventy-two years before retiring in 1977.

His first pastorate was at White Oak, Georgia, where he served from July, 1907, to August, 1910, when he accepted a call to become pastor of the Due West Church, where he served for forty-seven years.

Dr. Pressly was married to Miss Bessie Boyce on November 11th, 1908. On November 11th, 1978, Dr. and Mrs. Pressly celebrated their seventieth wedding anniversary.

He did not retire from the ministry at the end of his forty-seven years at Due West. He was stated supply at the churches of Bartow, Avon Park, and Lake Placid, Florida, and was instrumental in the organization of the Covenant Church at Winter Haven, Florida.

After returning to Due West he also supplied for a while at Generostee, where he had also preached in his early years. It is significant that his first and last sermons were preached on Romans 8:28: "We Know that all things work together for good to them that love God," the subject being, "God's Overruling Providence." Both of these sermons were delivered at Generostee.

It might be added that this text is a fair representation of his entire ministry. He did not engage actively in controversial matters. He had the confidence that if one faithfully preaches the glorious gospel he can rely upon the Holy Spirit to so impress it upon the minds and consciences of those who hear that it will "yield the peaceable fruits of righteousness unto them that are exercised thereby."

Having touched the lives of so many young people in Erskine College and Seminary over such a long term of years, it would be safe to say that no man in our generation was so greatly beloved or has rendered a more notable service to the denomination and the kingdom of Christ than Dr. Pressly.

He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. Every Hunt, and two sons, Dr. James Boyce Pressly and John Lowry Pressly. A third son, Dr. Frank Pressly, served as a missionary to Pakistan until his death in 1972.

ARTHUR MURRAY ROGERS
February 12, 1911 — February 18, 1979

Arthur Murray Rogers, son of Arthur Small Rogers and Millie Lynn Rogers, was born February 12, 1911, in Rock Hill, South Carolina. He grew up under the ministry of his father where he felt God's call to the Gospel ministry. Toward that end he directed his education, graduating with honors from Rock Hill High School, Erskine College, Due West, South Carolina, Bachelor of Arts, and Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia, Bachelor of Divinity. Later he did further study at Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey. He was licensed and ordained to the ministry by Catawba Presbytery May 26, 1935. In 1955, Erskine College, "in recognition of outstanding services, exemplary character, and Christian leadership," conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

Dr. Rogers was a faithful servant of Jesus Christ. As a minister in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, he served as Mission Developer in Memphis, Tennessee, and as installed pastor of three ARP Churches—Bartow, Florida; Chester, South Carolina; and Young Memorial, Anderson, South Carolina. He was a clear thinker, articulate preacher, faithful pastor, efficient presbyter, strong community leader, and a devoted husband and father.

He served the General Synod as Moderator, 1967, and in many other capacities. Among them was his outstanding work as Principal Clerk of the General Synod from 1954-1971. In this office he was well known and highly respected. He was a fine ambassador of our denomination to other church bodies and organizations.

Due to a sudden illness in 1971, Dr. Rogers resigned his pastorate at the Young Memorial Church and the position of Principal Clerk of the General Synod. The Synod expressed its appreciation for his long and faithful years of service by naming him Principal Clerk, Emeritus.

Dr. Rogers was married to Katherine Lathrop Whiteside of Rock Hill, South Carolina. To them was born one daughter, Suzie Lynn, Mrs. James Moore Fowler, and two grandchildren—Martha Katherine and Millie Blanding.

Thanks be to God for the life and ministry of Arthur Murray Rogers. May the remembrance of his life be as a benediction to all who knew and loved him.

FRANK LESLIE SHANNON
April 1, 1899 — January 13, 1979

Frank L. Shannon was born April, 1899 in Winnsboro, Texas. He received his under-graduate degree from Austin College in 1926, and his seminary degree from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia in 1929. He did additional study at North Texas State College and the University of Southern California.

Mr. Shannon was ordained to the ministry by the Presbyterian Church, U. S., in September of 1929 and began an active pastoral ministry that spanned a period of forty-nine years. He served a number of Presbyterian churches, and as an Army Chaplain in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

On June 22, 1952, he began supplying the Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Winnsboro, S. C. He was called to be pastor of Bethel on November 30, 1952 and was installed on February 22, 1953. He faithfully served the Bethel congregation until his retirement from the active ministry on September 1, 1978.

He is survived by his wife, Frances Inez, who now resides in Texas with their daughter Mrs. Leslie Frances S. Norman.

Frank Shannon will be remembered by those who knew him best as, first and foremost a devoted servant of God; but a servant with a zest for life; a lively sense of humor; a great love for people; and a genuine appreciation of nature and the outdoors. He was a pastor and counselor to his congregation, and a devoted and conscientious presbyter.

He was, as the Apostle Peter, a devoted fisher of fish, but even more-so a fisher of men.

LIST OF DECEASED RULING ELDERS

Church	Name	Yrs. of Service
Catawba Presbytery		
Bethel, S. C.	William T. Sprott	4
Edgemoor	Porter Gaston	26
Edwards Memorial	Jeff Bedenbaugh	3
Hopewell, S. C.	Lewis McDaniel	14
Neely's Creek	D. Grier Lesslie	
New Hope, S. C.	John S. McKeown	11
Rock Hill First	Ira Hallman	11
	Hazel E. Sistare	11
	Albert N. Whiteside	54
Sharon, S. C.	Samuel M. Sherer	53
Shiloh	Edgar L. Robinson(, Sr.	38
Union	Layton Settlemyer	
	Charles B. Reid, Jr	
Unity	Alex M. Steele	26
Lancaster First	J. C. Hollingsworth	
First Presbytery		
Burlington First	Frank Loy	
Charlotte First	Claude Allen	26
Concord	James G. Perkins, Sr.	44
Craig Avenue	O. N. Burgess	4
Garrison Memorial	W. E. Hunter	54
Mooresville	B. B. Young	30
New Covenant	Hugh Kirby	5
New Sterling	H. B. Reese	1½
	George Rhyme	19
Statesville First	Walter Graham	
	Plumer Jones	
	Julian White	
Florida Presbytery		
Lake Wales	Bruce Tinkler	24
Mississippi Valley Presbytery		
Brighton	Russell Moore	71
Havana	William 'Gus' Black	2
Mt. Zion	Lonnie D. Blackmore	8
Parkway Place	Homer Barrett	16
Second Presbytery		
Generostee	Lewis A. Campbell	35
Hopewell, Ga.	William McDonald	
Louisville	James B. Polhill, III	13
Lyndon Grove	J. L. Kennedy	
Ora	J. Benjamin Hunter	30
	William J. Wallace	21
Spartanburg	C. S. Alexander, Sr.	22
Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery		
Camden	Marvin D. Falkenberry	1
Prosperity, Tenn.	Thomas McFerrin	11

Church	Name	Yrs. of Service
Virginia Presbytery		
Edgemont	J. G. Bennett	
Johnson's Creek	John E. Reynolds	
Lauderdale	C. A. Conners, Sr.	
	H. H. Huffman	

OFFICIAL ROLL OF SYNOD

Catawba Presbytery

Ministers: Ray M. Alber (a**), James C. Barker, William L. Barron**, C. Ronald Beard, H. Max Bolin, James H. Boyce, J. G. Brawley, Sr. (a**), C. M. Coffey, J. Allen Derrick, R. Wayne Dickson, C. Thomas Fincher, Rodney A. Foster, J. B. Hendrick, Grant F. Johnson, Ray A. King, Curtis W. Medlin, William F. Mitchell, Forrest J. Musselman **, An Liem Nguyen, Dwight L. Pearson, John E. Pressly (a), James H. Ragsdale **, Robert J. Robinson, Forrest W. Sherrill (a), Ervin Sistar (a), Guy H. Smith, Jr., Calvin W. Todd **, Rabun M. Williams, R. Marshall Wilson, Jerry R. Wolff**, Jerry R. Wright. **Elder-Representatives:** Bethany (Charles McGill, John L. McGill), Bethel (H. Paul Dove), Blacksburg (C. C. Moorehead, Jr.), Centennial (John A. Bigham No. 1, John W. McKeown, Sr. No. 2), Chester (Moffatt White), Church of the Servant*, Clover (Jim Dickson), Eden Terrace (Hal Todd), Edgemoor (Robert L. Starnes), Edwards Memorial (Orean Baston), Faith (None), Hickory Grove (None), Hopewell (W. W. McKown**), Lancaster (Paul P. Robinson) Mt. Pleasant*, Neely's Creek (Mason Boyd No. 1, Martin Leslie No. 2), New Hope (Marion E. Stevenson), Oak Grove (None), Oak Ridge (Gary Bailey), Pleasant Hill (H. O. Richardson), Rock Hill (Thomas M. Oates No. 1, Jack S. Hicklin No. 2), Rogers Memorial (None), Sharon (Lee Sherer), Sherwood Forest (T. S. Watt, W. W. Howell), Shiloh (Leslie M. Draffin), Smyrna (Charles Whitesides), Tirzah (I. L. Oates, Jr.), Union (James Lynn, Jr.), Unity (Eldridge Cox), White Oak (Wm. Banks Patrick), York (Guy H. Smith, Sr.**).

First Presbytery

Ministers: Spears Alexander, L. M. Allison, W. Harris Blair (a**), Joe R. Blevins, Richard A. Bodey, A. C. Bridges, Harry Cain, John Carson, Meredith Cavin, Charles Edwards, Robert B. Elliott, Jr., Charles Evans, Art Fischer, Walter Fleming, W. P. Grier, Jerry Hallman, John Hoeprich, Billy Howell (a**), L. P. Knox **, W. C. Lauderdale, Richard Leoptrott, Earl Linderman, W. A. Macaulay, Jr., Clyde McCants, Bryant McLendon, James McQuiston (a**), Charles Mitchell, Bob Murdock, Baron Nowak, Henry Pressly, W. L. Pressly, Clyde Reed, Lonnie Richardson **, William A. Robfogel, Tim Robinson, K. C. Seawright, Robert Sherer **, Paul Sherrill, Greg Slater, Charles Steele, Robert Wallace, Jr., Mike Woodard. **Elder-Representatives:** Back Creek (C. J. Harkey), Boyce Memorial (Marriott Phifer), Burlington First (Henry Glosson), Chalmers Memorial (C. K. Chittenden), Charlotte First (L. E. Zedaker), Coddle Creek (Crawford A. Graham), Concord (James Frell Caldwell), Covenant (John Kimmons), Craig Avenue (W. H. Jamison), Crowder's Creek (Clyde E. Barker), Ebenezer (Jasper Wilson), Elk Shoals (Atwell Alexander), First Union (Jack Kanipe), Garrison Memorial (None), Gastonia First (R. B. Wilson), Gilead (Ernest Long), Glenwood (J. Lloyd Nance), Huntersville (W. H. Cato), Idlewild (Henry P. Bigham, Jr.), Linden (Roy A. Baker, Sr.), Maupin Avenue (John B. Fisher), Mooresville (Ernest Neel), New Amity (None), New Covenant (Fred O. Sing), New Perth (C. R. Rankin), New Sterling (Clyde Reese), Pinecrest (James Smith), Pisgah (D. B. Clemmer No. 1, Claude Clark No. 2), Pressly Memorial (None), Prosperity (Fred Entrekin), St. Andrew (Campbell L. Stewart), Sandy Plains (Fulton Roper, Charles Abrams), Statesville First (James T. Cashion No.

1,, Ray D. Raymer No. 2), Stony Point (Mack Oliver), Tabernacle (S. L. Boyce **, No. 1, J. P. Alexander **, No. 2), Westminster (None).

Florida Presbytery

Ministers: Bobby E. DeWitt, William H. Faires, Jr., Douglas G. Fleming **, Robert Ingram, R. T. Nelson (a**), Grady R. Oates, Will W. Orr, Harold B. Probes, Jr., W. O. Ragsdale, David M. Rockness, Jan Senneker, W. Brad Sutherland, Jr., William H. Tyson. **Elder-Representatives:** Avon Park (Robert Clawson), Bartow (Monte Campbell **), Community Chapel By-the-Sea (James Ballou **), Covenant (Walter J. Coleman), Faith *, Grace *, Lake Placid (Dudley Gillette), Lake Wales (Ellis Hunt No. 1, Don Pollard No. 2), New Hope (O. R. Elkes), Trinity (Jack A. Wilson).

Mississippi Valley Presbytery

Ministers: John S. Banks (a), Charles S. Carroll, James Coad, III, John A. Coad, Webster Curry, Charles W. Echols, Wm. B. Everett **, Nale Falls **, Robert G. Herrmann **, Bruce Hoyt, James A. Hunt **, Stephen Irby, Gary Letchworth, Dale Maddox, Neil McCarter, Thomas G. Morris **, Alton Roberts, J. Calvin Smith, Wayne Stanchfield, Charles Y. Todd, J. Roger Wade, Zeb C. Williams. **Elder-Representatives:** Bethany (None), Brighton (F. M. Huffman), Covington (A. J. Roy), Ebenezer (Thomas Stewart), Elsberry (Burton Bass), Havana (None), Hickory Springs (None), Hopewell (None), Lawndale (Joe Fennell), Memphis (V. A. Lloyd), Midlane Park (None), Mt. Zion (None), New Albany (James Edwards **), New Life *, Parkway Place (Cache L. Motley **), Pottsville (None), Providence *, Richland (Harry McCalla), Rives (None), St. Paul (Ben Ferguson), Salem (Buford Kinney), Shady Grove (None), Sharon (None), Southwest (Mike Velez), Troy (None), Wood Avenue (Walter A. Moffatt **).

Second Presbytery

Ministers: Arthur M. Allan, J. Frank Beard, Roy E. Beckham, W. F. Blakely (a), Edward L. Bland, William J. Boyd (a**), Conrad E. Cheatham, James Coad, Jr., James T. Corbitt, Donald W. Elliott, Gary Fravel, Michael L. Garvey, E. Gettys (a**), Tony D. Grant, Paul L. Grier, W. C. Halliday, Lee P. Kennerly, W. E. Kirkpatrick, P. Allen Larson, Joseph B. Lennon, Harold S. Mace, Robert J. Marshburn, George W. McBane (a), J. B. McFerrin, R. R. McGregor, Robert S. Miles, Jr., Kenneth F. Morris, Gary L. Pierstorff, Randall T. Ruble, William T. Sherer, J. Palmer Steele, Francis T. White, Harry C. White, Charles W. Wilson. **Elder-Representatives:** Abbeville (James Beauford), Bethel (None), Bethlehem (Paul Strawhorn), Cannon's Creek (None), Cedar Springs (None), Doraville (Marvin E. Wilson No. 1, John C. Roberts No. 2), Due West (Reynolds Young), Ebenezer (John Clark), Generostee (Joe Campbell (a)), Grace *, Greenville (B. R. Skelton No. 1, W. N. Wasson No. 2), Greenwood (Bill Milling), Grier Memorial (Wayne Brady), Highlands (Harold Dye (a)), Hopewell, GA (Paul Wilson), Iva (W. P. Bowie), Louisville (R. M. Culvern), Lower Long Cane (W. E. Robinson, Jr.), Lyndon Grove (Dodd Vernon), McElroy Memorial (Francis McCullough), Mt. Carmel (John A. McAllister, Jr., R. D. McDill), Newberry (Ralph S. Boazman), Ora (Milton Y. Blakely), Pressly Memorial (None), Providence (Marvin Turner), Spartanburg (C. W. Rainey). Troy (W. E. Robinson), Tucker (None), White Oak (Lamon Rogers, Lisle Bowers), Woodruff (None **), Wrens (Robert Whitaker), Young Memorial (J. H. Young).

Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery

Ministers: Robert P. Brawley, L. Calvin Draffin, Charles F. Edgar, James R. Fee, R. C. Kennedy (a), Theodore Owens (a), Harold M. Pearson, T. L. Wilson, Jr. (a). **Elder-Representatives:** Bethel (Jacob C. Harper, Jr.), Camden (Hugh Dale), Cleveland Street (Herman M. Lesley), Fayetteville (Robert C. Adler), Hopewell (J. L. Patterson), Lincoln Memorial (None), Pressly Memorial (None), Prosperity, AL (Burns Sanderson), Prosperity, TN (Clyde Sheffield).

Virginia Presbytery

Ministers: James M. Bell, Sr., Paul A. Campbell (a**), G. J. Gerard, M. E. Gilbert, M. B. Grier (a**), William M. Harris, Jr., D. O. Jones, Troy C. Pritt (a**), A. K. Whitesides (a**). **Elder-Representatives:** Ballston Center (Robert S. Trieble), Broad Creek (None), Ebenezer (Wm. E. Hartless **), Edgemont (Robert Dame), Fairlea (None), Johnson's Creek (Alfred Paxton), Kingsborough *, Ladd (Robert Morris), Lauderdale (Albert E. Nicely **), New Lebanon (None), Old Providence (George J. Davis, Sr.), Spring Valley (None), Timber Ridge (None), Wildhurst (None).

Others: Immediate Past Moderator, Elder C. B. Todd; Vice-Moderator, Elder Michael E. Bender; Missionaries who are Teaching Elders: R. L. Brunson (a), P. G. Covone, R. Boyce Wilson.

NOTE: Several churches were represented by different Elder-Representatives at different times. Those are listed in series without a number. Where Elder-Representatives are numbered, two Elder Representatives were authorized.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S SYNODICAL UNION TO THE GENERAL SYNOD

Mrs. Harry McCalla, Synodical President

Mr. Moderator, Fathers and Brethren, Fellow Christians,

In my report to the General Synod a year ago, we took a glance at the beginning of the Woman's Work at Old Steele Creek Church in 1818, a brief look at the state of the Synodical Union in 1978, and posed the question, "What of the future?"

Now, one year of that future is history, and we bring you some of the events of that year. Our chief purpose in the WSU is to serve Christ in our own churches, our communities, and in the world. We have emphasized personal spiritual growth and the discovery of our spiritual gifts, to be dedicated to the building up of the Kingdom of God, here and now.

To this end we have engaged in many activities and projects. One of the American Bible Society representatives of our denomination, Mrs. Michael S. Bender, presented to us the opportunity to serve as Church Representatives of the ABS in our own local churches. Over one hundred of our WOC organizations responded, and each received a set of materials to be displayed in the local church. These materials can be ordered at a very low cost, and are useful for visitation, for Sabbath School classes, for youth groups, and for Daily Vacation Bible School. We urge each pastor, session, and Christian Education committee to look carefully at these materials and see which will be useful to your work, and order them through your Church Representative.

The General Synod of 1978 approved a WSU representative on Boards and Committees on which there had previously been no WSU representative. Names were submitted to Synod's Nominating Committee for these places, and these nominees will be presented to the 1979 General Synod for its vote.

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* Mission Congregation. No Elder Representative authorized.
** Excused absence for all or a portion of the meeting.

The WSU engaged in days of prayer and fasting during the meetings of the Reconciliation Committee in February, and has continued to pray that the efforts begun there will grow and flourish and bear fruit. We have continued our prayers for this meeting of the General Synod.

We continue to provide grants from the Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund to three young men in medical school who are planning to go to the mission field. In January each of them received $1,640.00 from this fund.

Monies given for Dunlap which were not redesignated were given to provide seed money for the clinic in the Huasteca Indian area of Mexico. We rejoice at the opening of this Clinic in February.

The WSU has designated $30,000.00 this year toward the purchase of a new church site, to be chosen by the Board of Church Extension. We hope that soon a site will be selected, and a new work begun.

Approval was given for study and consideration of a camp at Bonclarken for mentally handicapped young people, to be held in 1980. Plans are in motion under the leadership of the Department of Christian Education to make this a reality.

A Talent Bank of women is being established by the WSU to tap the great reserve of dedicated and capable women through out our denomination. This will be used by Synodical Nominating Committees and the Synodical President for the selection of officers and the appointment of committees.

The publication of the History of the Woman's Work will be our contribution to the Bicentennial Celebration in 1982.

Many of our local WOC's have adopted dormitories, or dormitory floors, at Erskine College, and have sent letters, cards, and boxes of goodies, to show our Erskine students that we are truly interested in them as persons.

Materials are sent back from the Conference to each local WOC for their help with the next year's work. Synod's Emphasis was coordinated with our Department work, and suggested programs are put in the magazine one month prior to their use. A devotional for the magazine is written each month by a member of our Publications Committee, and the Synodical President and each Department Chairman provide material for each issue of the magazine.

We regret that our active membership is down by 27 members to a total of 4,746. We are glad that giving is up. Total gifts to Synodical causes increased over $7,000.00 in 1978. Total gifts, including $58,946.62 spent in local congregations, amounted to $239,873.13. We thank God for the generosity of the women.

The largest proportion of our gifts continues to go to Foreign Missions as we support the Nancy Fulwood Hospital, the Adult Literacy program, the Correspondence and Mable L. Pressly Schools in Pakistan; the Neil E. Pressly Clinic, the J. L. Pressly Dispensary, and now The Good Samaritan Clinic for the Huasteca Indians in Mexico. Our Jubilee Birthday offerings go to the support of Dr. Margaret White and Mrs. Imogene Cavone. Our White Cross offerings provide medical supplies for both fields.

Our women are interested in Church Extension. At the beginning of the year our Spiritual Life Chairman, Mrs. Clyde Reed, challenged each local circle to set a goal of bringing new members into the congregation, in cooperation with Synod's goal of 2000 in 1982. She gave some very practical ways to go about this. This first step is to begin praying for a non-church family with whom we have some contact. Then we need to visit them, show love and care for their needs, and invite them to our circles and services. This is Church Extension right where we are, and this kind doesn't allow us to send a check and thereby mark off our responsibility. Our Witness and Outreach Chairman had many practical suggestions for this work also.

Erskine College and Seminary are dear to the hearts of our women. During 1978 almost $2,000.00 was given to the Seminary for the Library, and monies were given to help with a Conference on Worship, in addition to the regular contributions.

The Conference ministry here at Bonclarken has an important place in our priorities. Interest remains high in making hand made items for the Gift Shop. Half the profits from the sale of these items goes to Bonclarken, and the other half goes to the WSU for its projects. The theme for the Adult Conference this year is "Carry the Word'" which fits in perfectly with the Emphasis for the year, "To Know Christ, and Make Him Known." Miss Janet Robinson of Charlotte, N. C., will be the Bible Teacher for the book of Genesis.

One of the WSU recommendations for 1979 is that local WOC establish and provide full or partial scholarships for our youth to attend the summer conferences sponsored by the Board of Christian Education. We are grateful that God has provided a Director for the Department of Christian Education.

Last year in our report we expressed the hope that pastors would invite their local WOC officers to participate in the planning process for the year's work. Our causes are the same. Our concerns are the same. Let us work together more closely to draw our congregations into the total work of Christ's church. If you have never asked your WOC officers to help in this way, why not try it this year, and see if their spiritual gifts will be a blessing to the whole congregation.

Since my last report to you my activities have included attendance at meetings of Synod's Executive Board, the Erskine Board of Trustees, the Synodical Executive Committee, Board and Union meetings, the Adult Conference, the meetings of Mississippi Valley, Catawba, First, and Virginia Presbyterials, Conferences on Church Growth and Missions, as an observer at the Reconciliation Committee meeting, and the Robinson Lectures and the Pastor's Whitesides Institute.

This will be my last report to you as Synodical President, I wish to express my appreciation for the many courtesies and the gracious reception you have accorded me as the representative of the WSU.

My prayer for all of us is that we may press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus—that we may be conformed more and more to the image of Christ.

THE PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL FOR CHAPLAINS AND MILITARY PERSONNEL—ANNUAL REPORT 1978

The Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel serves as the agency representing five denominations of the Presbyterian family: The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; The Cumberland Presbyterian Church; The Presbyterian Church in the U. S.; The Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church; and the United Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. Twenty-two members of the Council are elected by the denominations. Additionally, the Stated Clerk or Principal Clerk of each body serves **ex officio.** Offices are located at 4125 Nebraska Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016.

Primary responsibilities are listed in the mandate to recruit and ecclesiastically endorse Presbyterian clergy to serve as chaplains to the military services and Veterans Administration Medical Centers; to provide ecclesiastical supervision and support for those chaplains; and to represent the Church to the government in all matters relating to the ministry to and welfare of Presbyterians serving in the Armed Forces.

To accomplish this, the Council maintains relationships with the church judicatories and the appropriate agencies of each denomination. The Council is a member of: The General Commission on Chaplains and Armed Forces

Personnel (composed of representatives of approximately thirty-five protestant denominations); The Conference of Ecclesiastical Endorsing Agents for the Armed Forces (an interfaith conference which meets semi-annually with the Armed Forces Chaplains Board); and The Endorsers Conference for the Veterans Administration Chaplaincy (an interfaith conference which meets semi-annually with the Director of Chaplaincy Services for the Veterans Administration).

To remind the chaplains, military commanders, and Medical Center Directors that the Church is concerned about this ministry, the Council staff engages in a program of visitation to the chaplains (and their families when possible) where they are assigned. The commanders are reminded that the chaplains are unique among commissioned officers in that they are responsible to the church, as well as to the service of which they are a part. Although most such visits can be scheduled well in advance, there are occasionally critical situations which may demand immediate attention by the staff. During 1978, the staff had opportunity to see approximately two hundred chaplains at their places of assignment, at retreats or conferences, or at the Council office. Additionally, approximately fifty chaplains who serve in the Reserve or National Guard components were visited at various conferences during the year.

As of 31 December 1978, there were 211 Presbyterian pastors serving on active duty with the Armed Forces. An additional 30 pastors served as Veterans Administration Medical Center chaplains, making a total of 241 serving in full-time chaplaincies. Of these, 7 are clergy of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; 18 are clergy of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church; 57 are clergy of the Presbyterian Church, U. S.; and 159 are clergy of the United Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. Other Presbyterian pastors have extended their ministry beyond their own local congregations to serve as Reserve or National Guard Chaplains (325), as Part-time chaplains with the Veterans Administration (50), or as chaplains with the Civil Air Patrol (100). Approximately 20 students are enrolled in, or are in the process of enrollment in, the Seminarian Programs of the three military services.

In 1978, 5 pastors entered active duty with the Army; 3 with the Navy; and 4 with the Air Force. In that same period, 9 chaplains retired from active duty; 2 were released from active duty; and 2 died while on active duty.

A retreat for Presbyterians stationed in Europe was held at Berchtesgaden, Germany, during the first week of May. Chaplain Jack Ettershank, with the assistance of other Presbyterian and Reformed chaplains in Germany, served as European Coordinator. Dr. Bryant Kirkland, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church of New York City, was the retreat leader for the Presbyterian personnel attending.

During July, a retreat was held at Grove City College for the chaplains and their families stationed east of the Mississippi. The Rev. Charles Bartow, pastor of the Deep Run Presbyterian Church of Perkasie, PA, gave leadership in the field of Communications and Homiletics and the evening worship services and a Thursday Seminar were conducted by the Rev. R. Stanley Wood of the offices of the General Assembly of the Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Huntsville, AL. Local churches generously provided staff and facilities for an outstanding program for children and youth. A record number of persons were present to share in this outstanding retreat experience.

The Council has been saddened by the deaths of two chaplains during the year. In January, Chaplain Allen Streett was killed outside his home in Indianapolis during a hold up. In August, Chaplain Daniel W. Clem died when the helicopter in which he was a passenger exploded and crashed on a flight in Germany. Both were outstanding chaplains, highly regarded by their commanders and the military personnel who had received their ministry. They are missed by their families and all who knew them.

Opportunities for entering active duty chaplaincy are not as numerous as in some previous years, but there is a continuing need for pastors to serve in Reserve and National Guard Chaplaincies. The Council continues to require two years of ordained pastoral experience prior to ecclesiastical endorsement for Active Duty, to insure that those entering full-time chaplaincy are thoroughly familiar with the Presbyterian church and experienced in the work with the judicatories. This requirement is not held for those entering the Reserve or National Guard chaplaincies. However, anyone seeking ecclesiastical endorsement must have the approval of the parent presbytery.

Although the chaplains report quarterly to both the presbytery and the Council, there remains the need for communication by the presbyteries with their members on active duty. There also is the evident need for local churches to maintain communication with their young men and women in uniform who without such evidence of pastoral care and supportive prayers, may very easily be lost to the church.

The Council expresses its appreciation to the member denominations for the support provided. It seeks opportunity to interpret the ministry of the chaplains to those in whose name they serve. It further solicits the support prayers that our Presbyterians in the Armed Forces, together with other thousands yet unchurched, may always have the most effective spiritual ministry the church can provide.

THE THEOLOGICAL AND BIBLICAL BASIS FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

(Received as Information)

For the past thirty years the issue of human rights has been before the peoples of the world as never before in history.

Since 1946, with the creation of the UN's Commission on Human Rights, many UN actions in the fiield of human rights have been undertaken, notably The Universal declaration of Human Rights (1948), the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (1966) and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (1966).

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights is based in part on the U. S. Bill of Rights, containing thirty articles that cover the full range of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights.

The International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights addresses itself to such issues as freedom from hunger, the right to an adequate standard of living, favorable working conditions and the right to an education.

The International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights includes, among others, statements on the right to life, liberty, security and privacy of person, freedom of expression and assembly, and the right of equality before law.

Just what are "human rights"? Most often we think of human rights as being limited to traditional civil liberties: freedom of speech, protection from torture, due process of law, etc. But coupled with these political rights, for example, are the rights of everyone to food, shelter, employment, health care and education.

From the Christian point of view, what is the biblical warrant for addressing the cause of human rights?

Actually the Church not only has a warrant but an obligation to speak to the whole issue of human rights in light of the fact that the present vast worldthrust for rights is in large part a kind of horizontal secular effort which does not take into account man's vertical relationships to the sovereign God, Maker of heaven and earth. It would also seem to be the Church's solemn responsibility to witness to the often unheeded biblical and theological dimension which affirms God's provision for the redemption of fallen man as manifested in the

work of his only begotten Son, and that it is this salvation by Another than man which saves human morality. Put in another way, this is to say that man's being right with God is the only enduring foundation which insures and establishes the rights of man.

In addition, the Scriptures from Moses to the prophets to the gospels are the divine source of specifics which bear upon the issue at hand. The ten commandments, for example, would appear to be the perfect position paper which outlines God's moral order for human enterprises which seek to establish justice in the varied relationships of man to man.

One of the fundamental teachings of Holy Scripture is Yahweh's concern for social righteousness. Under the old covenant we read, for example:

> You shall not pervert justice; you shall not show partiality; and you shall not take a bribe, for a bribe blinds the eyes of the wise and subverts the cause of righteousness. Justice, and only justice, you shall follow, that you may live and inherit the land which the Lord your God gives you (Deuteronomy 16:19, 20).
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> Woe to those who decree iniquitous decrees, and the writers who keep writing oppression, to turn aside the needy from justice and to rob the poor of my people of their right, that widows may be their spoil, and that they may make the fatherless their prey! (Isaiah 10:1, 2).

When we come to the new covenant, Jesus stands exactly in the Hebrew tradition of Hebrew justice. Jesus describes his mission on earth by quoting from the prophet Isaiah:

> The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord (Luke 4:18, 19).

He further teaches:

> When the Son of man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. Before him will be gathered all the nations, and he will separate them one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will place the sheep at his right hand, but the goats at the left. Then the King will say to those at his right hand, "Come, O blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when did we see thee hungry and feed thee, or thirsty and give thee drink? And when did we see thee a stranger and welcome thee, or naked and clothe thee? And when did we see thee sick or in prison and visit thee? And the King will answer them, "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me." Then he will say to those at his left hand, "Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me no drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not clothe me, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when did we see thee hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to thee?" Then he will answer them, "Truly, I say to you, as you did it not to one of the least of these, you did it not to me." And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life (Matthew 25: 31-46).

It was likewise in the early Church. The apostle James writes in the same vein:

> Come now, you rich, weep and howl for the miseries that are coming upon you. Your riches have rotted and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver have rusted, and their rust will be evidence against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have laid up treasure for the last days. Behold, the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, cry out; and the cry of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. You have lived on the earth in luxury and in pleasure; you have fattened your hearts in a day of slaughter. You have condemned, you have killed the righteous man; he does not resist you (James 5:1-6).

Justice and human rights, it seems, are part and parcel of biblical teachings. For the Christian, God has redeemed us by the Cross and Resurrection of Jesus Christ, has incorporated us in Christ's Body, the Church, and has called us to loving service in the world, that is, to do justice and righteousness. God calls us to serve, both corporately and individually, in the ongoing struggle for justice, including human rights, in light of Jesus' life and teachings.

Our understanding then of the biblical view of justice leads us to affirm these principles:

1. Following Christ, the Church must show compassion and equal respect for all persons, especially, the poor, the disadvantaged, and those with insufficient power to assure their rights.

2. The Church is to be concerned for all people; rich, poor, those in leadership positions, etc. The Church is not called by God to preserve any human status groups but to bring His Word to bear upon all phases of life.

3. When social structure (temporal authority) have ceased to serve just and humanitarian purposes, changes (non-violent) are in order.

God's righteous will for persons is that they serve Him through responsible care for one another and for the creation:

> He has showed you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God? (Micah 6:8).
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> Thou hast given him dominion over the works of thy hands; thou has put all things under his feet (Psalm 8:6).

As Christians we are empowered by God's Spirit to perform our vocations in the world under the sign of the Cross. This includes following Christ as he related to persons and society of his day, though in the end it meant for him rejection and death. As Christ fed the hungry, so must we; as Christ received the outsider and stranger, so must we; as Christ transcended ethnic and racial biases, so must we; as Christ met women as equals with full personhood, so must we; and as Christ placed persons above property, so must we.

In keeping with the emphasis today on human rights, the Church needs to search its Scripture to discern the mind of Christ on this matter. That done, the Church then needs to do the will of Christ, however painful and dangerous. The Church needs to develop a theology of living the Gospel here and now in light of Christ's coming Kingdom. Wherever brokenness exists, the Church needs to participate in God's work of healing; wherever men and women suffer from oppression, the Church needs to work for God's act of liberation; and wherever men and women are deprived of basic human needs and opportunities, the Church needs to do God's work of justice and righteousness.

Human rights are more than just the concern of member nations of the UN. Human rights are ultimately the concern of Yahweh. For Christians to neglect human rights, for whatever reason, is to run into the face of him who cares about such things as an adequate standard of living, favorable working conditions, education, liberty, security, equality before law, etc.

The tragedy of today within the Church is that the issue of human rights has been placed on the world's agenda not by the Church but by political states. Yet, the Church, having the prior mandate, ought to do all that is within its power to guarantee human rights for all the peoples of the earth, trusting Him who establishes and determines the worth of every man and woman, who at the beginning made them in His likeness.

In summary, given the biblical emphasis of Yahweh's concern for human rights, the Church should support the biblical principles enunciated in the UN Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the International Covenant on Economics, Social and Cultural Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, so that those made in the image of God may not be denied God's blessings.

> Thus says the Lord: "Let not the wise . . . glory in . . . wisdom, let not the mighty . . . glory in . . . might, let not the rich . . . glory in riches; but let those who glory in this, that they understand and know me, that I am the Lord who practices steadfast love, justice, and righteousness in the earth; for in these things I delight, says the Lord (Jeremiah 9:23, 24).

THE PRESBYTERIAN FORM OF CHURCH GOVERNMENT AND THE BIBLE

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The purpose of this paper is to explore the relationship between the Presbyterian form of church government and the Bible. The standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church define the Presbyterian form of church government as "government by Presbyters (elders) assembled in church courts." (**Standards**, p. 172).

The **Westminster Confession of Faith**, while recognizing that the Bible does not deal in detail with all matters pertaining to church government, insists that the government of the church is to be ordered "By the light of nature and Christian prudence, **according to the general rules of the word**, which are always to be observed." (**Standards**, p. 14)

In like manner, John Calvin expressed the view that in regard to church government, "we must take refuge in those **general rules** which (God) has given, that whatever the church will require for order and decorum should be tested against these." (**Institutes**, 4, 10, 30)

The Book of Government of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, like John Calvin and the Westminster Confession, recognizes that the Scriptures "do not teach a detailed form of church government" but insists that the presbyterian form "is agreeable to and founded upon Old and New Testament principles." (**Standards**, p. 172)

Thus, John Calvin, the Westminster divines and Associate Reformed Presbyterians agree that the presbyterian form of church government is based on Biblical principles.

An effort will now be made to show how John Calvin and the Westminster divines related the presbyterian form of church government to the Scriptures.

Calvin saw the Scripture as teaching the divine institution of the office of elder and as using the term "elder" interchangeably with the terms "bishops", "pastors", and "ministers". "There are four orders of office instituted by our Lord for the government of His church. First, pastors; then doctors; next elders;

and fourth deacons." ("Ecclesiastical Ordinances", **Library of Christian Classics**, Volume XXII, p. 58) "But in indiscriminately calling those who rule the church 'bishops', 'presbyters', 'pastors', and 'ministers', I did so according to Scriptural usage which interchanges these terms." (**Institutes**, 4, 3, 8) "For we read that Paul and Barnabus created presbyters in the individual churches of Lystra, Antioch, and Iconium (Acts 14: 22-23), and Paul himself bade Titus appoint presbyters in every town (Titus 1: 5)." (**Institutes**, 4, 3, 7)

Calvin saw the Scripture as endorsing the concept of church government by elders assembled in a church court. "Governors (I Corinthians 12:28) were, I believe, elders chosen from the people, who were charged with the censure of morals and the exercise of discipline along with the bishops (ministers). For one cannot otherwise interpret (Paul's) statement, 'Let him who rules act with diligence' (Romans 12:8). Each church, therefore, had from its beginning a senate, chosen from godly, grave and holy men, which had jurisdiction over the correcting of faults . . . now experience itself makes clear that this sort of order was not confined to one age. Therefore, this office of government is necessary for all ages." (**Institutes**, 4, 3, 8)

Although Calvin did not work out a system of graded church courts, he believed that the concept of representative higher church courts had the support of the Scripture. "Holy synods assembled since the beginning, that grave men and such as were well exercised in the work of God might decide controversies, not after their own pleasure, but according to the authority of God." (Commentary on Acts 15:2).

The Westminster Assembly was assembled to deal specifically with the matter of church government. On Thursday, October 12, 1643 Parliament reminded the Assembly to get on with the task which had been given to it, viz. "to confer and treat among themselves of such a discipline and **government** as may be most agreeable to God's holy word. . . ." (Alexander F. Mitchell, **The Westminster Assembly; Its History and Standards**, p. 246)

After long and heated debates between Presbyterians and Congregationalists, the Assembly put its stamp of approval on presbyterian government, accepting the proposition that "government by preaching and ruling elders in presbyteries and synods is **jure divino.**" (Mitchell, p. 190)

An effort will not be made to show the Scripture data used by the Westminster Assembly in support of the presbyterian form of government adopted by the Assembly. This information is derived from a study of the form of government adopted by the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America in 1788—a form of government substantially like that adopted by the Westminster Assembly. Only those parts of the form of government which relate to government by elders assembled in church courts are being examined.

> "Ruling elders are properly the representatives of the people, chosen by them for the purpose of exercising government and discipline, in conjunction with pastors or ministers." (I Tim. 5:17) (Romans 12:7-8; Acts 14:25).
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> "It is absolutely necessary that the government of the church be exercised under some certain and definite form. And we hold it to be expedient and agreeable to Scripture and the practice of the primitive Christians that the church be governed by congregational, presbyterial, and synodical assemblies." (Acts 14:5-6).
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> "The church being divided into many separate congregations, these need mutual counsel and assistance, in order to preserve soundness of doctrine, and regularity of discipline, and to enter into common measures for promoting knowledge and religion, and for preventing infidelity, error, and immorality. Hence arise the importance and usefulness of presbyterian and synodical assemblies." (The Church of Jerusalem consisted of more

than one, as is manifest both before and after the dispersion, from Acts 6:1, 6. Acts 9:31. Acts 22:20. Acts 2:41, 46, 47 and Acts 4:4. These congregations were under one presbyterial government, proved from Acts 15:4. Acts 11:22, 30. Acts 21:17, 18. Acts 6. That the Church of Ephesus had more congregations than one, under a presbyterial government, appears from Acts 19:18, 19, 20. I Cor. 16:8, 9, 19 compared with Acts 18:19, 24, 26. Acts 20:17, 18, 25, 28, 30, 31, 36, 37. Rev. 2:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

I Tim. 4:14. Neglect not the gift that is in thee, which was given thee by prophecy, with the laying on of the hands of the presbytery. Acts 15:2, 3, 4, 6, 22—And when they were come to Jerusalem, they were received of the church, and of the apostles and elders, and they declared all things that God had done with them.—And the apostles and elders came together for to consider of this matter.

Specifics concerning presbyterial duties and prerogatives:

"The presbytery has power to receive and issue appeals, complaints, and references from church sessions." (Acts 15:5, 6, 19, 20).

"to examine and license candidates for the holy ministry" (Acts 18:24, 27; Acts 19:1-7).

"to ordain, install, remove and judge ministers" (I Tim. 4:14) (Acts 13:2, 3).

"to examine and approve or censure the records of the church sessions" (no scriptural support cited).

"to visit particular churches, for the purpose of inquiring into their state, and redressing the evils that may have arisen in them" (Acts 15:22, 23, 24).

"to unite or divide congregations, at the request of the people, or to form or receive new congregations, and in general to order whatever pertains to the spiritual welfare of the churches under their care." (Acts 20:17; Eph. 6:18).

No scriptural documentation given for such matters as the following:
—keeping records of presbyterial proceedings and reporting to synod.
—regular and special meetings.
—sermons at presbytery.

Regarding synods—their makeup—their duties—quorum, etc.,—a note states that synodical assemblies have the same scriptural support as do presbyterial assemblies.

This study supports the position stated in our denominational standards:

"While the Scriptures do not teach a detailed form of church government, the presbyterian form—that which governs the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church—is *agreeable to* and founded upon Old and New Testament principles." (*Standards*, p. 172)

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN RETIREMENT PLAN
COMBINING STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1978

	Combined	Trust	Plan Treasurer
Income from investments:			
Dividend and interest income	$ 66,366	$ 66,366	$ .....
Realized net gain from sales, maturities or redemption of investments:			
Proceeds	46,767	46,767	.....
Cost	40,089	40,089	.....
Net realized gain	6,678	6,678	.....
Unrealized gain on investments:			
Unrealized gain (loss) at beginning of year	(48,167)	(48,167)	.....
Unrealized gain (loss) at end of year	(74,671)	(74,671)	.....
	(26,504)	(26,504)	.....
Contributions:			
Churches	102,854	.....	102,854
General Synod of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and Agencies	9,636	.....	9,636
Income from Ola B. Hunter Trust	2,353	.....	2,353
	114,843	.....	114,843
Transfers to Trustee	.....	106,740	(106,740)
	161,383	153,280	8,103
Benefits paid from Trust	62,858	62,858	.....
Plan Expenses:			
Acturial and accounting services	8,287	.....	8,287
Trustee fees	6,171	6,171	.....
Other	58	.....	58
	77,374	69,029	8,345
Increase (decrease) in net assets for the year	84,009	84,251	(242)
Net assets:			
At beginning of year	991,512	991,244	268
At end of year	$1,075,521	$1,075,495	$ 26

HANSEN, PEARSON & ASSOCIATES, P.A. Certified Public Accountants

Board of Trustees
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated

We have examined the combined balance sheet of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1978 and 1977, and the related combined statement of fund balance, statement of changes in capital, and the individual fund statements of revenues and expenditures for the years then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1978 and 1977, and the results of its operations and the changes in its fund balances for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

January 5, 1979

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	September 30 1978	1977
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash	$ 22,581	$ 29,183
Certificates of Deposit	–0–	5,057
Pledges Receivable	47,696	68,921
Less: Allowance for Doubtful Pledges	(47,696)	(68,921)
Accounts Receivable	576	1,612
Inventory	969	1,387
Interfund Loan Receivable from Building Fund	31,097	2,200
Prepaid Insurance	5,533	5,010
Loan—Hotel Project	1,226	1,226
Total Current Assets	$ 61,982	$ 45,675
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Land	$ 223,330	$ 223,330
Lake	46,600	46,600
Furniture and Fixtures	122,247	122,106
Machinery and Equipment	192,719	189,190
Buildings and Improvements	1,207,149	1,202,437
Total	$ 1,792,045	$ 1,783,663
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	472,837	384,681
Property, Plant and Equipment—Net	$ 1,319,208	$ 1,398,982

OTHER ASSETS:		
Unallocated Pinecrest Estates Development Costs	$ 45,534	$ –0–
Pinecrest Land	45,193	52,725
Total Other Assets	$ 90,727	$ 52,725
TOTAL ASSETS	$ 1,471,917	$ 1,497,382

LIABILITIES, CAPITAL AND FUND BALANCE	September 30 1978	1977
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Payroll Taxes Payable	$ 1,563	$ 1,581
Interfund Loan Payable to Operating Fund	31,097	2,200
Advance Deposits	100	140
Accounts Payable	7,326	3,975
Sales Tax Payable	939	662
Note Payable	40,000	50,000
Accrued Interest Payable	1,341	350
Deposits on Pinecrest Estates Lots	2,000	–0–
Total Current Liabilities	$ 84,366	$ 58,908
CAPITAL AND FUND BALANCE:		
Capital	$ 915,121	$ 922,653
Fund Balance	472,430	515,821
Total Capital and Fund Balance	$ 1,387,551	$ 1,438,474
TOTAL LIABILITIES, CAPITAL AND FUND BALANCE	$ 1,471,917	$ 1,497,382

COMBINED STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE

	Combined	Operating Fund	Development Fund	Building Fund	Property Plant and Equipment Fund
FUND BALANCE—OCTOBER 1, 1976	$ 556,021	$ 21,069	$ 8,606	$ (46,388)	$ 572,734
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)—1977	(40,200)	4,823	(1,701)	358	(43,680)
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT)—SEPTEMBER 30, 1977	$ 515,821	$ 25,892	$ 6,905	$ (46,030)	$ 529,054
TRANSFER FROM PLANT, PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT FUND CAPITAL	7,532	7,532	.....	.....	.....
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)—1978	(50,923)	14,740	(4,866)	18,976	(79,773)
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT)—SEPTEMBER 30, 1978	$ 472,430	$ 48,164	$ 2,039	$ (27,054)	$ 449,281

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN CAPITAL

	Year Ended September 30 1978	1977
BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	$ 922,653	$ 922,653
TRANSFER OF PINECREST LOT COSTS TO OPERATING FUND	(7,532)	–0–
BALANCE AT END OF PERIOD	$ 915,121	$ 922,653

OPERATING FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

OPERATING REVENUES:		
Meals	$ 73,368	$ 72,860
Room Rent	59,065	56,270
Apartment and Cottage Rent	12,529	9,866
Camp Income	–0–	2,107
Gift Shop and Canteen Income	6,989	7,935
Maintenance Fees	721	679
Road Fees	2,549	2,625
Water and Sewer Service	3,361	2,637
Garbage Collection	1,292	1,345
Sales Tax Refund	883	3,782
Insurance Receipts	–0–	35
Interest	18	96
Telephone	183	178
Heat, Lights and Power	232	219
Grounds	1,728	1,374
Miscellaneous	2,675	1,184
Total Operating Revenues	$ 165,593	$ 163,192
OPERATING EXPENDITURES:		
Salaries—Administrative	$ 35,483	$ 33,784
—Housekeeping	14,285	18,375
—Maintenance	27,342	27,928
—Camp	–0–	1,470
—Kitchen and Dining Room	–0–	33
—Gift Shop	2,608	2,687
—Canteen	1,837	3,142
—Contract Labor and Other Salaries	1,342	1,657
Payroll Taxes	3,936	4,236
Retirement	900	525
Food and Catering	57,268	53,866
Supplies (Including Shop)	3,133	3,656
Office Expenses	1,385	2,469
Telephone and Telegraph	2,382	2,234
Heat, Lights and Power	18,174	16,146
Water and Sewage	3,968	3,223
Staff Medical Expense	17	131
Repairs and Maintenance	6,006	5,082
Grounds	6,805	3,875
Auto, Truck and Tractor Expense	1,330	1,993
Promotional	1,796	1,265

	Year Ended September 30 1978	1977
Travel	2,403	2,420
Laundry	2,903	3,319
Garbage Service	2,425	2,242
Camp Expenses	830	1,360
Insurance	12,192	10,532
Legal and Professional Fees	3,740	3,501
Employee Welfare	50	–0–
Taxes and Licenses	5,884	4,775
Dues and Subscriptions	160	234
Miscellaneous Expense	497	2,122
Patrol Service	120	120
Contributions	30	150
Purchase of Assets for Property, Plant and Equipment Fund	8,861	8,736
Total Operating Expenditures	$ 230,092	$ 227,288
EXCESS OPERATING EXPENDITURES	$ (64,499)	$ (64,096)
CONTRIBUTED REVENUES:		
General Synod	$ 40,954	$ 39,891
Women's Synodical Union	10,201	9,485
Gifts and Memorials	5,760	8,513
Supplemental Offerings	12,202	11,030
Building and Operating Subsidy from Development Fund	5,000	–0–
Total Contributed Revenues	$ 74,117	$ 68,919
PINECREST DEVELOPMENT PROJECT:		
Pinecrest Estates Lot Sales	$ 23,500	$ –0–
Less: Development Costs Attributable to Lots Sold	(9,505)	–0–
Interest Expense	(1,341)	–0–
Cost of Lots Sold	(7,532)	–0–
Net Income from Pinecrest Project	$ 5,122	$ –0–
EXCESS REVENUES	$ 14,740	$ 4,823

DEVELOPMENT FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

REVENUES:		
Interest Income	$ 134	$ 312
EXPENDITURES:		
Subsidy to Operating Fund	$ 5,000	–0–
Purchase of Assets for Property, Plant and Equipment Fund	–0–	2,013
Total Expenditures	$ 5,000	$ 2,013
EXCESS EXPENDITURES	$ (4,866)	$ (1,701)

POLICY MANUAL FOR THE BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS

Authority

The Board of Publications is the agency authorized by the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to oversee the publications of a denominational nature except those publications which are under the purview of another agency of the General Synod, and to review other existing publications in the light of changing denominational needs.

The Board of Publications will comply with **The Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church,** and the Board's policies and programs will be consistent with the purpose of the General Synod.

Responsibilities

The Board will:

1. oversee the publication of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** (See Policy Manual for **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** below).
2. be responsible in cooperation with Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center and Worship Committee, for the printing and distribution annually of the **Plan Book** and the **Prayer Calendar.** (The preparation of the contents of the **Plan Book** will be the responsibility of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center and the **Prayer Calendar,** the Worship Committee).
3. provide, for promotional use, denominational brochures.
4. insure the availability of approved denominational documents, such as **The Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Bible Songs,** certificates, etc.
5. give publishing assistance to other Boards and Committees of the General Synod desiring such assistance.
6. appoint any administrators needed to carry out its work.
7. make an annual report to the General Synod including an operating budget.

Membership

The Board of Publications is composed of eleven (11) members as follows:

Eight (8) at large members appointed by the General Synod, at least two of whom will be women.
One (1) youth representative appointed by the General Synod.
One (1) ex-officio member from the Woman's Synodical Union.
One (1) ex-officio member from the Board of Christian Education.
Advisory members will be the editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian,** the Director of The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, and the Moderator of the General Synod.

The at large members will serve four years. The youth representative will serve two years. These members may not serve consecutive terms, but must retire for one year before becoming eligible for reappointment, except in those cases where they have filled an unexpired term of less than two years. Terms of office will begin July 1 of the year appointment is made. Rotation of the Board will follow the General Synod's schedule.

The length of service of ex-officio and advisory members will be determined by the appointing Board or the office which they hold.

Privileges of Members

At large members, the youth representative and ex-officio members will have all rights associated with board membership. Advisory members shall have the rights of seat and voice.

Organization

1. Regular meetings—The Board will meet semi-annually on the fourth Monday of March and September (unless the Board determines otherwise).
2. Special Meetings—The Chairperson may, or at the written request of three Members shall, call a Special Meeting of the Board stating in the notice the purpose thereof. No business may be discussed unless that business has been described in general terms in the notice of the meeting.
3. Quorum Meetings—Six members shall constitute a quorum. Only members present may vote.
4. Officers—Officers of the Board will consist of a Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Secretary. Synod's Treasurer will serve as the Treasurer of The Board of Publications.
   a. **Chairperson**—The Chairperson shall be elected by the Board at the September meeting to begin serving July 1 of the following year. The Chairperson shall appoint members to the committees and shall perform the usual duties of a chairperson.
   b. **Vice Chairperson**—The Vice Chairperson shall serve in the absence of the Chairperson and shall fill any unexpired term of the Chairperson.
   c. **Secretary**—The Secretary shall keep accurate and permanent records of the proceedings of the Board and shall insure that such records are maintained at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center; and shall work with the Chairperson in preparing the annual report for the General Synod.
   d. **Treasurer**—The Treasurer will disperse all authorized budgeted funds with the advanced approval of the Chairperson of the Board of Publications.
5. Administrative Officers—The Editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and the Director of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center are the Administrative Officers of the Board. Their role is advisory in nature and they do not have voting privileges.

Standing Committees

Members of the standing committees will be appointed annually by the Chairperson of the Board, with the exception of the Executive Committee, whose members are ex-officio. Members may be appointed to successive terms on committees.

1. **The Committee on The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** will make recommendations to the Board concerning **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** (See attached Policy Manual).
2. **The Committee on Publishing** will make recommendations to the Board concerning the **Plan Book**, the **Prayer Calendar** and other such publications which are the responsibility of the Board of Publications.
3. **The Finance Committee** will recommend the budget and other items of finance under the Board's jurisdiction.
4. **The Executive Committee** will consist of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, and Secretary of the Board. The Executive Committee may act on behalf of the Board of Publications during all times when the Board is not in session, except the Executive Committee may not appoint or remove on a permanent basis any administrative officer of the Board. The Executive Committee shall report all actions to the next stated meeting of the Board.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian

See attached Policy Manual.

Amendments

The Policy Manual of the Board of Publications may be amended only by the General Synod. Upon unanimous consent in any Board meeting other than a Special Meeting or by two-thirds of the Board Members voting when notice was given in the announcement of the meeting a proposed amendment may be adopted.

THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
A POLICY MANUAL

I. The name of the publication shall be **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**

II. The principle office of the publication will be at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, One Cleveland Street, Greenville, South Carolina.

III. **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** shall operate as a non-profit publication under the Board of Publications of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

IV. Committee on **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**

A. **Composition**
This committee shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Publications.

B. **Duties**
1. to recommend to the Board of Publications specific policies for this publication
2. to advise the Board of printing contracts and to make appropriate recommendations pertaining thereto.
3. to recommend to the Board subscription policies (subscription plans, solicitations, etc.) and rates.
4. to review the report of the editor and advise the Board of appropriate action.
5. to evaluate the work of the editor and to make appropriate recommendations to the Board concerning that work.
6. to recommend to the Board, when a vacancy occurs, a nominee for the editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**

V. **The Editor**

A. **Selection**
1. Pursuant to a recommendation by the Committee on **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian,** the Board of Publications shall select the editor.
2. The editor shall be chosen with regard to Christian commitment and demonstrated abilities. If qualifications of candidates for the position are equal, priority shall be given to a member of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

B. **Terms of Employment**
1. The editor will be a full-time employee of the General Synod with responsibilities beyond editorship in denominational promotion, public relations, preparation of news releases, and other related areas.
2. The editor will receive a salary commensurate with similar executive positions in the denomination.
3. In addition to salary the editor will receive the usual benefits of denominational employees, including a housing allowance (or the designation of a portion of his salary as housing allowance), travel with expenses, one month of vacation annually, and two weeks for continuing education or to conduct special services each year. Both travel and continuing educational expenses will be controlled by the budget.

4. In the event of accident or disability of the editor, the Board will continue his salary and housing for a period up to 6 months.
5. The terms of employment of the editor will be reviewed annually. No contract will be issued to the editor. If the editor desires to terminate employment with the Board of Publications, he shall give 90 days notice of his intention to resign. The Board of Publications shall likewise give the editor 90 days notice in the event it desires to terminate employment with him.
6. Honoraria received for speaking as editor shall be turned over to the Treasurer of Synod.

C. Duties

1. The editor shall coordinate and edit material officially submitted by the various boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions and committees of the denomination.
2. The editor, working in consultation with and under the policies of the Board of Publications, shall assume complete responsibility for choosing and editing all material printed in the publication.
3. It is the responsibility of the editor to represent in the publication fully and appropriately the concerns and programs of the boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions, and committees of the denomination and to give proper emphasis to the programs of Synod.
4. He shall solicit appropriate articles and features from knowledgeable persons in addition to material submitted by the boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions and committees of the denomination.
5. He shall, where possible and within the confinements of his budget, attend and report on events of general denominational interest in a wide geographical area.
6. The editor, working in consultation with and under the policies of the Board of Publications, shall screen advertisements which appear in the publication.
7. He shall seek to secure an agent in each congregation to solicit subscriptions and report current news.
8. The editor shall fill such positions on his staff as the Board authorizes and approves.
9. He shall submit a written report to the Board of Publications at least fourteen days prior to each of its stated meetings. At least once a year the report shall include a review of editorial philosophy and projected goals for the publication.

VI. General Policies

A. The publication will attempt to draw together the total concerns of the denomination and represent as fully as possible the special programs and emphasis of all arms of the denomination. The publication will be seen as a single, unified periodical in which the work of the boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions, and committees will be presented in relationship to the overall mission of the denomination, not as a compilation of separate magazines or sections from the various agencies. The individual concerns and programs of denominational agencies, however, will always be kept in mind and every possible effort made to assure that these are presented fully, accurately, and effectively. In every issue, the overall program and emphases of the General Synod will be related to the work of the denomination.

B. In order to facilitate the flow of information, the editor will attend, whenever possible and within the confinements of the budget, the meetings of boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions and committees of the denomination. He may designate a reporter to gather information for him if he is unable to attend such meetings.

C. The publication will be issued in full form once each month. An occasional news release or newsletter containing brief news items and announcements will be distributed through the regular subscription channels. The issue of each quarter may include a program insert of approximately eight pages with suggested program ideas and suggestions for various fellowship groups, circles and Bible study groups. The occasional insert will also offer opportunity for the publication of brief special announcements, statistical summaries, and other reports from the boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions and committees of the denomination.

D. Regular monthly issues will be approximately thirty-two pages in length. It is suggested that the size will be 8½″ by 11″, that the paper be glossy, and that there be option to have 2—4 color or black and white cover.

E. The editor shall give careful consideration to the overall design, page layout and effective use of illustrations.

F. Every issue will include the following:
   1. Editorial Column
   2. A feature of two or more pages in which brief news items and current announcements from the boards, agencies, institutions, and committees of the denomination will appear. Space will also be made available for information and special reports from the Woman's Synodical Union and other arms of the denomination.
   3. A lead article relating to Synod's monthly emphasis.
   4. An inspirational or reflective article relating to Synod's monthly emphasis.

G. Biographical information relating to the authors of articles in the monthly publication shall be included.

H. The publication shall also periodically include a directory of the officers of the General Synod, the President and Treasurer of the Woman's Synodical Union, and the chief administrative officials of Synod's institutions and agencies. In addition the directory should include a list of all missionaries.

I. In **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** the following subjects are to be considered for publication:
   1. Annotated listings of resources available for programming in every area of the life of the Church. These lists should include full ordering information.
   2. Bible Studies
   3. Question and answer column
   4. Music
   5. Worship
   6. Church facilities and equipment
   7. Christian perspective on national and international issues
   8. Church and society
   9. Book, film, and television reviews
   10. Biblical and theological concerns
   11. Pastoral ministry
   12. Christian family life
   13. Church world news
   14. Missions
   15. Church development and renewal
   16. Evangelism
   17. Seasonal emphases
   18. Letters to the Editor
   19. Poetry

20. Photo essays
21. Local churches (feature stories and news)
22. Interviews
23. Recreation
24. Aging
25. Humor
26. Human interest stories
27. Leadership aids (church school, stewardship, finance, Women of the Church, officers, etc.)
28. Church history
29. Material for children

J. The editor shall make all editorial decisions within the policies of the Board of Publications. He may consult with the Board at points that he feels the need for help in making editorial decisions. The editor may rewrite material submitted to him to comply with the requirements of the publication. He is not obligated to publish or return unsolicited material.

K. No person or group is authorized arbitrarily to commit space in the publication.

L. At his discretion and within the budgeted funds available, the editor may offer a modest honorarium for solicited articles or to cover expenses incurred in producing an article.

M. The deadlines for material to be published in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** are as follows:

1. All materials for publication must be submitted to the editor by the 15th of the month for issue dated two months later. (ie. by January 15th for the March issue).
2. **Late news** by the 7th of the month.
3. **Printing and mailing** by or before the 15th of each month.
4. **All material for the Newsletter** must be in by the 20th of each month. The Newsletter is printed and mailed by the 1st of the following month.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SYNOD'S FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 1978

We are pleased to report that all obligations were paid. Voluntary Commitments including additional contributions and late payments totaled $565,-897.96, 99.13% of the total Voluntary Commitments pledged. Ten churches did not pay their commitments in full (two more than last year). The shortage was taken from the unused budget.

We are not making a separate report on commitments and payments by individual churches since this data is contained in the statistical report of each presbytery.

The condensed report of the auditor will be submitted for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.** A copy of the formal audit will be filed with the Principal Clerk of Synod, a copy will be given to members of the Board of Stewardship, and a copy will be filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The audit includes detailed reports of the transactions of the Treasurer and of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

Special Offerings and Designated Causes Received, 1978

American Bible Society	$ 4,827.72
Benevolent Fund	25,864.62
Bonclarken	11,222.71
Bonclarken Building Fund	50.00
Dunlap Orphanage	9,551.67
Erskine College	7,375.89
Erskine Seminary	16,806.42
One Great Hour of Sharing	25,828.03
Opportunity Fund	16,273.70
	$117,800.76

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone for their loyal support and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
W. M. KENNEDY, Treasurer

THE GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

In accordance with the instructions of your Board of Stewardship, we have made an examination of the books and accounts of the Treasurer of the General Synod for the period from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978, and transmit herewith a condensed summary of the Treasurer's report for the year, consisting of a condensed statement of assets, liabilities and funds, statements of changes in funds for the year, condensed statement of income and expenditures for the year, and summary of the 1978 budget commitment by presbyteries. As of this same date we are also transmitting to the Board of Stewardship detailed statements of the Treasurer's transactions for the year and our opinion thereon. These detailed statements agree in every respect with the condensed summaries reported here and carry the same auditors' opinion.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary and proper in the circumstances.

It is our opinion that the accompanying condensed financial summaries present fairly the recorded cash receipts and disbursements of the Treasurer of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church for the period January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978, and the financial condition of funds in his hands as of December 31, 1978.

WINN WRIGHT and POTTER
May 18, 1979

Statement of assets, liabilities, and funds:	Balances 12/31/78	Prior Year
Assets:		
Cash	$ 160,289	$ 132,402
Accounts receivable	12,998	3,345
Advance to Pakistan Mission	19,071	.....
Savings accounts	85,343	.....
Bonds (in investment account)	207,201	200,000
Personal loan to staff member (in investment account)	.....	6,586
Land	35,000	70,000
	$ 519,902	$ 412,333
Liabilities:		
Note payable—Bankers Trust	$ 19,071	$.....
Deferred income—subscriptions	19,412	21,159
Total liabilities	$ 38,483	$ 21,159
Restricted Funds	$ 295,920	$ 221,935
Unrestricted Surplus	185,499	169,239
	$ 519,902	$ 412,333

Changes in Restricted Funds:	Balance 12/31/77	Increases	Decreases	Balance 12/31/78
Foreign Missions	$ 101,568	$ 126,335	$ 102,842	$ 125,061
Church Extension	35,802	31,551	8,503	58,850
Miscellaneous	84,565	55,407	27,963	112,009
	$ 221,935	$ 213,293	$ 139,308	$ 295,920

Changes in Unrestricted Surplus:

Balance, January 1, 1978	$ 169,239
Less:	
Excess of receipts over expenditures for the year	16,260
Balance, December 31, 1978	$ 185,499

	Amount Budgeted	Actual Amount	Over or (Under) Budget
RECEIPTS:			
Voluntary commitments for 1978	$ 570,869	$ 557,837	$ (13,032)
Unrestricted interest income	15,000	14,769	(231)
Designated receipts:			
Foreign Missions	332,604	439,848	107,244
Church Extension	85,340	34,974	(50,366)
Christian Education	5,500	5,125	(375)
A.R.P. Magazine	29,000	27,486	(1,514)
Adult Quarterly	16,542	16,592	50
Miscellaneous	11,497	337,271	325,774
Other designated contributions	.....	93,657	93,657
	$ 1,066,352	$ 1,527,559	$ 461,207
EXPENDITURES:			
Foreign Missions	$ 481,384	$ 588,628	$ 107,244
Church Extension	206,269	155,903	(50,366)
Christian Education	48,875	29,430	(19,445)
Bonclarken	40,861	40,977	116
Erskine College	106,945	106,865	(80)
A.R.P. Student Union	100	100	.....
A.R.P. Magazine	45,870	45,143	(727)
Adult Quarterly	14,071	14,433	362
General Administration:			
General Synod and Commissions	43,055	41,321	(1,734)
Standing Committees	20,347	17,999	(2,348)
A.R.P. Church Center	70,849	66,642	(4,207)
Acquisition of permanent Center building and furnishings	.....	310,201	310,201
Other designated contributions	.....	93,657	93,657
	$ 1,078,626	$ 1,511,299	$ 432,673
Excess of expenditures over receipts	$ (12,274)	$ 16,260	$ 28,534

Status of Presbyteries—1978 Budget Commitment

	Budget Commitment	Cash Received	Overpaid	Underpaid
Catawba	$ 142,272	$ 140,009	$ 1,387	$ 3,650
First	171,241	161,927	.....	9,314
Mississippi Valley	49,011	48,752	231	490
Second	114,475	113,572	502	1,045
Tennessee-Alabama	16,911	16,638	52	325
Virginia	21,434	21,184	50	300
Florida	55,525	55,755	230	.....
TOTAL	$ 570,869	$ 557,837	$ 2,452	$ 15,484

REPLY TO 1978 REQUEST OF SYNOD CONCERNING ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN HOME

At the 1978 meeting of Synod, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home was requested to respond to the following statement:

> "That the governing board of the retirement Home be requested to clearly define the relationship of the project to the Synod, and to clearly define both the present and the potential future financial responsibilities of the General Synod to the Retirement Home.
>
> Be it further resolved that after such relationships and financial responsibilities have been accepted by the General Synod, full disclosure be required to all donors to, and participants in, the Retirement Home."

An Elemosynary Corporation was chartered under the laws of the State of South Carolina on June 27, 1978 and bears the name of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home.** It is the opinion of the Board of Directors of this corporation that the General Synod, at its meeting in 1973 looked to the Presbyteries for the beginning of a retirement home ministry for our Senior Citizens. First, Second, and Catawba Presbyteries (with any other Presbyteries having the option to join in at any time) started this corporation for the benefit of all Associate Reformed Presbyterians. Inasmuch as this corporation is legally separate and apart from the General Synod, it is the further opinion of the Board of Directors that Synod has not obligated itself financially, to this point in time, to this corporation. Synod has not been asked to make the work of The Associate Reformed Home a part of its budget. Neither has the General Synod been asked to act as guarantor to the work of this corporation.

The Board of Directors honor the wisdom and counsel of the General Synod and desires its prayers and such financial support as it may deem advisable to lend at any time in the future.

As a corporation all of its records will be open to inspection and review by the proper state authorities. It is the responsibility of the Board of Directors to fully inform the respective presbyteries and to make its records available to all active participants in the function of the Home.

PRESBYTERY REPORTS
AND
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January 1 - December 31, 1978

PRESBYTERY REPORTS

The information included herein is taken from the Presbytery Reports submitted to the Principal Clerk and from the Annual Statistical Reports submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The names of congregations, names of ministers, names of seminary students, and the names of elders lost by death appear elsewhere in the **Minutes of Synod.**

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Church of the Servant, Hopewell, New Hope, White Oak. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Church of the Servant, Eden Terrace, Mt. Pleasant. **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** None. **Minister Lost by Death:** Frank L. Shannon (1-13-79). **Minister Lost by Certificate:** None. **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** A. C. Reed (New Hope and White Oak). **Number Active Elders:** 275. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Centennial (Zane W. Abernathy, Earl T. Fisher), Clover (Tommy Caldwell, Bill Jackson), Eden Terrace (Lester D. Taylor, James H. Todd), Neely's Creek (Andrew Massey, Jr., Charles Williams, Harold Williams), Oak Ridge (William L. Vincent), Smyrna (David McGill), Tirzah (Tony Ashe, Robert Wray), Union (D. C. Reid, Jr., Dr. James R. Reid, Jr., J. E. Martin, F. M. Hicklin), Unity (James A. Thomas, Robert D. McCain). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 316. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 30. **Number Deacons Received by Certificate:** 5. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 5.

FIRST PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Boyce Memorial, Chalmers Memorial, Elk Shoals, Maupin Avenue, Pressly Memorial, Prosperity, St. Andrew, Westminster. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Pinecrest ($7,750). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** John Hoeprich (3-29-79), Joe Blevins (6-4-79). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Meredith L. Cavin (6-5-78), Billy Howell (10-15-78). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** William Harris (6-30-78), Ray B. Lanning (To PCA 8-15-78), Tom Richie (To PCUS 8-10-78). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supplies:** Robert Grigg (Chalmers Memorial), Mac Wallace (Westminster). **Number of Ordained Elders:** 338. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Back Creek (Hazel Freeman, J. T. Johnson, J. B. McLaughlin, R. N. Watson, J. W. Oliver, C. J. Harkey, A. M. Robinson, Jr., Virgil Torrence), Boyce Memorial (N. F. McGill, Jr.), Burlington (Tim Tarlton), Concord (Leonard D. Irvin), Craig Avenue (John R. Caldwell), First Statesville (George Armistead, Ralph Mullis, Ray Raymer), First Union (Roy Kinnamon), Garrison Memorial (William Phifer), Gilead (James Robert Soesbee), Glenwood (Erskine Foard), Idlewild (Sam Livingston, Gary Lowder), Linden (James G. Costner, John A. Parker), New Amity (William E, Morrison), New Perth (R. Donald Johnson, Sr.), Pinecrest (William Orr, Marvin Nelson, Jim Smith), Pisgah (John Edward Carson), St. Andrew (Terry Wallace), Tabernacle (J. L. Eppley). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** First Gastonia (Morris Wilson), First Union (Donald Haas), New Amity (Brice Seimster), Tabernacle (John D. McMillan). **Number Ordained Deacons:** 335. **Number Deacons Received by Ordination:** 59. **Number Deacons Received by Certificate:** None. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 20.

FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Avon Park, Covenant. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Faith ($6,000), Grace ($12,000). **Minister Received by Ordination:** Robert Ingram (8-6-78). **Minister Received by Certificate:** William H. Faires, Jr. (8-6-78). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number of Active Elders:** 77. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Chapel-by-the-Sea (Bill Allyn, Bill Kruger,

Art Wren (C)), Covenant (Bill Doyle, John Whitesides (C)), Lake Placid (Edward Smoak, Allen Rhodes, Nerlee Linderman), Lake Wales (Kenneth L. Connor, Hugh B. Alexander (C), John Carter (C), Charles M. Tillman (C)), New Hope (O. R. Elkes, Raymond A. Menendez, Anthony S. Guarisco, James Wilde), Trinity (Dr. Thomas Holbrook, Henning W. Peterson (C)). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 78. **Number Deacons Received by Ordination:** 12. **Number Deacons Received by Certificate:** 9. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 2.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ebenezer, Elsberry, Havana, Hickory Springs, New Life, Parkway Place, Rives, Shady Grove, Troy. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Providence ($15,000), New Life, Hickory Springs ($1,391), **Minister Received by Ordination:** James Coad, III (5-20-78). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Nale Falls (9-3-78), Webster Curry (8-13-78), Robert Herrmann (9-15-78), Charles Carroll (9-15-79), John A. Coad (6-4-79). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Vernie Bartlett (Hickory Springs), John Livingston (Parkway Place), Donald Hopper (Ebenezer), James Ragsdale (Havana). **Number of Active Elders:** 141. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Hopewell (Jamie Caldwell), Lawndale (John M. Robinson), Parkway Place (Boone Herring), St. Paul (David Richardson), Sharon (Charles Click). **Number of Active Deacons:** 114. **Number of Deacons Received by Ordination:** 13. **Number of Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 3.

SECOND PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Abbeville, Bethlehem, Cedar Springs, Due West, Generostee, Highlands, Louisville, Lower Long Cane, Mt. Carmel, Ora, Pressly Memorial, Troy, Tucker, Woodruff. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Grier Memorial, Grace Mission. **Minister Received by Ordination:** John A. Coad (6-4-79). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Joseph B. Lennon (4-17-79), Gary Fravel (6-4-79). **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** John A. Coad (6-4-79). **Ministers Lost by Death:** A. M. Rogers (2-18-79), J. P. Pressly (2-26-79). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** W. W. Orr (Due West), L. M. Allison (Generostee), T. H. McDill (Highlands), Ray A. King (Lower Long Cane and Troy), Edward F. Franze, III (Tucker). **Number Active Elders:** 208. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Cannon's Creek-Prosperity (John H. Rankin), Doraville (R. A. Barton, W. H. Eades, R. E. Heimbinger, Forrest Newton (C)), Greenville (David J. Vickery), McElroy Memorial (Barry P. Shildneck), Newberry (M. L. Ringer, C. H. Ragsdale (C)), Ora (M. P. Hunter, Charles P. Hill, M. M. Pennell, Raymond E. Robertson), Spartanburg (A. J. Coleman (C), George K. Hanks, III), Young Memorial (Bob Ramsey, Charles Tudor (C)). **Elder Lost by Certificate:** Young Memorial (D. O. Dunlap). **Number of Active Deacons:** 201. **Number of Deacons Received by Ordination:** 33. **Number of Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 5.

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Lincoln, Hopewell, Cleveland Street. **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Calvin Draffin (5-27-79). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Phillip Messick (Hopewell), E. S. Hall (Cleveland Street), David Hammond (Lincoln). **Number of Active Elders:** 53. **Number of Ordained Elders:** 60. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Bethel (James B. Dale), Camden (F. W. Jones, Calvin Eddins, Marvin Falkenberry). **Number of Active Deacons:** 57. **Number of Ordained Deacons:** 61. **Number of Deacons Received by Ordination:** 8.

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ballston Center, Broad Creek, Ebenezer, Johnson's Creek, Lauderdale, Spring Valley, Timber Ridge, Wildhurst. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Johnson's Creek ($2,505), Kingsborough ($750). **Minister Received by Certificatee:** William M. Harris, Jr. (7-1-78). **Minister Lost by Death:** Vernon F. Latham (11-4-78). **Ministers Lost**

by Certificate: G. Webster Curry (6-30-78), W. Nale Falls (8-15-78). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supplies:** R. W. Siemens (Ballston Center), George Polhill (Timber Ridge), Robert Wilson (Ebenezer). **Number Active Elders:** 105. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Edgemont (Marvin Dunbar), Lauderdale (John William Smith), Old Providence (Donald Richie), Timber Ridge (L. R. Pultz, H. L. Riley, Alan Miller, Paul P. Jarvis, Wayne Sensabaugh). **Number of Active Deacons:** 78. **Number of Deacons Received by Ordination:** 8. **Number of Deacons Lost by Death:** 1.

STATISTICAL TABLES
January 1 — December 31, 1978

The annual statistical reports have been tabulated for printing in the Minutes of Synod, using information submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center as of December 31, 1978:

The following notes of explanation should be reviewed prior to drawing conclusions from the statistical information:

1. Reports were not received from the following churches (indicated by **): Pressly Memorial, N. C.; Prosperity, N. C.; Lower Long Cane; Tucker; Lincoln Memorial; New Life; Providence, Mo.; Rives; and Shady Grove. The only data included for these churches are the last reported "Communicant Membership" figures as printed in the 1978 Minutes of Synod.

2. **RECEIPTS**

a. **Auxiliary Treasurers:** This column reflects receipts reported through the auxiliary organizations, i.e., church school, men's and women's organizations, and youth groups.

b. **Other Receipts:** This column reflects receipts through Bequests and Wills, Synod and Presbytery Supplements, Transfers from Savings, etc. These receipts are not a part of the regular tithes and offerings of the membership.

3. **AVERAGE PER CAPITA GIVING:** This reflects the average given by each ACTIVE COMMUNICANT MEMBER, excluding those funds reported as Other Receipts.

4. **DISBURSEMENTS**

Paid on Voluntary Commitment — No attempt was made to reconcile the amounts reported here and the total amount reported by Synod's auditor. These figures represent the totals reported in the Statistical Reports.

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERIES

	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Catawba	5,756	80	105	26	73	91	13	5,790	4,596	718	3,548	180	114	118	115	40	11	1,178	261	60	971
First	8,840	100	218	56	86	169	49	8,910	6,483	1,151	4,863	289	175	104	127	30	42	1,445	475	133	1,696
Florida	2,601	73	72	91	28	29	35	2,745	2,181	280	922	101	62	32	49	70	8	269	91	111	497
Mississippi Valley	2,877	27	64	40	37	72	18	2,881	1,960	285	1,714	82	35	41	38	8	2	497	157	52	780
Second	4,719	75	149	37	52	102	53	4,773	3,912	678	2,609	152	105	80	94	52	29	810	247	139	835
Tennessee-Alabama	934	14	29	6	13	6	-0-	964	715	60	528	48	7	12	12	5	9	156	25	-0-	137
Virginia	2,602	34	21	12	31	29	28	2,581	1,684	323	1,288	56	48	23	18	11	39	276	10	-0-	607
TOTALS FOR 1978	28,329	403	658	268	320	498	196	28,644	21,531	3,495	15,472	908	546	410	453	216	140	4,631	1,266	495	5,523
TOTALS FOR 1977	28,269	417	953	223	334	675	482	28,371	21,598	3,496	15,840	911	620	480	385	146	153	4,920	1,216	490	6,163

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Catawba	$1,007,199	$ 91,773	$ 202,850	$ 9,465	$111,819	$332	$ 74,319	$1,497,425	$ 327,664	$146,286	$ 27,869	$ 283,405	$ 285,790	$10,325	$18,227	$140,572	$ 25,833	$ 39,555	$ 97,125	$ 23,858	$1,426,509
First	1,441,754	73,107	281,138	37,375	88,730	313	265,039	2,187,143	435,746	259,728	45,539	328,923	470,278	9,723	26,813	163,258	25,094	44,139	72,632	26,408	1,908,281
Florida	554,573	83,149	131,613	3,122	21,325	364	58,683	852,465	161,053	128,111	44,565	162,868	156,772	2,709	10,956	56,412	42,613	16,132	22,075	454	804,720
Mississippi Valley	583,470	23,739	81,355	12,069	50,696	368	101,528	852,857	193,052	64,360	15,796	219,500	195,447	3,595	13,498	47,758	13,738	18,928	43,854	408	829,934
Second	856,106	58,288	204,046	3,899	63,042	293	125,772	1,311,153	309,270	130,784	37,381	352,764	205,792	4,916	17,277	113,897	28,289	17,731	52,160	25,324	1,295,585
Tennessee-Alabama	121,939	6,815	20,683	1,845	14,418	265	28,535	194,235	52,337	10,636	854	75,107	31,421	160	2,477	16,448	6,950	1,845	10,313	-0-	208,548
Virginia	247,893	15,530	27,623	3,805	41,210	195	9,577	345,638	91,011	26,167	9,731	34,272	78,197	6,988	6,862	21,234	2,965	6,343	24,931	24,978	333,679
TOTALS FOR 1978	$4,812,934	$352,401	$ 949,308	$71,580	$391,240	$305	$663,453	$7,240,916	$1,570,133	$766,072	$181,735	$1,456,839	$1,423,697	$38,416	$96,110	$559,579	$145,482	$144,673	$323,090	$101,430	$6,807,256
TOTALS FOR 1977	$4,426,065	$324,634	$1,007,629	$93,335	$370,634	$293	$544,283	$6,766,580	$1,515,806	$717,672	$150,917	$1,667,508	$1,350,018	$65,060	$92,465	$533,080	$179,898	$132,330	$312,813	$ 77,543	$6,795,110

STATISTICAL REPORT OF CATAWBA PRESBYTERY

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, W. L. Barron	191	-0-	5	2	4	1	-0-	193	154	23	119	5	5	5	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	38
Bethel, J. H. Warmoth, Clerk	218	-0-	1	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	216	148	12	58	10	-0-	6	-0-	-0-	-0-	46	-0-	-0-	-0-
Blacksburg, R. M. Williams	108	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	106	68	13	61	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	10	-0-	20	-0-
Centennial, J. C. Barker	506	4	8	-0-	1	14	-0-	503	404	63	269	8	3	8	-0-	5	7	108	-0-	-0-	52
Chester, D. L. Pearson	312	1	12	-0-	9	6	-0-	310	230	44	203	7	6	10	12	-0-	-0-	80	30	-0-	90
Church of the Servant, J. M. Plaxco, Clerk	30	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	31	26	12	20	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Clover, C. W. Todd	409	11	10	-0-	7	6	-0-	417	295	42	217	9	-0-	20	4	-0-	-0-	94	-0-	-0-	56
Eden Terrace, W. F. Mitchell	50	1	7	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	55	41	11	24	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	-0-
Edgemoor, J. A. Derrick	134	-0-	3	-0-	1	-0-	1	135	105	23	93	7	5	4	5	-0-	-0-	35	-0-	-0-	-0-
Edwards Memorial, C. T. Fincher	73	1	-0-	-0-	1	5	6	62	62	17	93	18	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	12	10	-0-	34
Faith, R. A. Whitesides	121	4	2	2	1	1	-0-	127	82	43	96	9	4	8	8	4	-0-	20	15	-0-	54
Hickory Grove, R. M. Wilson	62	2	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	62	42	1	23	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9	-0-	-0-	-0-
Hopewell, W. W. McKown, Clerk	73	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	71	42	8	43	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	19	-0-	-0-	-0-
Lancaster, J. R. Wolff	364	-0-	8	-0-	5	8	-0-	359	311	65	237	11	6	7	9	6	-0-	89	45	-0-	78
Mt. Pleasant, R. A. Foster	3	4	9	2	-0-	2	-0-	16	16	2	22	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	34
Neely's Creek, G. F. Johnson	500	12	9	6	6	4	1	516	426	54	415	15	18	20	18	9	-0-	118	-0-	-0-	-0-
New Hope, M. E. Stevenson, Clerk	34	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	32	20	12	20	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	7	-0-	-0-	-0-
Oak Grove, J. A. Derrick	39	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	1	-0-	37	17	6	35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Oak Ridge, H. M. Bolin	103	3	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	109	81	17	57	3	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	13	-0-	-0-	36
Pleasant Hill, H. M. Bolin	128	4	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	1	132	102	6	77	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	19	22	-0-	-0-
Rock Hill, R. J. Robinson	463	7	10	1	7	5	-0-	469	410	46	231	24	26	15	9	-0-	-0-	83	-0-	-0-	155
Rogers Memorial, F. J. Musselman	251	1	3	-0-	1	10	-0-	244	190	27	121	5	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	40	25	-0-	-0-
Sharon, J. H. Boyce	104	-0-	-0-	3	2	1	-0-	104	91	5	72	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	25	-0-	-0-	-0-
Sherwood Forest, C. R. Beard	245	2	9	2	2	6	-0-	250	220	40	98	5	8	-0-	9	-0-	-0-	43	31	-0-	58
Shiloh, R. W. Dickson	214	12	4	-0-	2	6	-0-	222	175	21	149	6	7	-0-	14	-0-	-0-	54	38	-0-	75
Smyrna, R. M. Wilson	66	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	67	67	4	79	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	-0-
Tirzah, C. W. Medlin	261	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	-0-	256	199	27	124	8	7	7	3	3	-0-	49	15	-0-	79
Union, J. A. Derrick	143	2	-0-	1	4	1	-0-	141	119	13	100	5	3	2	5	7	-0-	39	-0-	-0-	-0-
Unity, G. H. Smith	339	8	1	3	5	1	3	342	282	47	245	20	10	16	11	6	4	78	30	40	94
White Oak, W. B. Patrick, Clerk	30	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	30	24	3	25	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-
York, J. B. Hendrick	182	-0-	1	-0-	3	4	-0-	176	147	11	122	-0-	4	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	50	-0-	-0-	38
TOTALS	5,756	80	105	26	73	91	13	5,790	4,596	718	3,548	180	120	128	127	40	11	1,178	261	60	971

STATISTICAL REPORT OF CATAWBA PRESBYTERY

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Bethany	$ 29,569	$ 350	$ 7,271	$ -0-	$ 1,891	$254	$ -0-	$ 39,081	$ 10,836	$ 3,431	$ -0-	$ 14,307	$ 3,997	$ 390	$ 672	$ 2,000	$ 234	$ 1,000	$ 1,891	$ -0-	$ 38,758
Bethel	30,903	1,459	556	1,440	5,429	269	5,306	45,093	6,400	2,700	556	7,684	8,090	273	768	4,831	1,459	1,440	5,429	-0-	39,630
Blacksburg	19,314	960	913	-0-	3,031	356	1,493	25,711	11,532	1,335	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	568	2,200	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,000	18,635
Centennial	100,365	6,084	39,209	440	8,472	383	920	155,490	18,127	27,309	810	39,209	30,943	972	1,036	19,000	2,315	5,903	8,415	-0-	154,039
Chester	66,571	17,496	19,755	-0-	5,958	477	-0-	109,780	22,800	13,422	900	28,222	20,332	582	1,160	10,000	1,302	3,550	5,953	-0-	108,223
Church-of-the-Servant	7,177	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	276	7,050	14,227	9,349	-0-	182	-0-	2,199	26	620	750	200	-0-	-0-	-0-	13,326
Clover	67,850	1,535	-0-	-0-	6,459	257	-0-	75,844	14,863	8,732	-0-	11,429	22,933	634	840	8,700	1,422	2,200	5,676	1,000	78,429
Eden Terrace	16,503	202	-0-	-0-	237	413	2,100	19,042	8,568	671	10	2,194	3,545	59	624	1,000	202	-0-	-0-	-0-	16,873
Edgemoor	16,490	1,223	1,838	-0-	2,691	212	-0-	22,242	5,621	-0-	-0-	2,139	7,307	205	336	3,200	1,188	-0-	2,673	-0-	22,669
Edwards Memorial	27,566	673	-0-	906	648	480	32	29,825	13,568	-0-	538	3,396	6,387	141	744	2,213	89	1,420	645	-0-	29,141
Faith	23,121	262	551	-0-	3,687	327	2,053	29,674	12,660	1,450	32	3,401	7,402	211	643	900	170	60	3,737	-0-	30,666
Hickory Grove	8,998	1,071	-0-	-0-	1,069	265	-0-	11,138	4,785	430	-0-	-0-	1,898	128	246	1,603	1,046	-0-	-0-	-0-	10,136
Hopewell	10,818	681	13,775	-0-	1,855	646	10,047	37,176	3,950	240	-0-	10,168	1,506	185	-0-	975	496	-0-	1,882	5,000	24,402
Lancaster First	65,216	1,729	25,488	5,344	11,540	351	2,592	111,909	21,479	19,588	111	25,488	13,661	538	-0-	8,526	1,523	5,344	11,300	2,592	110,150
Mt. Pleasant	6,805	-0-	1,597	-0-	-0-	525	-0-	8,402	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,092	-0-	-0-	156	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,248
Neely's Creek	71,457	34,541	33,680	-0-	7,720	346	-0-	147,398	17,920	14,565	16,463	30,519	23,190	592	1,080	12,626	2,245	14,614	6,845	-0-	140,659
New Hope	2,100	1,012	300	-0-	540	198	-0-	3,952	1,625	-0-	806	-0-	-0-	152	-0-	800	100	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,483
Oak Grove	5,103	1,321	-0-	-0-	2,946	551	-0-	9,370	2,220	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,721	50	178	825	1,321	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,315
Oak Ridge	26,390	240	1,143	-0-	1,003	355	-0-	28,776	5,872	1,425	-0-	3,989	13,850	163	372	1,600	220	-0-	544	-0-	28,035
Pleasant Hill	25,362	1,528	1,033	-0-	2,577	299	-0-	30,500	5,656	1,500	242	6,033	6,767	378	266	3,500	945	-0-	2,577	-0-	27,864
Rock Hill	76,603	3,751	3,406	-0-	10,509	230	4,192	98,461	21,286	20,228	1,734	1,447	22,596	765	1,250	11,569	1,851	-0-	9,699	-0-	92,425
Rogers Memorial	50,468	822	4,503	660	4,275	320	3,428	64,156	13,608	8,845	409	7,190	12,622	306	896	3,800	452	2,500	3,674	2,000	56,302
Sharon	25,097	1,216	397	-0-	4,627	344	3,266	34,603	11,606	600	500	-0-	3,985	239	705	3,300	608	1,524	2,761	9,266	35,094
Sherwood Forest	29,734	303	5,362	-0-	3,380	176	-0-	38,779	13,200	3,992	-0-	5,563	5,540	315	775	5,168	292	-0-	3,380	-0-	38,225
Shiloh	39,205	594	12,242	-0-	4,061	320	-0-	56,102	17,875	2,340	525	15,200	6,052	925	924	6,700	319	-0-	3,998	-0-	54,858
Smyrna	14,925	481	345	-0-	1,411	256	1,361	18,523	4,880	-0-	-0-	345	3,397	106	325	2,400	-0-	-0-	1,411	-0-	12,864
Tirzah	28,782	-0-	-0-	-0-	5,499	172	-0-	34,281	12,835	1,440	475	-0-	7,885	377	960	4,000	226	-0-	4,589	-0-	32,787
Union	20,810	3,185	-0-	-0-	1,741	216	330	26,066	6,821	1,340	3,128	-0-	4,538	275	432	2,530	546	-0-	1,741	-0-	21,351
Unity	53,225	6,026	21,675	545	3,955	303	30,149	115,575	16,175	5,186	318	54,302	26,427	613	1,103	10,300	899	-0-	3,955	1,000	120,278
White Oak	7,697	1,779	-0-	-0-	258	406	-0-	9,734	250	1,650	-0-	-0-	807	289	-0-	1,800	2,914	-0-	-0-	-0-	7,710
York	32,975	1,249	7,811	130	4,350	316	-0-	46,515	11,297	3,867	130	11,180	10,121	436	704	3,600	1,249	-0-	4,350	-0-	46,934
TOTALS	$1,007,199	$91,773	$202,850	$9,465	$111,819	$332	$74,319	$1,497,425	$327,664	$146,286	$27,869	$283,405	$285,790	$10,325	$18,227	$140,572	$25,833	$39,555	$97,125	$23,858	$1,426,509

STATISTICAL REPORT OF FIRST PRESBYTERY

FIRST PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Back Creek, A. C. Bridges	374	1	6	1	2	9	-0-	371	282	53	232	10	9	6	15	8	-0-	61	45	-0-	128
Boyce Memorial, C. E. Edwards	334	2	6	-0-	3	2	-0-	337	279	43	263	7	8	8	11	-0-	-0-	70	-0-	-0-	129
Burlington, H. Glosson, Clerk	271	1	15	1	2	3	-0-	283	174	32	263	10	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Chalmers Memorial, R. R. Satterfield, Clerk	191	-0-	8	1	1	11	1	187	103	15	73	15	12	-0-	2	-0-	3	32	8	-0-	-0-
Charlotte First, P. L. Sherrill	142	-0-	-0-	-0-	6	2	-0-	134	57	4	44	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	27	-0-	-0-	-0-
Coodle Creek, J. C. Wallace, Clerk	295	-0-	2	-0-	1	1	1	294	186	28	182	6	6	2	-0-	-0-	9	42	-0-	-0-	58
Concord, G. R. Slater	119	1	3	3	3	-0-	-0-	123	73	15	58	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	21	-0-	-0-	-0-
Covenant, C. L. Mitchell	144	2	5	-0-	-0-	2	6	143	81	16	71	9	6	5	7	-0-	-0-	30	-0-	-0-	61
Craig Avenue, C. A. Steele	204	8	1	4	5	4	3	205	136	21	102	8	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	35	25	-0-	-0-
Crowder's Creek, C. B. Evans	275	6	7	-0-	3	11	-0-	274	237	27	219	14	-0-	6	8	-0-	-0-	78	40	-0-	84
Ebenezer, J. L. Carson	286	7	19	4	1	7	5	303	258	64	241	8	14	7	7	-0-	-0-	75	-0-	-0-	-0-
Elk Shoals, A. Alexander, Clerk	61	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	63	40	9	51	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	29
First Union, B. S. Howell	284	3	3	2	1	5	14	272	150	18	72	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	25	13	13	11
Garrison Memorial, A. A. Fischer	98	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	-0-	-0-	93	59	5	29	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	12	-0-	-0-	-0-
Gastonia First, R. A. Bodey	377	7	6	1	3	8	2	378	303	31	190	13	11	8	7	-0-	10	104	45	25	-0-
Gilead, W. A. Macaulay, Jr.	157	2	2	2	2	-0-	-0-	161	125	26	106	9	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	27	-0-	-0-	84
Glenwood, B. E. Murdock	514	2	5	3	3	3	-0-	518	415	38	162	13	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	52	-0-	15	69
Huntersville, M. L. Cavin	148	1	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	154	123	21	125	-0-	8	5	4	-0-	-0-	36	-0-	-0-	58
Idlewild, R. M. Wallace	152	12	18	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	179	159	63	93	36	-0-	13	12	-0-	-0-	30	-0-	-0-	108
Linden, W. H. Blair	280	6	5	-0-	2	2	1	286	186	28	186	14	-0-	8	5	5	6	46	-0-	32	125
Maupin Avenue, E. T. Robinson	122	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	-0-	117	72	16	66	8	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	20	12	-0-	-0-
Mooresville, B. McLendon	208	6	2	-0-	1	2	-0-	213	181	11	100	11	7	6	4	-0-	-0-	29	27	13	40
New Amity, W. P. Fleming	134	1	-0-	-0-	3	4	-0-	128	75	14	80	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	16	-0-	-0-	38
New Covenant, L. L. Richardson	408	6	4	-0-	4	15	2	397	187	27	105	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	38	25	35	-0-
New Perth, R. E. Sherer	299	5	-0-	-0-	1	6	2	295	240	34	234	32	16	12	12	7	-0-	50	45	-0-	-0-
New Sterling, J. P. Dagenhart, Clerk	327	7	2	1	3	7	1	326	219	50	164	8	3	8	7	3	-0-	42	-0-	-0-	66
Pinecrest, C. A. Reed	101	4	33	18	3	6	-0-	147	139	36	40	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	20	-0-	-0-	-0-
Pisgah, R. B. Elliott, Jr.	437	7	15	9	3	10	9	446	420	118	297	16	9	12	13	7	9	108	65	-0-	184
Pressly Memorial, R. E. Rary, Clerk**	189	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	189	90	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Prosperity, W. M. Lindley, Clerk**	145	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	145	95	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
St. Andrew, C. E. Linderman	165	-0-	5	1	-0-	10	-0-	161	128	22	108	10	7	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	33	-0-	-0-	64
Sandy Plains, W. R. Robfogel	102	-0-	2	-0-	2	1	-0-	101	58	11	68	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	14	-0-	-0-	25
Statesville, R. B. Leaptrott	920	-0-	23	-0-	17	15	-0-	911	667	244	537	20	30	12	10	-0-	-0-	150	-0-	-0-	335
Stony Point, W. P. Fleming	35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	35	31	7	29	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	4	-0-	-0-	-0-
Tabernacle, H. E. Pressly	507	3	14	3	5	13	-0-	509	435	-0-	273	12	13	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	110	125	-0-	-0-
Westminster, J. R. Young, Clerk	35	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	2	-0-	32	20	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
TOTALS	8,840	100	218	56	86	169	49	8,910	6,483	1,151	4,863	289	175	104	127	30	42	1,445	475	133	1,696

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FIRST PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
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	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Back Creek	$ 64,701	$ 7,666	$ 2,170	$ 640	$ 6,253	$289	$ 2,943	$ 84,373	$ 15,761	$ 13,070	$ 5,665	$ 5,541	$ 20,386	$ 475	$ 898	$ 9,905	$ 1,825	$ -0-	$ 640	$ -0-	$ 74,166
Boyce Memorial	44,363	2,719	28,189	-0-	6,147	292	-0-	81,418	14,294	3,110	1,330	28,189	17,880	412	992	7,500	1,252	1,340	4,532	-0-	80,831
Burlington	58,958	3,115	2,225	641	3,120	391	-0-	68,059	12,292	6,237	-0-	13,178	22,946	312	984	5,106	641	641	3,062	-0-	65,399
Chalmers Memorial	22,912	363	-0-	346	2,009	245	28,414	54,044	8,442	5,315	25	-0-	11,625	100	640	1,500	328	728	1,881	-0-	30,584
Charlotte First	10,661	936	-0-	-0-	1,463	229	-0-	13,060	5,734	-0-	810	-0-	4,245	35	384	300	116	-0-	1,436	-0-	13,060
Coddle Creek	26,112	1,857	7,018	-0-	4,036	210	-0-	39,023	3,459	2,224	1,367	-0-	10,090	312	806	4,200	390	-0-	5,059	10,500	38,407
Concord	22,780	233	1,786	279	1,447	363	2,579	29,104	11,982	1,590	-0-	5,462	5,076	81	809	2,121	223	343	371	-0-	28,058
Covenant	19,844	-0-	10,490	240	-0-	377	15,740	46,314	16,255	1,200	-0-	16,748	7,359	360	664	1,500	574	240	445	1,518	46,863
Craig Avenue	32,483	197	10,449	-0-	-0-	317	31,950	75,079	14,085	5,456	10,449	35,289	9,402	75	912	500	197	-0-	-0-	-0-	76,365
Crowders Creek	72,820	728	-0-	-0-	3,861	327	3,187	80,596	17,370	3,173	-0-	19,718	27,706	535	925	7,700	583	2,675	2,258	1,366	84,009
Ebenezer	56,723	20,300	12,000	10,081	4,645	402	-0-	103,749	12,778	20,012	13,800	12,000	28,034	200	799	2,400	-0-	10,081	4,645	-0-	104,749
Elk Shoals	5,125	538	1,129	237	702	193	-0-	7,731	2,040	240	1,227	1,714	1,767	75	192	675	-0-	-0-	677	-0-	8,607
First Union	18,031	1,020	8,500	300	891	192	3,310	32,052	5,568	2,349	494	12,545	7,266	236	-0-	1,399	613	300	651	-0-	31,421
Garrison Memorial	17,261	-0-	1,235	-0-	463	321	-0-	18,959	10,558	-0-	-0-	480	3,372	65	624	1,000	25	-0-	-0-	-0-	16,124
Gastonia	122,604	4,360	-0-	14,168	12,063	505	16,000	169,195	23,300	37,983	1,070	4,840	37,801	565	-0-	14,000	3,175	16,550	8,727	-0-	148,011
Gilead	25,890	465	500	352	2,075	234	-0-	29,282	11,025	2,220	900	2,276	6,867	124	560	2,000	465	420	1,387	-0-	28,244
Glenwood	49,109	1,817	7,669	-0-	1,374	144	-0-	59,969	15,992	4,519	1,025	6,661	13,226	674	835	3,200	725	-0-	1,300	-0-	48,157
Huntersville	27,608	6,050	2,968	-0-	1,245	308	-0-	37,871	12,194	3,515	30	1,280	8,729	350	565	4,200	1,470	-0-	1,245	-0-	33,578
Idlewild	39,556	200	13,700	-0-	-0-	336	5,000	58,456	20,651	-0-	-0-	11,680	21,118	150	1,701	1,275	200	-0-	-0-	-0-	56,775
Linden	39,538	1,229	13,566	-0-	2,282	305	150	56,765	14,610	8,256	639	20,354	8,525	227	1,060	6,500	590	-0-	2,282	-0-	63,043
Maupin Avenue	22,344	524	-0-	-0-	1,211	334	-0-	24,079	11,344	3,208	175	-0-	4,739	127	690	1,800	322	-0-	340	-0-	22,745
Mooresville	47,930	361	732	-0-	-0-	271	-0-	49,023	12,415	7,050	-0-	11,493	13,293	200	792	4,927	1,699	-0-	-0-	-0-	51,869
New Amity	21,968	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	293	-0-	21,968	10,815	-0-	-0-	-0-	8,264	90	461	2,100	312	20	-0-	-0-	22,062
New Covenant	39,240	6,776	1,149	961	1,343	265	-0-	49,469	15,821	7,400	522	3,522	14,161	273	917	5,700	282	-0-	-0-	-0-	48,598
New Perth	53,887	-0-	2,129	-0-	4,364	252	-0-	60,380	15,830	9,570	-0-	2,412	16,369	250	636	6,200	2,900	-0-	4,202	2,219	60,588
New Sterling	37,826	901	5,163	550	3,028	217	1,873	49,341	7,626	5,253	434	5,058	9,608	617	960	6,500	350	550	2,970	-0-	39,926
Pinecrest	31,198	355	82,257	1,555	621	834	111,833	227,819	18,856	3,760	1,630	-0-	10,181	100	1,025	1,300	916	-0-	351	-0-	38,119
Pisgah	94,783	894	50,840	355	11,064	366	18,846	176,782	17,830	28,400	74	71,833	27,375	400	1,077	11,500	675	4,815	11,033	-0-	175,012
Pressly Memorial**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Prosperity**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
St. Andrew	36,320	98	-0-	-0-	866	291	3,000	40,284	15,232	1,890	-0-	10,725	9,435	128	816	1,000	98	-0-	866	-0-	40,190
Sandy Plains	28,750	2,068	-0-	1,534	1,957	592	2,122	36,431	10,863	480	1,000	-0-	15,231	108	840	1,200	1,043	-0-	1,801	3,000	35,566
Statesville	124,977	4,589	14,244	5,136	1,877	226	-0-	150,823	25,032	37,687	2,089	14,244	37,774	600	1,808	20,000	1,900	5,136	1,877	-0-	148,147
Stony Point	6,667	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	215	-0-	6,667	3,351	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,176	31	216	800	60	-0-	271	-0-	5,905
Tabernacle	113,956	2,748	1,030	-0-	8,323	289	13,041	139,098	22,341	34,561	784	11,256	26,879	1,401	2,225	23,250	1,145	300	8,323	7,805	140,270
Westminster	4,829	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	222	5,051	9,880	-0-	-0-	-0-	425	2,373	35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,833
TOTALS	$1,441,754	$73,107	$281,138	$37,375	$88,730	$313	$265,039	$2,187,143	$435,746	$259,728	$45,539	$328,923	$470,278	$9,723	$26,813	$163,258	$25,094	$44,139	$72,632	$26,408	$1,908,281

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FLORIDA PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Avon Park, W. O. Ragsdale	220	5	10	12	4	3	6	234	189	11	94	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Bartow, G. R. Oates	356	8	4	3	-0-	7	-0-	364	319	56	206	7	8	8	20	11	3	56	45	-0-	124
Chapel-by-the-Sea, J. Senneker	226	18	-0-	17	3	3	18	237	230	20	-0-	9	12	11	11	3	2	30	-0-	-0-	29
Covenant, G. Mines, Clerk	473	4	12	6	3	3	1	488	289	34	150	25	13	13	11	6	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	95
Faith, W. A. Frazier	42	7	-0-	12	1	2	-0-	58	43	4	63	15	-0-	-0-	7	-0-	-0-	-0-	6	12	40
Grace Community, D. G. Fleming	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Lake Placid, B. E. DeWitt	257	2	6	4	1	-0-	-0-	268	252	25	76	15	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	43	-0-	75	-0-
Lake Wales, D. M. Rockness	712	8	18	12	15	8	6	721	556	57	232	13	19	-0-	-0-	50	-0-	122	40	24	97
New Hope, W. B. Sutherland, Jr.	167	12	20	11	-0-	3	4	203	163	44	99	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	51
Trinity, H. B. Probes, Jr.	148	9	2	14	1	-0-	-0-	172	140	29	88	17	10	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	18	-0-	-0-	61
TOTALS	2,601	73	72	91	28	29	35	2,745	2,181	280	1,016	101	62	32	49	70	8	269	91	111	497

STATISTICAL REPORT OF FLORIDA PRESBYTERY

FLORIDA PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Avon Park	$ 51,870	$ 2,174	$ 5,907	$ -0-	$ 1,883	$327	$ -0-	$ 61,834	$ 15,977	$ 9,012	$ 2,298	$ 5,140	$ 16,161	$1,441	$ 1,080	$ 4,770	$ 975	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 56,854
Bartow	94,074	19,415	8,214	276	7,334	405	31,972	161,285	20,844	34,384	644	40,739	15,983	98	1,987	15,730	19,047	-0-	7,334	-0-	156,790
Chapel-by-the-Sea	32,885	2,500	47,837	2,215	1,200	377	-0-	86,637	16,799	1,650	-0-	39,723	15,759	-0-	800	2,500	-0-	2,215	-0-	-0-	79,446
Covenant	100,682	5,065	4,586	-0-	1,136	386	3,923	115,392	13,536	33,187	10,409	6,164	23,971	-0-	400	2,000	-0-	11,273	-0-	-0-	100,940
Faith	22,777	574	238	221	887	574	10,788	35,485	14,909	1,178	-0-	10,112	6,480	7	801	720	198	1,124	-0-	454	35,983
Grace Community	3,888	175	-0-	410	-0-	250	12,000	16,473	12,447	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,232	-0-	1,055	-0-	150	410	-0-	-0-	16,294
Lake Placid	33,689	8,320	17,164	-0-	4,673	253	-0-	63,846	14,600	4,217	7,000	11,064	6,634	60	1,048	4,217	1,366	-0-	3,883	-0-	54,089
Lake Wales	125,835	39,172	39,200	-0-	4,212	375	-0-	208,419	21,744	37,641	19,260	39,200	35,184	171	1,488	19,035	19,912	-0-	10,858	-0-	204,493
New Hope	35,020	557	8,467	-0-	-0-	270	-0-	44,044	14,763	-0-	310	10,726	13,223	32	1,508	1,500	259	1,110	-0-	-0-	43,431
Trinity	53,853	5,197	-0-	-0-	-0-	421	-0-	59,050	15,434	6,842	4,644	-0-	21,145	900	789	5,940	706	-0-	-0-	-0-	56,400
TOTALS	$554,573	$83,149	$131,613	$3,122	$21,325	$364	$58,683	$852,465	$161,053	$128,111	$44,565	$162,868	$156,772	$2,709	$10,956	$56,412	$42,613	$16,132	$22,075	$454	$804,720

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, A. L. Roberts	112	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	110	50	3	22	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Brighton, J. A. Hunt	268	1	5	5	2	-0-	-0-	277	164	40	169	6	7	-0-	4	-0-	-0-	64	28	-0-	100
Covington, O. N. McCarter	82	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	82	71	1	58	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	24	14	-0-	-0-
Ebenezer, P. E. Smith, Clerk	95	-0-	1	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	95	45	-0-	40	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	18	-0-	-0-	58
Elsberry, E. Calvin, Clerk	104	-0-	1	-0-	3	4	-0-	98	54	9	54	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	43
Havana, J. D. Welch, Jr., Clerk	57	-0-	1	-0-	2	2	4	50	22	28	16	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6	-0-	-0-	-0-
Hickory Springs, W. L. Green, Clerk	34	-0-	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	31	18	-0-	28	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Hopewell, A. L. Roberts	59	-0-	-0-	6	1	2	-0-	62	41	6	75	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	44	-0-	-0-	44
Lawndale, H. R. Jones, Clerk	233	4	9	-0-	1	23	5	217	142	1	45	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	55
Memphis, R. G. Herrmann	182	-0-	4	-0-	2	8	-0-	176	107	14	106	7	7	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	35	25	-0-	97
Midlane Park, W. E. Stanchfield	102	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	2	-0-	98	98	15	110	5	-0-	12	-0-	-0-	-0-	36	20	-0-	78
Mount Zion, K. W. Shannon, Clerk	61	1	3	-0-	1	4	1	59	36	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	24	-0-	-0-	-0-
New Albany, W. B. Everett	273	1	8	1	2	10	-0-	271	196	2	30	12	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	10	-0-	-0-	-0-
New Life, J. Moffatt, Clerk**	16	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	16	13	24	158	15	5	11	7	-0-	-0-	47	-0-	-0-	-0-
Parkway Place, C. L. Motley, Clerk	134	-0-	4	3	5	-0-	-0-	136	117	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Pottsville, T. G. Morris	181	4	3	1	5	-0-	-0-	184	119	18	132	11	3	8	6	3	-0-	26	9	-0-	91
Providence, R. D. Maddox**	9	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9	9	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Richland, G. W. Curry	196	2	4	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	201	141	12	151	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	39	15	10	26
Rives, C. Crigger, Clerk**	7	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	7	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
St. Paul, J. R. Wade	94	9	10	14	-0-	-0-	-0-	127	109	40	113	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	14	21	-0-	53
Salem, C. Y. Todd	234	1	4	-0-	2	5	2	230	195	35	205	16	9	10	8	5	2	30	25	42	102
Shady Grove, J. H. Daniel, Clerk**	18	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	18	11	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Sharon, B. E. Hoyt	76	-0-	1	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	76	40	7	46	-0-	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	14	-0-	-0-	-0-
Southwest, E. S. Irby	84	4	1	10	-0-	9	6	84	46	21	59	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	33
Troy, O. C. Berry, Clerk	58	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	57	30	-0-	38	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	14	-0-	-0-	-0-
Wood Avenue, W. N. Falls	108	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	110	81	9	59	10	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	22	-0-	-0-	-0-
TOTALS	2,877	27	64	40	37	72	18	2,881	1,960	285	1,714	82	35	41	38	8	2	497	157	52	780

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MISSISSIPPI VALLEY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES											
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD					
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Bethany	$ 9,469	$ 379	$ 117	$ -0-	$ 434	$208	$ -0-	$ 10,399	$ 6,000	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 2,461	$ 25	$ 384	$ 250	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 612	$ -0-	$ 9,732
Brighton	40,922	1,423	2,132	1,468	6,578	320	3,000	55,523	12,884	4,842	75	4,700	12,326	321	840	6,000	1,348	1,947	4,627	-0-	49,910
Covington	23,286	3,797	1,350	-0-	2,665	438	3,302	34,400	11,598	-0-	518	1,490	11,853	191	550	2,750	2,838	-0-	2,585	-0-	34,373
Ebenezer	8,779	520	739	-0-	1,603	259	-0-	11,641	3,710	176	158	-0-	3,187	24	-0-	1,000	338	145	1,179	-0-	9,917
Elsberry	17,250	156	-0-	104	1,977	361	420	19,907	8,493	200	-0-	-0-	5,040	26	191	824	156	1,441	2,122	-0-	18,493
Havana	4,101	100	40	150	676	230	-0-	5,067	1,925	-0-	25	103	744	18	-0-	600	250	225	232	100	4,222
Hickory Springs	3,720	-0-	-0-	-0-	459	232	-0-	4,179	1,510	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,467	-0-	-0-	550	359	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,886
Hopewell	5,770	-0-	-0-	-0-	776	160	-0-	6,546	3,000	150	53	-0-	2,041	-0-	240	500	376	108	-0-	-0-	6,468
Lawndale	73,076	2,861	2,850	4,368	-0-	586	915	84,070	16,641	16,916	1,900	20,431	20,732	26	736	2,000	108	7,000	-0-	-0-	86,490
Memphis	40,728	1,947	-0-	500	3,106	432	1,862	48,143	4,726	5,010	837	-0-	14,571	-0-	848	5,355	1,110	900	3,106	-0-	36,463
Midlane Park	26,498	388	571	459	900	285	1,330	30,146	13,282	1,796	43	2,500	6,496	57	764	2,400	772	-0-	-0-	-0-	28,110
Mount Zion	8,414	39	375	540	840	283	308	10,516	6,221	360	53	683	2,486	139	368	650	39	507	840	308	12,654
New Albany	63,380	1,731	42,348	-0-	1,942	558	76,541	185,942	11,667	15,609	2,542	115,118	36,351	419	1,068	-0-	-0-	2,400	-0-	-0-	185,174
New Life**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Parkway Place	41,900	2,392	12,279	-0-	2,657	506	4,305	63,533	5,300	3,648	922	29,830	10,026	298	560	3,500	925	-0-	2,657	-0-	57,666
Pottsville	21,950	1,184	2,625	-0-	2,567	238	1,000	29,326	11,249	-0-	115	2,625	7,904	306	682	2,150	878	-0-	1,747	-0-	27,656
Providence**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Richland	40,659	2,254	1,992	-0-	11,095	397	-0-	56,000	9,955	7,700	70	4,190	13,859	365	952	5,500	2,312	-0-	12,024	-0-	56,927
Rives**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
St. Paul	42,282	272	3,933	-0-	540	431	-0-	47,027	14,088	-0-	4,146	13,183	5,464	470	942	2,255	-0-	1,200	540	-0-	42,289
Salem	46,493	3,092	862	1,845	5,553	296	2,938	60,783	15,952	4,275	1,624	10,771	14,892	682	1,004	7,324	1,372	2,974	6,787	-0-	67,657
Shady Grove**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Sharon	14,274	362	482	-0-	1,372	412	-0-	16,490	6,813	1,685	-0-	482	5,872	170	600	1,030	242	-0-	1,052	-0-	17,946
Southwest	22,819	533	5,400	2,635	1,121	707	-0-	32,508	12,421	1,443	2,615	6,501	7,666	17	1,356	600	-0-	-0-	292	-0-	32,911
Troy	9,077	-0-	3,260	-0-	2,994	510	1,500	16,831	5,930	550	100	3,260	2,630	-0-	661	420	6	81	2,611	-0-	16,249
Wood Avenue	18,623	309	-0-	-0-	841	244	4,107	23,880	9,687	-0-	-0-	3,633	7,379	41	752	2,100	309	-0-	841	-0-	24,741
TOTALS	$583,470	$23,739	$81,355	$12,069	$50,696	$368	$101,528	$852,857	$193,052	$64,360	$15,796	$219,500	$195,447	$3,595	$13,498	$47,758	$13,73[illegible]	$18,928	$43,854	$408	$829,934

STATISTICAL REPORT OF SECOND PRESBYTERY

SECOND PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Abbeville, D. R. Beatty, Clerk	69	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	2	66	56	-0-	21	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Bethel, M. F. Horton, Clerk	90	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	89	81	17	78	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	4	20	-0-	-0-	41
Bethlehem, P. Strawhorn, Clerk	58	1	1	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	58	47	11	56	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	16	-0-	-0-	-0-
Cannon's Creek, G. L. Pierstorff	66	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	67	40	12	33	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	11	-0-	-0-	-0-
Cedar Springs, H. J. Tuck, Jr., Clerk	60	-0-	2	-0-	1	-0-	10	51	51	-0-	35	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-
Doraville, R. J. Marshburn	746	23	21	12	3	23	14	762	579	43	335	21	25	14	12	11	9	99	41	-0-	116
Due West, H. Bowie, Clerk	321	1	11	-0-	5	9	3	316	275	55	234	14	17	8	10	-0-	-0-	116	40	40	140
Ebenezer, M. L. Garvey	48	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	48	30	18	28	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	11	-0-	-0-	-0-
Generostee, G. W. Evans, Clerk	38	1	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	38	29	3	27	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Grace, A. N. Morrow, Clerk	40	-0-	5	1	-0-	5	-0-	41	24	14	22	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	-0-
Greenville, R. E. Beckham	617	6	24	-0-	6	17	-0-	624	575	91	281	14	15	9	11	14	6	103	50	-0-	123
Greenwood, D. W. Elliott	236	1	10	-0-	1	4	8	234	224	42	155	11	6	8	10	-0-	-0-	59	-0-	-0-	51
Grier Memorial, J. T. Corbitt	106	3	13	3	-0-	2	6	117	117	20	86	9	7	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	27	34	-0-	41
Highlands, J. F. Beard	249	3	24	4	6	9	6	259	213	56	134	12	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	50	28	-0-	-0-
Hopewell, C. E. Cheatham	105	-0-	1	1	2	-0-	-0-	105	50	-0-	34	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	5	-0-	-0-	-0-
Iva, W. E. Kirkpatrick	108	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	111	91	20	69	-0-	5	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	30	-0-	-0-	25
Louisville, W. J. Revell, Clerk	160	-0-	2	-0-	4	8	-0-	150	102	3	65	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	35
Lower Long Cane, J. A. Dansby, Clerk**	67	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	65	28	37	22	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Lyndon Grove, A. M. Allan	85	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	9	-0-	75	73	4	41	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	7	12	-0-	-0-
McElroy Memorial, T. D. Grant	129	5	-0-	-0-	3	5	-0-	126	93	19	48	-0-	-0-	-0-	12	-0-	-0-	21	15	12	30
Mount Carmel, J. A. McAllister, Clerk	11	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	10	10	10	16	-0-	2	1	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	12	-0-
Newberry, E. L. Bland	271	-0-	8	-0-	2	1	4	272	261	45	167	12	7	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	53	-0-	-0-	74
Ora, P. A. Larson	123	3	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	124	120	20	100	6	-0-	5	6	-0-	-0-	30	22	-0-	-0-
Pressly Memorial, W. M. Creswell, Clerk	38	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	37	32	-0-	27	-0-	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Providence, W. T. Sherer, III	123	4	2	-0-	2	-0-	-0-	127	95	10	82	6	3	4	3	10	1	27	-0-	11	24
Spartanburg, H. C. White	203	4	8	-0-	1	3	-0-	211	175	52	94	16	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	35	-0-
Troy, H. R. Deason, Clerk	73	-0-	-0-	4	1	1	-0-	75	47	3	28	-0-	-0-	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	19	-0-
Tucker, T. Dishroom, Clerk**	52	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	51	30	-0-	11	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	5	-0-	-0-
White Oak, C. W. Wilson	172	5	4	2	4	-0-	-0-	179	136	15	145	15	10	12	10	10	9	32	-0-	-0-	60
Woodruff, G. S. Anderson, Clerk	13	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	13	13	7	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Wrens, M. L. Garvey	70	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	71	50	21	32	6	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	16	-0-	-0-	-0-
Young Memorial, R. S. Miles, Jr.	172	9	12	10	1	1	-0-	201	165	30	99	10	7	11	13	7	-0-	46	-0-	10	75
TOTALS	4,719	75	149	37	52	102	53	4,773	3,912	678	2,609	152	105	80	94	52	29	810	247	139	835

STATISTICAL REPORT OF SECOND PRESBYTERY

SECOND PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Abbeville	$ 7,408	$ 275	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 383	$144	$ -0-	$ 8,066	$ 3,900	$ 1,395	$ 500	$ -0-	$ 1,324	$ 29	$ 205	$ 1,550	$ 275	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 9,178
Bethel	16,573	714	1,191	-0-	1,758	250	14,124	34,360	7,000	894	-0-	-0-	4,812	83	480	2,456	714	-0-	1,846	16,500	34,785
Bethlehem	10,820	122	-0-	-0-	1,106	256	-0-	12,048	5,609	780	-0-	100	1,252	37	630	140	85	-0-	964	-0-	9,597
Cannon's Creek	14,513	35	244	-0-	401	380	1,847	17,040	9,232	585	-0-	2,644	1,098	44	308	600	13	-0-	238	-0-	14,762
Cedar Springs	4,583	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	90	-0-	4,583	2,600	600	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,200	-0-	1,000	-0-	-0-	6,400
Doraville	98,991	4,588	6,828	-0-	2,745	195	-0-	113,152	22,167	26,670	-0-	15,900	-0-	579	1,160	15,700	4,568	6,506	2,889	2,200	98,339
Due West	60,300	15,371	1,747	-0-	1,361	286	85	78,864	10,939	15,540	10,708	-0-	15,492	870	776	11,500	4,311	3,210	-0-	-0-	73,346
Ebenezer	6,422	76	-0-	-0-	83	223	-0-	6,581	3,673	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,396	48	-0-	600	75	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,792
Generostee	2,494	183	-0-	-0-	406	106	3,031	6,114	2,380	-0-	-0-	-0-	538	15	-0-	850	183	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,966
Grace	11,290	341	525	-0-	320	520	6,842	19,318	11,512	1,281	177	2,685	1,924	45	507	425	61	-0-	-0-	-0-	18,617
Greenville	126,240	8,791	52,090	-0-	9,950	343	67,448	264,519	22,273	30,454	6,167	152,688	36,181	615	1,333	20,978	2,774	1,009	10,107	5,492	290,071
Greenwood	55,044	3,318	68,838	-0-	4,714	589	4,816	136,730	17,061	16,633	-0-	79,450	16,866	-0-	1,048	9,608	2,466	-0-	4,714	-0-	147,846
Grier Memorial	43,480	4,292	2,591	-0-	2,825	430	3,610	56,798	19,476	2,605	2,675	8,652	8,399	-0-	876	1,860	1,728	1,320	2,825	-0-	50,416
Highlands	54,766	1,378	1,847	32	7,869	309	5,000	70,892	19,851	11,640	601	13,817	9,866	210	1,168	4,232	598	-0-	8,187	-0-	70,170
Hopewell	17,091	999	-0-	-0-	425	370	-0-	18,515	12,925	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	57	748	728	999	-0-	-0-	-0-	15,457
Iva	19,237	225	25,718	-0-	2,548	525	13,781	61,509	10,173	840	-0-	35,518	8,176	88	572	2,200	225	300	2,903	-0-	60,995
Louisville	27,273	2,118	2,268	-0-	-0-	310	1,000	32,659	7,526	-0-	200	2,268	11,335	173	628	4,000	2,052	1,000	-0-	-0-	29,182
Lower Long Cane**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Lyndon Grove	21,055	1,055	3,541	-0-	1,860	377	-0-	27,511	11,096	1,740	-0-	4,129	7,332	72	739	1,260	373	-0-	1,133	-0-	27,874
McElroy Memorial	30,033	413	-0-	-0-	846	336	-0-	31,292	12,380	-0-	-0-	2,020	9,645	184	788	3,300	413	-0-	-0-	-0-	28,730
Mount Carmel	1,602	140	-0-	-0-	93	183	-0-	1,835	1,200	-0-	-0-	-0-	244	8	-0-	150	140	-0-	86	-0-	1,828
Newberry	40,754	2,365	12,487	-0-	8,681	246	-0-	64,287	15,623	5,406	11,042	5,543	12,373	483	880	6,961	1,394	-0-	7,646	610	67,961
Ora	31,987	2,295	5,894	1,667	3,110	375	3,025	47,978	13,585	1,019	1,856	6,030	6,904	246	795	4,179	757	3,086	3,430	-0-	41,887
Pressly Memorial	5,216	191	-0-	-0-	334	179	-0-	5,741	2,070	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,642	31	-0-	920	191	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,854
Providence	27,616	1,227	4,831	-0-	3,500	391	-0-	37,174	13,000	-0-	99	4,831	9,249	200	900	4,100	1,022	-0-	-0-	-0-	33,401
Spartanburg	35,664	6,041	6,800	2,200	3,706	311	937	55,348	13,450	2,660	3,290	6,562	11,824	266	760	3,300	1,385	300	3,533	-0-	47,330
Troy	7,200	206	-0-	-0-	446	167	226	8,078	2,170	-0-	-0-	-0-	9,909	84	-0-	500	164	-0-	-0-	-0-	12,827
Tucker**	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
White Oak	23,758	517	2,464	-0-	3,176	220	-0-	29,915	11,579	1,567	-0-	6,112	4,597	127	667	2,000	557	-0-	-0-	522	27,728
Woodruff	1,657	62	-0-	-0-	260	172	-0-	1,979	2,220	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	62	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,282
Wrens	9,293	351	2,275	-0-	-0-	238	-0-	11,919	8,483	-0-	66	2,275	-0-	30	432	600	255	-0-	-0-	-0-	12,141
Young Memorial	43,746	599	1,867	-0-	136	280	-0-	46,348	14,117	8,475	-0-	1,540	12,414	230	877	7,000	511	-0-	1,659	-0-	46,823
TOTALS	$856,106	$58,288	$204,046	$3,899	$63,042	$293	$125,772	$1,311,153	$309,270	$130,784	$37,381	$352,764	$205,792	$4,916	$17,277	$113,897	$28,289	$17,731	$52,160	$25,324	$1,295,585

STATISTICAL REPORT OF TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethel, R. P. Brawley	54	-0-	2	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	55	55	2	55	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	17	-0-	-0-	-0-
Camden, R. P. Brawley	97	5	9	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	108	98	18	81	10	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	22	-0-	-0-	-0-
Cleveland Street, P. K. Shannon, Clerk	92	1	6	-0-	1	2	-0-	96	89	1	66	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	26	-0-	-0-	15
Fayetteville, J. R. Fee	222	3	10	-0-	5	1	-0-	229	175	23	155	9	-0-	5	5	-0-	-0-	27	25	-0-	50
Hopewell, J. L. Patterson, Clerk	28	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	28	18	5	32	10	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	9	-0-	-0-	-0-
Lincoln Memorial, J. B. Hayes, Clerk**	107	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	107	60	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Pressly Memorial, T. O. Owens	107	4	2	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	113	53	3	15	4	5	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	14	-0-	-0-	-0-
Prosperity, Ala., R. P. Brawley	56	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	55	55	2	13	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8	-0-	-0-	-0-
Prosperity, Tenn., C. F. Edgar, Jr.	171	1	-0-	6	3	2	-0-	173	112	6	111	15	2	7	4	5	9	33	-0-	-0-	72
TOTALS	934	14	29	6	13	6	-0-	964	715	60	528	48	7	12	12	5	9	156	25	-0-	137

STATISTICAL REPORT OF TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevo-lences	Capital Expendi-tures	Other Local Expendi-tures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Bethel	$ 4,000	$ 465	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 3,034	$136	$ -0-	$ 7,499	$ 3,000	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 400	$ -0-	$ 256	$ 2,125	$ 465	$ -0-	$ 800	$ -0-	$ 7,046
Camden	12,623	1,110	4,259	420	850	197	4,174	23,436	4,006	3,379	147	4,259	5,464	-0-	350	3,641	1,110	420	850	-0-	23,626
Cleveland Street	21,689	1,236	-0-	183	1,905	281	1,152	26,165	4,800	1,100	-0-	26,048	4,006	20	-0-	500	1,236	183	1,643	-0-	39,536
Fayetteville	41,428	3,239	15,724	1,200	2,996	369	18,000	82,587	15,145	5,282	-0-	33,724	14,036	40	880	6,620	3,239	1,200	3,357	-0-	83,523
Hopewell	9,632	300	-0-	-0-	1,381	628	-0-	11,313	5,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,211	30	-0-	670	300	-0-	938	-0-	11,149
Lincoln Memorial	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Pressly Memorial	10,793	-0-	-0-	-0-	450	212	-0-	11,243	9,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	900	-0-	-0-	250	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	10,150
Prosperity, Ala.	5,240	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,056	114	-0-	6,296	1,525	875	-0-	-0-	461	30	336	1,075	135	-0-	673	-0-	5,110
Prosperity, Tenn.	16,534	465	700	42	2,746	183	5,209	25,696	9,861	-0-	707	11,076	1,943	40	655	1,567	465	42	2,052	-0-	28,408
TOTALS	$121,939	$6,815	$20,683	$1,845	$14,418	$265	$28,535	$194,235	$52,337	$10,636	$854	$75,107	$31,421	$160	$2,477	$16,448	$6,950	$1,845	$10,313	$-0-	$208,548

STATISTICAL REPORT OF VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									NON-COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES							YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS						ADULT FELLOWSHIPS			
	Total Beginning of the Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Re-Affirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End of The Year	Number Active Members		Church School	YPCU	Jr. High Fellowship	Junior Fellowship	Primary Fellowship	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Club	Other	Vacation Bible School
Ballston Center, R. S. Triebble, Clerk	122	-0-	1	5	-0-	1	-0-	127	127	-0-	122	5	25	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Broad Creek, B. L. Donald, Jr., Clerk	126	2	-0-	-0-	1	-0-	-0-	127	48	10	33	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Ebenezer, L. Hartless, Clerk	276	4	2	-0-	3	2	-0-	277	217	30	141	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	30	23	-0-	-0-	114
Edgemont, W. M. Harris, Jr.	316	7	8	2	6	5	-0-	322	239	15	134	12	5	3	-0-	-0-	-0-	48	-0-	-0-	118
Fairlea, T. L. Pritt	116	-0-	-0-	2	1	-0-	-0-	117	92	15	92	5	4	6	5	4	-0-	26	10	-0-	56
Johnson's Creek, A. Paxton, Clerk	137	-0-	3	-0-	3	-0-	-0-	137	73	37	92	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	17	-0-	-0-	10
Kingsborough, G. J. Gerard	88	2	-0-	2	1	9	25	57	43	36	52	-0-	9	-0-	-0-	-0-	7	20	-0-	-0-	84
Ladd, M. E. Gilbert	112	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	114	57	12	57	5	-0-	6	3	3	2	10	-0-	-0-	48
Lauderdale, J. Kirby, Clerk	553	8	2	-0-	8	5	-0-	550	340	63	261	9	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	38	-0-	-0-	-0-
New Lebanon, T. L. Pritt	81	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	81	35	3	27	5	-0-	4	-0-	-0-	-0-	7	-0-	-0-	43
Old Providence, J. M. Bell, Sr.	411	3	4	1	6	2	-0-	411	278	73	188	15	5	4	10	4	-0-	49	-0-	-0-	99
Spring Valley, J. H. Dixon, Clerk	10	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2	-0-	8	8	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6	-0-	-0-	-0-
Timber Ridge, C. D. McGuffin, Clerk	186	3	-0-	-0-	1	1	1	186	82	17	43	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	17	-0-	-0-	-0-
Wildhurst, H. A. Mays, Clerk	68	1	1	-0-	1	-0-	2	67	45	12	46	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	15	-0-	-0-	35
TOTALS	2,602	34	21	12	31	29	28	2,581	1,684	323	1,288	56	48	23	18	11	39	276	10	-0-	607

STATISTICAL REPORT OF VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
									LOCAL						GENERAL SYNOD						
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Receipts	Total Receipts	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Expenditures	Other Local Expenditures	PRESBYTERY ASSESSMENTS & SPECIALS	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitments	Special Offerings	Direct Support	AUXILIARY TREASURIES	TRANSFER TO SAVINGS	TOTAL DISBURSED FOR YEAR
Ballston Center	$ 28,115	$ 7,500	$ -0-	$ -0-	$ 3,330	$277	$ -0-	$ 38,945	$ 5,600	$10,363	$4,781	$ -0-	$11,458	$ 500	$ 576	$ 2,200	$ 30	$ -0-	$ 3,351	$ -0-	$ 38,859
Broad Creek	5,854	10	-0-	-0-	279	128	43	6,186	2,595	-0-	100	-0-	-0-	300	-0-	700	48	-0-	105	-0-	3,848
Ebenezer	19,564	-0-	125	-0-	710	95	311	20,710	10,115	1,020	-0-	125	-0-	402	749	1,185	-0-	-0-	410	-0-	14,006
Edgemont	37,860	527	16,962	3,770	2,619	258	-0-	61,738	8,622	5,910	180	16,140	14,589	1,128	864	3,504	347	4,051	2,619	-0-	57,954
Fairlea	19,649	178	-0-	-0-	5,007	270	11	24,845	9,546	720	153	2,500	10,191	600	608	2,000	25	-0-	1,679	-0-	28,022
Johnson's Creek	13,064	349	172	35	2,647	223	3,833	20,100	9,995	420	304	-0-	5,480	200	640	650	157	35	1,103	-0-	18,984
Kingsborough	12,756	1,695	-0-	-0-	-0-	336	2,711	17,162	11,464	619	1,134	-0-	2,985	25	396	50	57	300	-0-	-0-	17,030
Ladd	7,660	117	-0-	-0-	7,776	136	-0-	15,553	1,820	-0-	-0-	1,348	2,711	505	146	525	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	7,055
Lauderdale	33,011	456	6,316	-0-	4,792	131	-0-	44,575	7,350	4,383	200	10,704	8,661	800	916	1,000	256	-0-	4,065	21,384	59,719
New Lebanon	8,443	-0-	-0-	-0-	786	264	-0-	9,229	4,078	315	-0-	-0-	1,565	120	168	600	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,846
Old Providence	44,898	4,417	2,729	-0-	11,747	229	120	63,911	14,831	1,887	2,580	3,455	13,943	1,912	800	7,300	1,837	1,800	10,302	-0-	60,647
Spring Valley	423	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	53	104	527	-0-	-0-	182	-0-	171	6	-0-	75	45	-0-	48	-0-	527
Timber Ridge	8,387	161	1,319	-0-	738	129	-0-	10,605	3,000	530	117	-0-	2,482	250	360	900	43	157	452	-0-	8,291
Wildhurst	8,209	120	-0-	-0-	779	202	2,444	11,552	1,995	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,961	240	639	545	120	-0-	797	3,594	11,891
TOTALS	$247,893	$15,530	$27,623	$3,805	$41,210	$195	$9,577	$345,638	$91,011	$26,167	$9,731	$34,272	$78,197	$6,988	$6,862	$21,234	$2,965	$6,343	$24,931	$24,978	$333,679

RULES OF PROCEDURE

1. The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall meet annually on the first Monday of June at 7:30 o'clock P.M. At the opening service, the retiring Moderator will present a sermon, or if he is a ruling elder, will present an appropriate address. This service will include the celebration of the Lord's Supper and the Constitution of the Synod with prayer. The Synod will then adjourn for the night.

2. All business sessions will be opened with a period of worship.

3. Following the period of worship each morning, the minutes of the preceding day's sessions shall be read for approval. The minutes of the final day's session(s) shall be read for approval immediately prior to the final adjournment.

4. TUESDAY MORNING: (a) The Roll prepared in accordance with the Rules of Order will be constituted by the Principal Clerk immediately following the opening period of worship. (b) Unfinished business shall follow the constituting of the roll. (c) After disposition of the unfinished business, the Retiring Moderator shall present to the Synod the Moderator-Elect, who shall present the Vice-Moderator and announce his committees for the current meeting. (d) There shall be a Call for Reports from the Boards and Committees and for Memorials from Presbyteries. The Reports of the Boards, unless there is a request for reading, shall be referred without reading to the appropriate Moderator's Committees. The Memorials from presbyteries, after having been read to the General Synod, will be referred to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials. Presbytery Reports shall be referred to a Moderator's Committee. The Reports of the Committees shall be considered by the Synod as a whole, unless referred by the Moderator to a Moderator's Committee. (e) The budget of the General Synod shall be presented for adoption at this first business session of the Meeting of the General Synod. Once adopted, the budget allocations approved therein supersede budget requests included in individual reports, if different.

5. TUESDAY AFTERNOON: Tuesday afternoon shall normally be left open for the meeting of Moderator's Committees.

6. WEDNESDAY MORNING: At 9:30 A.M. the Order of the Day shall be nominations for Moderator. Each nominee for the office shall previously have assured his nominator of his willingness to serve if elected. Nominating speeches and the seconding speeches are to be limited to five minutes each with only one seconding speech per nomination. Each Nominee shall be prepared to make a brief statement (not more than five minutes) to the General Synod immediately following the completion of the nominations which should be an expression of his willingness to serve if elected and his aspirations for the future of the denomination. The floor is open each year for the nomination of teaching or ruling elders.

7. WEDNESDAY EVENING: (a) On Wednesday evening, Fraternal Delegates shall be recognized to be followed by a program sponsored by the Committee on Inter-Church Relations. Presentation of the American Bible Society, The Lord's Day Alliance, and similar organizations approved by Synod, shall be left to the Committee on Inter-Church Relations as to time, place, and procedure. (b) At 9:30 P.M., the order of the day will be the election of a Moderator from those nominated in the Morning Session.

8. THURSDAY MORNING: On Thursday morning a Vice-Moderator Elect shall be elected by Synod. The Moderator-Elect shall be allowed to submit a name in nomination.

9. Upon request, Boards and Committees of The General Synod and the Woman's Synodical Union shall be given program time for special presentations. Additionally, the program will include a memorial service.

10. The hours for the opening of all sessions of the Synod, except for the opening session, shall be designated by the Committee to Plan Synod's Program.

11. The annual meeting shall be concluded by Friday noon.

12. GENERAL: The reports of all boards and standing committees shall be concise, and shall be typewritten, and in triplicate. The reports shall be marked "Official Copy", carefully edited for errors in phraseology, grammar, and spelling; and must be filed with the Bill Clerk prior to the first item of new business. The reports of all Moderator's Committees shall conform to the above format for reports of boards

and committees. When a report is open for consideration, the chairman shall have the right to open and close the discussion, and no member shall speak more than twice nor longer than ten minutes, unless given permission by the Synod. The narrative portion of the report shall be read only as an aid for discussion when needed. Normal procedure will be to read orally only the recommendations of the committee.

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CALENDAR FOR 1980

Church Year Begins	January 1
Bible Mastery Month, Begin Study of Genesis	January
Bonclarken Day, Special Offering for Bonclarken	January 27
Presbytery and Local Church Offerings	February
Special Offering for A.R.P. Foundation	March 9
Easter	April 6
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering for World Witness	April 6
Mother's Day	May 11
Erskine College Day—Special Offering for Erskine College	May 11
Meeting of General Synod	June 2-5
Youth Conferences	June 16-21 June 23-28
Independence Day	July 4
Music Conference	July 14-18
Adult Conferences	July 28-August 2
Lay Ministry Weekend	August 2-3
Promotion Day	August 31
Rally Day	September 7
Erskine Theological Seminary Day, Special Offering for Erskine Theological Seminary	September 14
Voluntary Commitment Month	October
World Wide Communion Day	October 5
Special Offering for American Bible Society	October 5
Meeting of Woman's Synodical Union	October 1-2
Lay Ministry Day	October 12
The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Promotion Day	November 2
Thanksgiving Day	November 20
Special Offering for Church Extension	November 30
Christmas Benevolent Offering	December
Bible Sabbath	December 7
Christmas Sabbath	December 21
Christmas	December 25
Church Year Ends	December 31

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Flat Rock, North Carolina

June 2-5, 1980

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Flat Rock, North Carolina
June 2-5, 1980

PROCEEDINGS

BONCLARKEN, FLAT ROCK, NORTH CAROLINA

JUNE 2-5, 1980

MONDAY, JUNE 2 — 7:30 p.m.

The 176th meeting of the General Synod began with the worship service led by Mr. C.T. McCants, Retiring Moderator, Mr. M.S. Bender, Retiring Vice-Moderator, and Mr. Arthur A. Fischer. The Order of Worship for the evening was as follows:

The Prelude
Preparation for the Word:
*The Call to Worship
*Psalm 103 — *The Hymnal,* No. 8
*The Prayer of Confession
*The Assurance of Pardon
*The Gloria — *The Hymnal,* No. 546
The Service of the Word:
The Prayer for Illumination
The Old Testament Lesson — Exodus 3:1-14
*Psalm 124 — *The Hymnal,* No. 357
*The New Testament Lesson — John 20:19-23
The Sermon — "Sent!"
*The Apostles' Creed — *The Hymnal,* Pg. 12
*The Doxology — *The Hymnal,* No. 544
Response to the Word:
The Prayers of the People
The Prayers of Intercession
The Prayers of Thanksgiving for Those Who Have Served as Ruling and Teaching Elders and as Missionaries
The Prayer for the Communion of the Saints
The Lord's Prayer
The Sacrament of Holy Communion:
The Invitation to the Table
*Psalm 116 — *The Hymnal,* No. 32
The Communion Prayer
The Words of Institution
The Communion
Each worshipper will partake of the elements as they are passed.)
*The Prayer of Thanksgiving
*The Church's One Foundation — *The Hymnal,* No. 437
**The Benediction*
The Postlude

WORSHIP LEADERS

The Rev. Mr. C.T. McCants, Moderator, General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church
The Rev. Mr. Arthur A. Fischer
Mr. M.S. Bender, Vice-Moderator, General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

*CONGREGATION STANDING

TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 1980 — 9:00 a.m.

The opening worship service was led by Mr. D.W. Elliott. Following the devotional service and season of prayer, Mr. Harold S. Mace, Director of Bonclarken, welcomed the General Synod to Bonclarken.

The Principal Clerk declared the roll to be constituted and a quorum to be present, and moved that the items of unfinished business be postponed to that portion of the meeting when they naturally occur. The motion carried.

The Retiring Moderator, C.T. McCants, presented his report to the General Synod.

Mr. D.W. Elliott, Pastor of the Moderator-Elect, escorted Mr. J.H. Patrick to the lectern, where the Shield of the Moderator was exchanged and appropriate remarks were made by Mr. Patrick, who then presented a special Moderator's Bible to Mr. McCants.

A motion carried that the Report of the Moderator be received as information and printed in the *Minutes of Synod.*

MODERATOR'S REPORT

I'm certain it's inevitable that a Moderator comes to this moment with mixed feelings. I would be less than candid if I didn't confess a sense of relief in turning over this office to Joe Patrick. There are times when the position of Moderator falls heavier on one's shoulders than this silver medallion which I wear, and times as well, when the weight that the heart must bear is even greater. I think of that long, difficult Wednesday of last year's meeting of our General Synod and the slowly dawning awareness during that day that in the courts of the church there are no coldly objective decisions, that all the actions of the Synod are deeply personal and have deeply personal, far-reaching effects. I think also of those occasions during the year when the old dragon of division and debate reared its ugly head to threaten us anew and the feeling would hardly be suppressed that somehow the forces of battle were ready, even eager, to renew the fight. No, I won't pretend that there isn't a sense of relief in coming to the end of my term as Moderator.

At the same time, however, I'm profoundly aware of how richly God has blessed me during my term of office. It truly has been a pleasure to visit in the congregations, to talk to and with so many of you, to work with the dedicated men and women who serve on the boards and committees of our denomination. I am particularly grateful to God for the wonderful spirit of positive, constructive Christian statesmanship and cooperation that reigns among the members of our Executive Board. And have any of us ever really appreciated as fully as we should the work of Ed Hogan and the staff of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center?

The year as Moderator has brought many wonderful joys. To list them all would defy my strength and your patience, but I cannot resist telling you of the privilege I knew in attending the one hundreth anniversary celebration of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Ministry in Mexico. What a great blessing it is to experience firsthand how the influence of our Christian witness reaches out to other peoples and other nations and how their love flows back to us through the wonderful channels of Christian fellowship.

The feelings truly are mixed today, but just as truly my gratitude to God for this year outweighs every other emotion.

As I conclude my term as Moderator, I want to share with you my hope and my prayer for our church. We are on the verge of a great historical celebration in 1982. I hope and pray that it will indeed be a "great celebration," filled with joy and praise and gratitude to God for the richness of His blessings through those two hundred years. At the same time, however, I pray that we will not become so mired in the contemplation of the past that we fail to hear God's call to be His people right now in 1980; and I pray that we will not become so intent on studying the mirror image of our denomination as

it is and analysing and debating the passing, temporary issues of our present tense that we fail to follow God into the future of service and witness that He is opening before us. May God grant us the grace to step out together as *one Church* into that future!

Clyde T. McCants

Mr. Patrick challenged the Synod concerning the evangelistic goal of the Church.

The Vice-Moderator, Mr. C.E. Linderman, was presented to the Synod by Mr. Patrick. Mr. Linderman presented the program and it was adopted.

Mr. Patrick made his appointments to the various Moderator's Committees, excusing the members of Synod's Judicial Commission from service on said committees. The Synod approved the appointments by vote.

Following the Call for Reports for Reference, the Reading Clerk read to the General Synod the Memorials from the Presbyteries prior to their submission to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials.

The Moderator introduced the new ministers of our denomination to the Synod, followed by the introduction of students under the care of the Presbyteries and stated supplies.

The representative of the American Bible Society, Mr. Jim Gabrielson, was introduced and addressed the Synod.

The representative of the Historical Foundation at Montreat, N.C., Dr. Ruth See, was introduced, and addressed the Synod.

Other special guests were introduced as follows: Harold Kuhn, Presbyterian Church in America; Dr. John White, Reformed Presbyterian Church,N.A.; Joel Belz, Presbyterian Journal; Mrs. Atlee Davis, President, Woman's Synodical Union; Reverend Kenneth Vander Heide, Christian Reformed Church.

The pages were introduced to the Synod, with the churches they represent as follows: Elizabeth Lewis, First Rock Hill; Jody Bond, Lake Placid; Helen Veley, Lake Placid; Nat C. Whitten, Westminster, Tn.; David Bender, Greenville; Katie Edgar, Prosperity, Tn.; Sharon Bell, Old Providence; Sarah Lynn Richie, Old Providence.

Mrs. Patrick was then introduced, followed by the introduction of the Elder Representative of the Moderator's home church, Mr. Roy Long.

Mr. Charles H. Carlisle presented the 1981 Budget of the General Synod on behalf of the Board of Stewardship, which was adopted as presented.

ALLOCATION OF SYNOD'S UNRESTRICTED INCOME 1981

The Board of Stewardship has reviewed the proposed budgets of Synod's Boards and Committees and in particular the requests for funds from Synod's unrestricted income. The attached allocation of Synod's projected unrestricted income for 1981 is the recommendation of the Board of Stewardship. There are no significant deviations in the percentage of allocations as approved by the 1979 Synod for 1980, except where the agency's request resulted in a decrease in the percentage level of available funds. The Board of Stewardship asks the General Synod to consider the following as it considers the Board's recommendation:

a. The General Synod should carefully review the budgets of individual agencies as submitted with the individual agency's Report to Synod.
b. Boards and Committees whose budgets are administered by Synod's Treasurer must revise their budgets as necessary to provide Synod's Treasurer with a balanced budget, reflecting the income allocation from Synod's Unrestricted income as adopted by Synod and other changes as directed by the General Synod.

A breakdown of the "Anticipated Designated Income from Synod Sources" and "Anticipated Direct and Non-Synod Income" is submitted as information.

BUDGETED UNRESTRICTED INCOME FOR 1981

Voluntary Commitments	$ 701,955
Unrestricted Interest Income and Miscellaneous Gifts	35,000
Unrestricted Gift from ARP Foundation, Inc.	10,000
Anticipated Unused Budget Funds from 1980	5,000
Excess Income from Sale of Material, Publications	2,250
Total Unrestricted Income Anticipated	$ 754,205

ESTIMATE OF OTHER INCOME

	Designated Income From Synod Sources	Direct and Non-Synod Income
Annuities and Relief		
Retirement Plan Fund	$ 150,000	$ —
Widows Benefit Fund	—	23,760
Group Insurance Premiums	100,000	—
Christmas Benevolent Offering	35,000	—
Bonclarken		
WSU	13,500	—
Special Offering	14,000	—
Individual Gifts and Offerings	—	4,500
Chapel Offerings	—	2,400
Rental Income	—	76,500
Food Sales	—	77,900
Other	—	50,250
Christian Education		
WSU	5,500	—
Adult Quarterly	17,750	—
Conference Registration	2,000	—
Other	425	—
Church Extension		
Special Offering	25,000	—
WSU—Designated	30,000	—
Undesignated	15,000	—
Interest from Permanent Fund	3,000	—
Revolving Loan Fund	—	67,000
Other	2,800	—
Erskine College		
WSU	16,000	—
Special Offering	8,000	—

Student and Related	—	3,046,498
Permanent Endowment	—	219,400
Living Endowment	—	189,500
Grants and Gifts	—	94,603
Book Store and Snack Bar Sales	—	169,212
Other	—	20,722
Erskine Theological Seminary		
WSU	4,000	—
Special Offering	15,000	—
Lake Wales Gift	5,000	—
Student and Related	—	66,265
Permanent Endowment	—	57,250
Living Endowment	—	29,500
Executive Board of Synod		
Synod Registration	1,375	—
A.R.P. Center Facility Rents	—	34,037
Publications		
Subscription to **The ARP**	35,250	—
Sale of **Plan Book**	1,250	—
Sale of **Prayer Calendar**	1,750	—
Miscellaneous	500	—
World Witness		
Direct Support ARP Churches	238,085	—
Direct Support Non-ARP	—	3,000
WSU—Designated	55,290	—
Undesignated	20,000	—
Special Offering	25,000	—
Individual Gifts, Specials	104,000	—
Income From Permanent Funds	5,000	—
Neill E. Pressly Clinic Fees	—	391,000
Rio Verde Conference Center	—	94,000
Summer Camps (Mexico)	—	16,000
Nancy Fulwood Hospital Fees	—	392,000
Orthopedic Program	—	100,000
Other	—	58,740
Lay Ministry		
Adult Conference Registration	1,650	—
Worship		
Conference Registration	5,000	—
Sale of Materials	1,800	—
Other	225	—
American Bible Society		
Special Offering	6,392	—
	$964,542	$5,284,037

AGENCY	From Synod's Unrestricted Income					Anticipated Designated Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Total Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Direct or Non-Synod Income	Anticipated Total Income For Ministry
	1980 Allocation	% of Total	1981 Request	1981 Recommended Amount	% of Total				
Annuities & Relief									
Board Travel & Exp.	$ 850	.13	$ 1,500	$ 1,250	.17	$ —	$ 1,250	$ —	$ 1,250
Christmas Benevolent Fund	—	—	—	—	—	35,000	35,000	—	35,000
Retirement Plan Fund	—	—	—	—	—	150,000	150,000	—	150,000
Widows Benefit Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23,760	23,760
Group Ins. Premiums	—	—	—	—	—	100,000	100,000	—	100,000
ARP Foundation	1,000	.15	1,000	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Bonclarken									
Supplement	42,900	6.49	50,500	48,947	6.49	27,500	76,447	211,550	287,997
Camp Bonclarken	1,000	.15	1,500	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Christian Education									
General Operating	47,820	7.23	56,661	54,529	7.23	7,925	62,454	—	62,454
Adult Quarterly	—	—	—	—	—	17,750	17,750	—	17,750
Church Extension	135,863	20.55	160,013	156,865	20.80	75,800	232,665	67,000	299,665
Dunlap	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Erskine College & Seminary									
Supplement	104,635	15.83	131,403	120,833	16.02	48,000	168,833	3,892,950	4,061,783
Synod Scholarships	16,000	2.42	17,695	17,695	2.35	—	17,695	—	17,695
ARP Student Union*	100	.01	100	100	.01	—	100	—	100
Executive Board of Synod									
Board Travel & Exp.	1,250	.19	1,500	1,500	.20	—	1,500	—	1,500
Emphasis Committee	500	.08	600	600	.08	—	600	—	600
Synod Meeting Exp.	—	—	—	—	—	1,375	1,375	—	1,375
Officers of Synod									
Moderator	2,000	.30	2,000	2,000	.27	—	2,000	—	2,000
Principal Clerk	1,750	.26	2,100	2,100	.28	—	2,100	—	2,100
Reading Clerk Hon.**	650	.10	100	100	.01	—	100	—	100
Bill Clerk Hon.	100	.01	100	100	.01	—	100	—	100
Treasurer of Synod	8,924	1.35	9,879	9,879	1.31	—	9,879	—	9,879

AGENCY	From Synod's Unrestricted Income					Anticipated Designated Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Total Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Direct or Non-Synod Income	Anticipated Total Income For Ministry
	1980 Allocation	% of Total	1981 Request	1981 Recommended Amount	% of Total				
Minutes of Synod	6,500	.98	7,000	7,000	.93	—	7,000	—	7,000
ARP Center	73,975	11.19	81,268	81,268	10.78	—	81,268	—	81,268
ARP Center Facility	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34,037	34,037
Publications									
Board Travel & Exp.	1,250	.19	1,500	1,500	.20	—	1,500	—	1,500
Plan Book	1,160	.18	510	510	.07	1,250	1,760	—	1,760
Prayer Calendar	—	—	—	—	—	1,750	1,750	—	1,750
The A.R.P.	17,961	2.72	22,240	20,514	2.72	35,750	56,264	—	56,264
Stewardship									
Board Travel & Exp.	2,500	.38	2,500	2,500	.33	—	2,500	—	2,500
Promotion	1,000	.15	1,000	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Audit	2,500	.38	3,000	3,000	.40	—	3,000	—	3,000
World Witness	160,906	24.34	260,015	185,795	24.63	447,375	633,170	1,054,740	1,687,910
Ecclesiastical Commission	500	.08	2,000	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Historical Concerns*									
Committee Expenses	150	.02	150	150	.02	—	150	—	150
Historical Foundation	500	.08	500	500	.07	—	500	—	500
Inter-Church Relations*	3,770	.57	3,770	3,770	.50	—	3,770	—	3,770
Lay Ministry									
Committee Expenses	800	.12	1,000	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Adult Conference	2,000	.30	3,000	2,500	.33	1,650	4,150	—	4,150
Director of Lay Ministry	2,200	.33	2,200	2,200	.29	—	2,200	—	2,200
Minister & His Work									
Committee Exp.	700	.10	375	375	.05	—	375	—	375
Tax Guides	125	.02	125	125	.02	—	125	—	125
Presbyterian Council	2,000	.30	2,500	2,500	.33	—	2,500	—	2,500
Nominations	1,000	.15	1,800	1,800	.24	—	1,800	—	1,800

AGENCY	From Synod's Unrestricted Income					Anticipated Designated Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Total Income From Synod Sources	Anticipated Direct or Non-Synod Income	Anticipated Total Income For Ministry
	1980 Allocation	% of Total	1981 Request	1981 Recommended Amount	% of Total				
Theol. & Soc. Concerns*	750	.11	750	750	.10	—	750	—	750
Worship	3,500	.53	4,000	4,000	.53	7,025	11,025	—	11,025
BiCentennial Anniv.	500	.08	600	600	.08	—	600	—	600
Priorities	1,000	.15	—	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
Study Care for Aged	—	—	1,800	1,000	.13	—	1,000	—	1,000
American Bible Society	—	—	—	—	—	6,392	6,392	—	6,392
Computer Services	3,600	.54	4,350	4,350	.58	—	4,350	—	4,350
Synod's Contingency	5,000	.76	5,000	5,000	.66	—	5,000	—	5,000
TOTALS	$661,189	100%	$849,604	$754,205	100%	$964,542	$1,718,747	$5,284,037	$7,002,784

*No request received. 1980 Allocation used.
**1980 Allocation included Travel Expenses. For 1981 Travel Expenses will be paid from Executive Board Travel and Expenses.

Mr. Carlisle recognized, by presentation of Certificates of Appreciation, churches reaching the 20% Voluntary Commitment figure or a raise of three percentage points over the past year.

Special thanks were expressed to Mr. Hogan and the A.R.P. Center for their assistance to the Board of Stewardship this past year.

The Principal Clerk announced that the Overture Votes on Amendment 2 to the *Rules of Order*, items 2-I through 2-VII, were passed by a majority of those voting in the Presbyteries.

Following various announcements, Synod recessed with the Benediction by Mr. R.P. Brawley.

TUESDAY, JUNE 3 — 7:30 P.M.

The evening session of Synod began with the traditional "Singing of the Psalms" led by Mr. J.C. Smith.

The presentations for the evening featured the Board of Christian Education, with Mr. D.L. Pearson, who introduced Mrs. C.R. Sanders, Jr., who spoke on "The Church's Ministry to the Mentally Handicapped"; the presentation of The Committee on the Minister and His Work with Mr. W.C. Lauderdale, who introduced Chaplain Ike Barnette, Chairman of the Presbyterian Council on Chaplains and Military Personnel; the presentation of the Woman's Synodical Union with Mrs. A. (Ginger) Davis; the presentaton of the Committee on Lay Ministry with Mr. J.A. Bigham and Mr. G.H. Smith, Jr.; the presentation of the Board of Church Extension with Mr. R.C. Grier, Jr.; and the presentation of World Witness, Board of Foreign Missions, with Mr. John Mariner, Mr. Ken Loetz, Mr. George McBane, and Mr. Boyce Wilson participating. This was followed by the commissioning of The Reverend and Mrs. James Coad, Jr. as missionaries to Mexico.

Following announcements, Synod adjourned for the day with the Benediction by Mr. W.L. Barron.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4 — 9:00 A.M.

The morning session began with a season of worship and prayer led by Mr. D.M. Rockness.

The Minutes of the preceding session of the 176th General Synod were presented, corrected, and adopted.

A motion carried that the address of the President of the Woman's Synodical Union be received as information and printed in the Appendix of the *Minutes of Synod*.

The floor was opened for nominations for Moderator with Mr. C.E. Edwards being recognized first. Mr. Edwards placed in nomination the name of Mr. W.W. Orr. The nomination was seconded by Mr. G.R. Oates. Mr. W.H. Blair placed in nomination the name of Mr. R.A. Whitesides. The nomination was seconded by Mr. D.W. Sides. Mr. Orr and Mr. Whitesides addressed the Synod.

The Report of the Special Committee on Bicentennial Anniversary was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

This report is a progress report on plans, etc. as outlined on pages 14 and 15 of 1979 **Minutes of Synod**. Please read those pages as background.

I. **"Set of Six" Books For Bicentennial Celebration**

1. "History of the A.R.P. Church" (1782-1882) by Lathan. Sale and distribution of this book began in November 1979.
2. "Centennial History of the A.R.P. Church" 1903. Sale and distribution of new copies of this book began in November 1979.
3. "History of the A.R.P. Church" (1882-1982) by Ware, Gettys, King. The composition of this book is on schedule and plans are to distribute it in late 1981, on schedule.
4. "Our New Song to Jehovah" words and music by Alec Wyton is on schedule. It will be ready for celebration at 1982 Synod.
5. "Bicentennial Supplement," our "Dream Book" has to do with our plans and goals for the century ahead. Each Board, Institution, etc. is being allotted a certain section of this 400 page book.
6. "The History of the W.S.U." The addition of this book changes the "Set of Five" to the "Set of Six." We appreciate the support of the women in all our efforts with special thanks now that they update their history book as part of the "Bicentennial Celebration." This book is to be ready by 1982.

II. **Use of Books**

It is not only IMPORTANT that we, at this year of our existence, write down for posterity our history, but it is IMPERATIVE that we study it to get solid footing for the century ahead. Each individual church should study itself as a specific part of the whole. Each area, group or cluster of churches should study how it fits into the whole, etc. Each institution the same. This study could be done in concert, a denomination-wide effort to know ourselves: whence we came, where we are, and where to from here. Thus the books would become more than just another ornament on our shelves.

NOTE: "Set of Six for $56.00" is the regular price. The 1903 Centennial has 700 pages, the other history books have over 400 pages. A display will be set up at Synod. Get yours then.

III. **Bicentennial Celebration**

June 14-17, 1982 at ERSKINE COLLEGE and ERSKINE SEMINARY. They continue to ready themselves for the Celebration Synod.

Recommendations:

1. That Synod formally thank the Women of the Church for their support in behalf of the "Set of Six" books, but also for special support of "Our New Song."
2. That the Principal Clerk of Synod, the President of the W.S.U., and the chairman of the Stewardship Board, working with this Committee, bring to the 1981 Synod a plan for denomination-wide concerted use of the "Set of Six" books.
3. That Synod again thank Erskine for its kind offer to host the 1982 Synod.
4. That $600.00 be appropriated this Committee for its work in 1981.

Respectfully

Paul L. Sherrill, Chairman

Mr. Bryant McLendon, Chairman of the Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study, moved that the committee be continued for one year in case some work may be referred to it. The motion carried.

The Report of the Special Committee on Priorities was presented. A motion carried to consider the report item by item. Section *A* was amended to defer consideration of Section *A-4* until the Report of the Board of Bonclarken was made to the Synod. Following futher consideration Section *A* as amended was adopted.

A motion carried that all items of the report be considered as recommendations (i.e., that the items be considered by the various Boards and their reactions reported back to Synod.)

Section *B* was adopted.

Section *C* was adopted.

Section *D.4.* was amended to read "That as a pre-requisite to the permanent appointment of teaching at the Seminary, the person must have been examined and approved by a Presbytery of our denomination, whether or not he intends to become a member of the denomination."

At this point, another amendment was proposed. Prior to discussion, The Order of the Day, Recess, was called. Synod recessed with the Benediction by Mr. G.R. Fravel.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4 — 1:30 P.M.

The afternoon session began with the devotional by Mr. W.A. Macaulay.

The business session began with the resumption of the consideration of the Priorities Committee Report. The proposed amendment was withdrawn, and following further discussion Section *D* was adopted as amended.

Section *E* was adopted.

Section *F* was amended by the addition of the words. " . . . at home and abroad." to the end of F-5, and was adopted as amended.

Section *G* was amended as follows: Item *G-1* was amended to read "That the Committee on Nominations make blanks available which would facilitate in submitting names for consideration."; Item *G-2* was amended to include the words " . . . and Chaplains. . . " between the words "persons" and "and" in line one.

Section *G* as amended was adopted.

The report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PRIORITIES

In its report to the 1979 meeting of the General Synod, the Special Committee on Priorities cited admonitions in the Scripture which referred to priorities in Christian service. The Committee also cited portions of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian *Form of Government*. The Committee has continued to evaluate the programs and ministries of the church in light of the Scriptural admonitions and the *Form of Government of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church*.

This report of the Committee on Priorities is submitted as a final report. The Committee will, however, be open to the will of the General Synod to further develop statements concerning the priorities of the denomination. The Committee would request that if it is continued, and if further analysis of the denomination's programs is desired, that it be given a more precise definition of expectations.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination is only partially fulfilling its mission of witness and ministry. The church and its many parts are witness to Jesus Christ, God's living Word. All parts necessary to form the whole are present, and each part is necessary to the whole. Just as individuals are called to grow in strength and wisdom, so should we as a denomination accept the challenge. The Committee on Priorities, as a result of its studies, feels that there are parts of the church which could be strengthened and which must be strengthened if we are to be a more effective witness to Jesus Christ.

Part I of the Report reflects statements of those issues which should be addressed during the 80's, which the Committee feels are of vital importance if our church is to grow in its witness of Jesus Christ. Part II reflects specific actions which the Committee recommends for immediate action.

PART I

For several decades, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination has fallen short in terms of winning lost souls throughout its communities. To become a more effective witness to Jesus Christ, the church needs to place more emphasis on evangelism. For this reason, the Committee on Priorities feels that our highest priority must be directed toward reaching more people for Christ. A church which is committed to winning the lost to Christ will spiritually nourish its members.

The Committee recognizes that there are many inter-related issues if we are to succeed in this commitment. The church must be one in its witness to Jesus Christ, therefore, there is an urgent necessity for a spirit of unity in the denomination — a unity in purpose, a unity in Jesus Christ. There must be men to preach Jesus Christ at home and abroad; there must be families committed to rearing their children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord — Family Altars; there must be individuals who will band together as congregations, giving of their resources and talents so that the message can be proclaimed; there must be congregations which are willing to band together in a common purpose, providing resources for fulfilling the mission of the Church of Jesus Christ.

The Committee on Priorities has examined the priorities as reflected in the commitments of our personnel and resources and find that some changes should be made.

The primary mission of the church is a mission of witness and ministry and the two agencies of the church charged most responsibly for those purposes are Church Extension and World Witness. The Committee feels that these two agencies should continue to receive the highest priority in commitment of our resources and that as a long range goal we as a denomination, should provide more nearly balanced resources to these two agencies, recognizing that as there is church growth, there will be greater resources for spreading the Gospel throughout the world.

PART II

In the course of its studies, observations, and evaluations, the Committee reached certain conclusions and offers the following observations and recommendatons concerning specific areas of ministry in the church.

A. BONCLARKEN

The 1979 General Synod asked this Committee to conduct a study to determine the place of Bonclarken in the life and work of the church and to make recommendations to Synod in 1980, if feasible, regarding the continuing ministry of the Assembly. This item

was considered with the Board of Bonclarken, with some recommendations to be made by the Board of Bonclarken and some by this Committee. The following recommendations concerning Bonclarken are offered:

A.1. That its primary purpose be to minister and serve the needs of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination.

A.2. That Bonclarken be asked to rewrite its constitution and by-laws in order to properly define the purpose of Bonclarken and the purpose of the Board.

A.3. That the Board of Bonclarken implement a complete system of total cost accounting and work toward using such information in their planning for the future of Bonclarken, keeping in mind that they are stewards of these monies and properties for the General Synod.

A.4. That the Board of Bonclarken seriously consider maintaining the Assembly Grounds with only a Director and maintenance staff during the period November 1 through March 31, looking into the possibility of having resident Associate Reformed Presbyterians to assist in maintaining and operating Bonclarken. (Not considered.)

B. CHURCH EXTENSION

The development of new congregations must be given a high priority by our denomination. A commitment of lives and material resources to this task will be the foundation for making possible the carrying out of the mission of the church in future years. The following recommendations are made concerning the area of Church Extension:

B.1 That the next capital funds campaign be for the needs of Church Extension and that it be started as soon as possible.

B.2. That as a long range goal Synod, in allocating its total resources, give equal priority to the needs of Church Extension and World Witness (Foreign Missions).

B.3. That all presbyteries, through their Committees on Church Extension, challenge each local church to give all church members a frequent opportunity to give an offering to Church Extension, and to possibly include this good cause in their wills.

B.4. That our Erskine Seminary give **high priority** to the training of students to be more evangelistic minded and to the training of ministers in new church development.

B.5. That every minister and every session be encouraged and expected to assume the responsibility of seeing that a continuous program of evangelistic visitation and out-reach is in operation.

B.6. That every minister and every session, where there are colleges and universities, recognize and take advantage of this opportunity of evangelism.

B.7. That the Board of Church Extension undertake a study of the growth factors in those denominations which have been more successful in reaching more people for our Lord than we have, for the purpose of helping us in our efforts to be a faster growing denomination and to make that study available to pastors and sessions.

B.8. That the Board of Church Extension provide more promotional material relative to the work and needs of Church Extension.

C. ERSKINE COLLEGE

The Committee on Priorities feels that Erskine has met the needs of our church in the past and that it can continue to meet the needs of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in the future. The Committee feels that to lose the college, by failing to support it or by allowing it to pass to a non-denominational control, would be a tragedy. Attached to and a part of this report is a statement reflecting the attitude of the Committee relative to Erskine College. In addition, the following recommendations are made:

C.1. That the General Synod think positively about Erskine and pray that Erskine will exert an ever greater Christian influence upon the students.

C.2. That the Board of Trustees and Administration give added emphasis to Christian commitment as well as academic excellence.

C.3. That the General Synod ask the Board of Trustees to report annually to Synod on the College's progress in attaining goals recommended in the special committee's report on Christian Higher Education.

C.4. That additional efforts be made to enroll as students more Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church members.

C.5. That the denomination encourage the members of the Board of Trustees to give reports at the stated meetings of Presbytery.

C.6. That the denomination give more publicity to the special offering for Erskine College, taken on Mother's Day.

D. ERSKINE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

The Seminary must be the respected voice of theology for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination. The primary purpose of Erskine Theological Seminary is to train Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers. A secondary and very important purpose is a ministry to other denominations. The Seminary exists to serve our Lord Jesus Christ. Erskine Theological Seminary should be the primary source for men to fill the pulpits and the mission fields for our denomination. It is to that end that the following suggestions and recommendations relative to Erskine Theological Seminary are offered:

D.1. That in order to work toward restoring the Seminary to its rightful and prominent position in the life of the church and to assure that the Seminary expresses the will of the General Synod in the training of its ministers, that the General Synod appoint the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs and the Chairman of this Committee on Priorities to serve as a special committee to meet with representatives of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College. That among the items to be considered by this committee will be possible relocation of the Seminary and the possible establishment of a separate Board of Trustees for the Seminary.

D.2. That the Seminary commit itself to provide qualified leadership and direction which will generate loyalty to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Standards of the A.R.P. Church, and the Authority of the Scriptures.

D.3. That a day of prayer for the Seminary be observed at the time of the special offering for the Seminary.

D.4. That as a pre-requisite to teaching at the Seminary, the person must have been examined and approved by a Presbytery of our denomination, whether or not he intends to become a member of the denomination. (Amended.)

D.5. That the Seminary be requested to develop a stronger curriculum on Church Development and on Missions.

E. PUBLICATIONS

The Committee recognizes the prominent place which *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian* has in the life and ministry of the church. It is the only official avenue of communication and it alone reflects the total ministry of the denomination. The Committee has made suggestions to the Board of Publications and in addition makes the following recommendations:

E.1. That an intensive church-wide drive for subscriptions to *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian* be conducted from pulpits, in men's clubs, women's circles, and Sabbath Schools, with guest speakers, sample copies, bulletin board displays, and with goals and progress reports.

E.2. That as a vital step toward expanded circulation, the Editor take steps such as the following, to increase still further the recognition and confidence the church members have in their magazine:

a. Publish more spiritual and inspirational articles that speak to the actual problems of the average church member.

b. Solicit thoroughly researched and attractively written articles on the ARP history and heritage during the period leading up to our Bicentennial which could serve to unify and strengthen our church in its commitment.

E.3. That the Board of Publications consider the following items: "That reduction in a production cost of the Church paper be effected by reducing the number of pages without loss of any content of value, as follows: Use page 1 for one of the major articles; use one page rather than two for editorial comment; print no complete programs with separate line for each item, which can be so profligate of space; use contributions from secretaries of various causes only when they provide, and to the extent that they provide fresh, needed information (eliminating matter prepared just with the idea of "filling up space"); extend encouragement and backing by the Board of Publications to editorial deletion of contributed matter when it indulges in pointless repetitions and inconsequentialities; and make greater use of 9-point type (the size found in virtually all our hymnbooks) rather than space-consuming 10-point."

E.4. When the economies listed above are effected, we recommend that the Board of Publications review the new total cost, and then set the subscription price at a figure which will cover that cost. It may be necessary to do this in steps, over a period of a few years. It should be pointed out that it is no economy to keep the level so that a deficit is created, then turn around and ask subscribers to contribute to another fund to make up that deficit.

The Committee makes the following additional recommendations in the area of Publications:

E.5. That the *Adult Quarterly* continue as a separate publication.

E.6. That studies received as information and not adopted as positons or expressions of General Synod not be published in the *Minutes of Synod* unless directed by Synod.

E.7. That Synod consider, in light of World Witness' budget request, 1979, for $12,000 for printing and the Executive Board's request for the same year for $7,500 for printing the *Minutes of Synod*, that these two bodies carefully study every possible means of reducing, in ways that will not substantially hinder the ministry of the church, the volume of printing going into these two projects.

F. WORLD WITNESS

The church is called to go into all the world. World Witness, Board of Foreign Missions, is the agency charged with carrying the message of Jesus Christ to areas outside the continental United States. This area of ministry, along with Church Extension, should continue to receive highest priority in our denomination. It is in that light that the following suggestions and recommendations are offered:

F.1. That Synod support the World Witness short-term goal of 29 ARP Missionaries.

F.2. That Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary develop a curriculum which will prepare people for world mission service.

F.3. That unless there is a change in the world situation, that priority be given to strengthening of our present fields over creation of an eventual third field.

F.4. That each presbytery request World Witness to conduct a Mission Conference in its presbytery for pastors, one Elder, one Deacon, the World Witness Chairman of the WSU, and a Youth member of each church within the next year.

F.5. That the General Synod recognize that a primary need in our denomination is for men in the pulpits and on the mission fields and for pastors to present the call of the ministry. (Amended.)

G. COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations has the responsibility of selecting those persons they feel best qualified to serve and meet the needs of the church as members of its

Boards and Committees. To assist this committee in its functions, the Committee makes the following suggestions:

G.1. That the Committee on Nominations make blanks available which would facilitate Elders and others in submitting names for consideration. These could be handed out to Elders at the meeting of Synod. (Amended.)

G.2. That the Committee on Nominations not overlook retired persons for nomination on Boards and Committees, whose experience and knowledge may be valuable to the work. (Amended.)

G.3. That the Committee on Nominations draft and publish its procedures to more fully inform the denomination of processes that are used in nominating people to Boards and Committees.

The Committee, throughout the course of its study, was impressed by the need for committed men and women to serve on Synod's Boards and Committees. It is those persons chosen by the General Synod who are responsible for carrying out the ministry assigned and they are responsible for the supervision of those chosen as employees to insure that the work is done. The Committee would strongly encourage all persons to respond with the use of their talents as might be needed to fulfill the mission and ministry of the church. It implores the Committee on Nominations and the presbyteries to select those persons **best** capable and willing to serve. And it would encourage those persons chosen to devote themselves to the responsibilities to which they are elected. The following additional recommendations relative to service on boards and committees are offered:

G.4. That the terms of service of members of Boards be six (6) years with an equal number of personnel chosen each year.

G.5. That those persons who by their repeated absence without excuse indicate a lack of commitment to the task chosen, be requested by Board or Committees to resign so that persons who are willing to serve might be appointed.

OTHER

The Committee has no recommendations to offer concerning other areas of ministry of the church. The Committe does express the hope that the Board of Christian Education will soon be able to secure a Director and that the Board will then address such concerns as Church School enrollment, the establishment of Church Schools in all churches, establishment of Youth Groups where none exist, and the recommendation for instructional purposes only those materials which conform to the Standards of our church.

CONCLUSION

"Christ called the people of the church witnesses. Paul saw God as giving gifts to equip the church with people for the work of ministry. All that the church says and does is to be a witness to Jesus Christ, God's living Word, as He is spoken of in the Holy Scriptures, God's written Word. God has sent His Church into the world that the Church will present Jesus Christ through preaching, witnessing, teaching, sacrament, worship and both individual and corporate Christian living and action. All of the Church's people in every phase of their living are to be God's ministers to the world by being servants of His Son, the King of the Church." (*Form of Government*).

Each effort of our denomination must be to fulfill this purpose, and our denomination should periodically and systematically evaluate what it does in light of the Scriptural admonitions.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee on Priorities

ERSKINE COLLEGE

by R.M. Robinson

When contributions to any organization or institution are requested, it seems not only appropriate but also necessary that some examination be made to determine whether or not the organization or institution should receive the contribution requested. Particularly, this is true when the contribution is from the treasury of a church or church group. For the money to be given under this circumstance must be considered as a portion of the tithe of the contributors to the church. The disposal of these funds, therefore, becomes a matter of the best possible use of that which has been returned to God for the furtherance of His kingdom.

Focusing attention on Erskine College, it seems appropriate to review the needs and conditions which caused the college to be established, to consider whether or not the college met those needs, to ask if the original needs still exist in contemporary society, and if the college is meeting these needs. Additionally, it seems that the question must be asked if new and/or greater needs now exist and if the college is meeting these needs. Further, each generation has a responsibility not only for its contribution to the present but also must look to the future and attempt to build for that which is perceived to be required in the years ahead.

In the years preceding the founding of Erskine that backward state of education must be given as one reason for the founding of a college. South Carolina was 100 years old before a single reputable academy was organized within its bounds. In this early nineteenth century period, there was an increased interest in education. A Free School System was instituted in 1811. Academics developed rapidly. However, the only South Carolina institution of college level available was the state college. At that time the college was rendered unacceptable to conservative presbyterianism because the college was under the presidency and influence of one who was not only unorthodox but was a rank enemy of revealed religion.

During this same period, there was a shortage of ministers and a church without a preacher was required to wait long years for a man to fill its pulpit.

The distance from the south to northern colleges and seminaries was long and the journey by horseback was dangerous. The student's stay at the school was until he finished. A young man grew to maturity out of touch with his home environment. This was not conducive to prepare preachers who were to minister to Southern people. In this period there was a growing sense of self-dependency among our fathers. This self-dependency led to the formation of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South. Having severed all relations with the larger Church of the North and having become an independent Synod, it became imperative to provide for the training of its ministry.

Another factor should not be overlooked. Erskine College was founded to bring a good collegiate education to members' sons "at an expense within the poor man's ability to meet."

Additionally, moral interests were not overlooked in the organization and location of the college. Of course no place or environment is absolute proof against evil in an evil heart. But there is infinite value in those safeguards that can be thrown around childhood and youth in their formative years.

By God's Grace, the college was established. With the exception of a few years during the Civil War, it has remained in continuous operation offering a quality education. God has continued to raise up qualified professors and instructors who have been dedicated to the purpose of providing a liberal arts education that is in keeping with the college motto of "Knowledge combined with morals."

It is my opinion that even the most skeptical must agree that Erskine has served well the A.R.P. church, and the State of South Carolina. Its influence has not been confined to the boundaries of these two organizations. Its graduates have found opportunities for service throughout the United States and even beyond the boundaries of the United States. In the areas of education, health sciences, jurisprudence, theology, business and others its graduates have excelled.

Through the years Erskine has received the loyal support of the church, its alumni, friends, and foundations. Its permanent endowment is in excess of 4 million dollars. Alumni and friends contribute $250,000 annually through the Living Endowment. The Greater Distinction for Erskine Capital Campaign produced in excess of 9 million dollars in gifts and pledges. About 1.8 million dollars has been contributed or pledged

for the Physical Education-Athletic Facility.

During the past several years Erskine College has not had the unified support of the A.R.P. denomination. I am sure that those who have been against Erskine have their individual reasons for opposition. It may be difficult to separate the college from the Seminary because the two institutions are so closely associated. However, I believe that God has had a purpose in the opposition as He has a purpose in all things. One outgrowth of the opposition has been the preparation of a very scholarly report on the Philosophy of Christian Higher Education by a select committee. This report received the approval of Synod at its 1977 meeting and becomes a statement of purpose for the church's college and a "plumb bob" by which the church can evaluate its college. It is my opinion that the opposition to the college at this time has somewhat subsided. At least, the opposition seems less vocal. I view as very positive the action taken by the Board of Trustees at its recent meeting to place in the by-laws of the college that the members of the Board of Trustees are to be elected by the Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Certain conditions have changed since the college was established in 1839. Public school education is not only available but also compulsory within certain age limits. Transportation to distant locations has been facilitated by automobile and airplane. However, many of the needs for the church to have its own college are just as acute now as were the needs at the time our fathers founded Erskine. Earlier I stated the personal opinion that Erskine has met the needs of the church. I also state the personal opinion that Erskine can continue to meet the needs of the A.R.P. church today. To lose the college either by failing to support it or by allowing it to pass to a non-denomination control would be a tragedy.

I feel a sense of urgency that this Committee on Priorities come forward with a strong statement in support of the college. To underline our verbal or written statement of support, I would like for us to locate some additional financial support. The 1980 budget amount from unrestricted funds is $104,635. Of this amount about $75,000 goes to the Seminary leaving only $30,000-$35,000 for the college. The Board of Trustees requested $118,820. Hopefully the 1981 budget can permit some increase over the 1980 allocation.

A motion carried that the Special Committee on Priorities be dismissed with the thanks of General Synod. A standing vote of appreciation was given to the Committee.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Annuities and Relief was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

Two papers were received by the Committee:

1. Retirement Plan Audit by Price Waterhouse and Company.
2. Report of Board of Annuities and Relief.

Your Committee recommends:

1. That the Price Waterhouse Audit be received as information.
2. That the Board, its secretary Mr. Hogan, and Provident Insurance be commended for their efficient administration of our medical program and processing of claims.
3. That the Board of Annuities and Relief investigate the possibility of periodic cost of living increases in all cases where fixed benefits are now payable.
4. That the report of the Board of Annuities and Relief be approved including recommendations 1-7 contained therein.
5. That recommendation No. 8 be amended to read as follows:
   "8. That following the adoption of these recommendations, the General Synod approve the Resolutions pertaining to Dr. Charles R. Younts and Mr. Hazel H. Long."

REPORT OF BOARD OF ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The Board met on two occasions since the last meeting of the General Synod, July 28, 1979, and January 26, 1980. The activities of the Board are reported as information for the General Synod.

BENEVOLENCE

Christmas Benevolent Offering

The distribution approved from the 1978 Christmas Benevolent Offering amounted to $39,916.08 as compared to $31,429.92 from the 1977 offering. Thirty-three widows and retired ministers, missionaries or Synod employees were recipients, as compared to 15 the previous year. As of the date of the January meeting of the Board, over $39,000.00 has been received from the 1979 Special Offering. Distribution will be approved by the Board at its July 26, 1980 meeting. All retired ministers and retired Synod employees (including missionaries) and all widows of former ministers and former Synod employees (including missionaries) are eligible to receive gifts from the offering and each eligible person will be contacted concerning his or her needs.

The Board is extremely grateful to all individuals and churches which have contributed to this fund, and especially to the Bartow, Florida church which continues to provide about 50% of the offerings.

Widow's Benefit Fund

Thirteen widows continue to receive an average of $150 per month from a trust fund established during 1978 by an anonymous gift. The funds are administered by the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation and Financial Statements have been submitted to the Board of Annuities and Relief and are filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

Miscellaneous

As of the date of this report there are twenty-one retired ministers (including ordained missionaries), one retired full-time missionary, three retired employees of Synod, and fifty-three known widows of former ministers and missionaries. Two other ministers have announced their retirement. These dedicated servants of Christ continue to need our prayers, friendship, and financial support.

INSURANCE

Group Survivor Income Plan

The Board of Annuities and Relief was charged by the 1978 General Synod to recommend to the General Synod a "Group Survivor Income Plan." The Board is recommending to the General Synod a Group Survivor Income Plan, underwritten by Prudential Insurance Company of America.

Long-Term Disability Insurance

Long-term disability insurance has been made effective for Associate Reformed Presbyterian missionaries serving under World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, in response to a request for such coverage by World Witness.

The Age Discrimination Employment Act (ADEA) made it necessary to change the LTD coverage to comply with interpretations of that law. Coverage is now provided on a graded schedule which provides for reduction in the duration of benefits based on age as follows:

AGE ON DATE DISABILITY BEGINS	DURATION OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS*
Under age 62	To age 65
Age 62 but under age 63	3½ years
Age 63 but under age 64	3 years
Age 64 but under age 65	2½ years
Age 65 but under age 66	2 years
Age 66 but under age 67	1¾ years
Age 67 but under age 68	1½ years
Age 68 but under age 69	1¼ years
Age 69 but under age 70	1 year

*But in no event will benefits be paid beyond age 70 nor beyond actual retirement under the ARP Retirement Plan, if earlier.

The LTD coverage is integrated with Social Security and when an employee over age 65 receiving LTD benefits becomes entitled to Social Security benefits, the Social Security benefits will be considered to be payable on account of disability.

The LTD premium was increased from $.19 per $100 of base salary to $.35 per $100 of base salary, primarily because of changes brought about by the ADEA.

Life Insurance and Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance (AD&D)

The amount of life insurance provided in our group programs has been affected by inflation, and for that reason the Board has elected to propose the additional term life insurance with the Group Survivors Income Plan (a minimum amount was required by the underwriter.) The Board feels that our group plans should provide an amount, on the average, of at least one year's earnings.

The ADEA required some changes in the life insurance and AD&D coverage, as follows:

a. **Schedule of Insurance Provided**

AGE	INSURANCE & AD&D	ADDITIONAL TERM LIFE INSURANCE & AD&D
Less Than Age 55	$6,000	$10,000
At Age 55	6,000	7,500
At Age 60	6,000	5,000
At Age 65	3,900*	3,250*
At Age 70 or Retirement if Earlier	- 0 -	- 0 -

*In the event the Permanent Life has been elected the amount of insurance at age 65 under the Basic Term Policy will be $6,000 if the Permanent Life is elected, $3,900 if Permanent Life is not elected.

b. **Coverage in the Event of Disability**

1. **If Disabled Prior to Age 60:** Premium may be waived for the duration of the disability, and coverage will be reduced as for an active employee.
2. **If Disabled After Age 60:** Coverage will continue as for active employees, but there is no waiver of premium.

Medical Insurance

Changes in medical coverage have been made to both conform with the ADEA and to upgrade the coverage. Significant changes are as follows:

a. **Maternity.** Maternity is now treated as any illness.
Specific provisions are:

1. There will be no extended benefits except in the event of disability and except as pertains to any other illness.
2. Pregnancy will be treated as a pre-existing condition the same as any other illness. No coverage is provided if the patient has been treated for pregnancy prior to joining the group.
3. There is no coverage for the normal lay-in charges for the newborn.
4. The $1,000.00 waiver on pre-existing conditions will apply to maternity. This means that up to $1,000.00 can be applied to meet maternity claims where pregnancy existed prior to enrollment in the group.

b. **Life-Time Major Medical Maximum.** The maximum was increased from $50,000 to $250,000.

c. **Medical Coverage for Eligible Retirees and Dependents.** The rate for dependents eligible for medicare has been changed to 50% of the active employee rate.

RETIREMENT

There are no recommended changes in the Retirement Plans at this time.

Administrative Interpretation — Retirement Plan Contributions

The following rule was adopted as an administrative interpretation to be reported to the 1980 Synod:

"If a minister serves as pastor of more than one church and a manse is provided him by one of the churches, all of the churches which the minister serves should pay the 8% Retirement Plan contribution (or whatever the current rate may be) on the sum of (a) base salary plus (b) 20% of base salary. (The additional 20% of base salary represents the value of the manse which is furnished.) The minister's retirement benefit attributable to such service then will be based on base salary plus 20% thereof, assuming that the "percentage of earnings formula" provides a larger benefit than the "minimum benefit formula."

Changes in Retirement Plan Participation

1. During the period January 1, 1979 - December 31, 1979, the following Participant retired on the date indicated: Charles E. Edwards (5-1-79)
2. The following retired Participants and/or widow of deceased Participant were lost by death during the year:

   James P. Pressly (2-26-79); Arthur M. Rogers (2-18-79); Mrs. Evelyn R. Williams (7-4-79).
3. The following active Participant was lost by death during the year: None.
4. The following persons became participants in the Retirement Plan during 1979 as of the dates indicated:

   W.L. Barron (03-25-78); J.R. Blevins (08-01-74); J.A. Coad (07-01-79); J. Coad, III (05-25-79); L.C. Draffin (05-27-79); G.L. Fravel (06-10-79); M.D. Helfin (10-01-79); S.H. Pressly (06-01-73); A.L. Roberts (04-21-74); J.M. Rogers (10-01-79).
5. The following Participants were reinstated to active participation during the year:

   J.F. Beard (07-15-79); S.H. Cain (09-11-79); J. Coad, Jr. (08-01-79); K.F. Morris (09-01-79).
6. At year's end the following Participants were on approved leaves of absence: R.W. Ackerman, C.S. Alexander, L.M. Allison, Jr., F.R. Archer, Jr., J.S. Banks, W.F. Blakely, R.A. Bodey, W.J. Boyd, P.A. Campbell, C.W. Echols, E.F. Franze, J.A. Hunt, L.P. Kennerly, R.A. King, G.W. Letchworth, R.B. Luebke, Jr., C.T. McCants, J.W. McQuiston, J.E. Pressly, C.S. Rimmer, F.D. Stewart, J.R. White, T.L. Wilson, L.C. Young.
7. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and have qualified for a vested benefit from the Retirement Plan:

   R.D. Bradford, J.A. Cannon, L.L. Dattler, R.S. Miles, Sr., B.R. Nowak, H.L. Smith.
8. The following Participant terminated employment during the year, or has previously terminated employment subsequent to 7-1-75, and has qualified for

a vested benefit in the Retirement Plan:

J.T. Stephenson.

9. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and either have qualified or may qualify for a contingent right to a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan:

   D.M. Bonner, R.L. Brawley, C.T. Fincher, J.C. Gardner, J.D. Hatch, C.C. Jett, R.B. Lanning, T.G. Long, F.A. Malone, T.J. Mercer, K.C. Nordvall, R.L. Penny, H.L. Richardson, L.T. Richie, J.R. Thompson, J.R. Wright, R.J. Yelverton.

10. The following persons were removed from Participation in the Plan during the year and did not qualify to retain a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: None.

11. The following persons were receiving a retirement or permanent disability benefit under the Plan at year's end: R.M. Alber, Dr. Janet Alexander, Mrs. Elinor H. Bell*, Mrs. Sarah W. Blakely*, J.G. Brawley, Mrs. Emma R. Echols*, C.E. Edwards, Mrs. Mary P. Edwards*, Miss Florence Craig, E. Gettys, M.B. Grier, P.L. Grier, W.P. Grier, Jr.**, Mrs. Wilma M. Griffith**, W.C. Halliday, Mrs. Frances P. Hamilton*, W.A. Hethcox, Mrs. Jean B. Latham*, R.C. Kennedy, L.P. Knox, Mrs. Sallie C. Lauderdale*, J.B. McFerrin, Mrs. Helen C. McFerrin*, R.T. Nelson, H.M. Pearson, Mrs. Agnes D. Plaxco*, W.L. Pressly, J.H. Ragsdale, Mrs. Katherine S. Rogers*, K.C. Seawright, Mrs. F.L. Shannon*, F.W. Sherrill, J.C. Smith, J.P. Steele, F.T. White, A.K. Whitesides, Mrs. Gladys D. Young.

    *As widow of deceased Participant, the Joint and Survivor Option having been selected or automatic as to those who died after 9-1-61.
    **As Participant disabled prior to 12-1-72.

12. The following persons apparently are eligible for Retirment Plan participation as of 12-31-79, but as of that date enrollment procedures have not been completed: L.B. Bullock, C. Carroll, J. Hoeprich, D.O. Jones, J.S. Kimmons, R.D. Maddox.

Financial Statement

The "Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Financial Statement" as compiled and reported by Price Waterhouse & Co., independent auditors, will be filed with the Principal Clerk, at the ARP Center, and with members of the Board of Annuities and Relief, and will not be repeated herein. A "Statement of Income and Expenss and Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits for the Year Ended December 31, 1979 and 1978" will be submitted for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.**

MISCELLANEOUS

Recognition of Service of Elder Charles R. Younts

Dr. Charles R. Younts, Ruling Elder of the Doraville, Georgia Church, has resigned as Treasurer of the Retirment Plan Fund. In recognition of his dedicated, faithful service, the Board of Annuities has prepared a Resolution for the consideration of the General Synod.

Election of Officers for 1980 - 1981

The following officers have been elected for the period July 1, 1980 - June 30, 1981:

Chairman:	T.A. Waites
Vice Chairman	W.B. Sutherland
*Secretary:	Ed Hogan
*Treasurer:	H.H. Long

*To serve as Advisory Members to the Board

Changes in Policy Book

The following changes were adopted for submission to the General Synod:

1. **Add Item 1.A.4:**

   "4. The Moderator of the General Synod will serve as a non-voting advisory member of this Board."

2. **Amend Item 1.B.2:**
   "2. Officers shall be elected at the regular meeting of the Board which next precedes the July 1 on which their new term begins."

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Christmas Benevolent Offering be continued and that all pastors and other church officers give this special ministry their support.
2. That Pastors of those churches where retired ministers, missionaries, and Synod Employees and/or widows of same attend or have membership be especially attentive to the special needs of these persons and seek to assist the Board of Annuities and Relief in its ministry to these persons.
3. That churches and individuals be commended on their continued faithful support of the special ministries of this Board.
4. That Presbyteries which have not yet done so designate a committee, office, or officers of the Presbytery to assist the Board of Annuities and Relief in situations which cannot be handled routinely; i.e., enrollment of eligible persons, overdue contributions, etc.
5. That the changes to the Policy Book of the Board of Annuities and Relief as reported herein be approved.
6. That the General Synod approve the Group Survivor Income Plan Proposal as attached, to become effective July 1, 1980, with the following stipulations:
   a. That the coverage be made a part of the total program and made automatic for eligible persons currently enrolled in the full benefit program and for missionaries.
   b. That persons eligible for the full Synod benefit program but not currently enrolled be given a one-time opportunity to enroll.
   c. That payment for this coverage be handled on the same basis as payment for existing coverage.
7. That all other actions of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.
8. That following the adoption of these recommendations, the General Synod consider the Resolution pertaining to Dr. Charles R. Younts. [Amended]

H.H. Long, Chairman
Ed Hogan, Secretary

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH FOR EMPLOYEES

Group Life Insurance

All Employees Without Qualified Dependents $10,000
All Employees With Qualified Dependents 5,000

Group Survivor Benefits — Plan A

	Spouse Benefit	Child(ren) Benefit	Spouse & Child(ren) Benefit
Monthly Benefit As A Percent of Employee's Monthly Earnings	20%	20%	30%
Maximum Monthly Benefit	Provided the spouse is less than age 65 at the time of the employee's death, the benefit will be paid until the spouse's attainment of age 65 or earlier death or remarriage with a guaranteed minimum of 60 monthly installments.	Benefits payable as long as there is an unmarried child less than age 19, age 23 if a full-time student.	

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED GROSS COST FOR EMPLOYEES

	Number of Lives	Estimated Volume	Monthly Average Rate	Monthly Gross Premium
Life Insurance	93	505,000	$.545 Per $1,000	$ 275.23
Survivor Benefits	85*	78,767**	1.47 Per $100	1157.87
Total Monthly Cost				$1433.10

*Number of Employees Eligible for Survivor Benefits
**Covered Payroll (Monthly)

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A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, Charles R. Younts, more than any other person, has been responsible for making possible the adoption and the improvement of the various employee benefit plans of our denomination, and

WHEREAS, these plans have contributed greatly to the general well-being and peace of mind of those who have laboured within our denomination,

NOW THEREFORE, as Doctor Younts relinquishes his duties as Treasurer of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan after nearly two decades of service in this capacity, the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church expresses to him its deepest appreciation for his faithfulness, his unfailing enthusiasm, his optimism, his persistence, and his generosity. We have valued his counsel and profited by his example, and we extend to him our heartfelt thanks and our sincere good wishes for the future.

Adopted this 4th day of June, 1980.

Joe Patrick Moderator
C.R. Beard, Principal Clerk

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, Hazel H. Long has been actively involved in the improvement of the various employee benefit plans of our denomination for almost two decades, and

WHEREAS, he has now expressed his willingness to continue this service as Treasurer of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church Retirement Plan,

NOW THEREFORE, the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church expresses to him its deepest appreciation for his generous expenditure of time, his persistent wise counsel, and dedication, and we extend to him our heartfelt thanks for his past service, and our firm support as he assumes the position of Treasurer.

Adopted this 4th day of June, 1980.

Joe Patrick, Moderator
C.R. Beard, Principal Clerk

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on the A.R.P. Foundation, Inc. was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON THE A.R.P. FOUNDATION, INC.

Your Committee makes the following report:

1. That the report of the Board of Directors of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc. be accepted as information and printed in the **Minutes of Synod**.
2. That the recommendation of the Board on page 2 be approved.
3. That Synod express its sincere appreciation to William A. Deaton, upon completion of his term as a member of the Board of Directors of the Foundation and as Chairman of the Board, for his many years of exemplary service to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation from its earliest beginning to the present time.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.

The Board of the Foundation met during 1979 by itself for the first time since being separated from the Board of Stewardship. The Annual Meeting was held in Charlotte on Friday, April 11, 1980.

Officers of the ARP Foundation, as elected by the Board were:

Chairman: William A. Deaton
Secretary: Donald W. Harper

At the Annual Meeting, James P. Ashburn of Statesville was elected as the new Chairman. Also at the Annual Meeting, Sarah McCullough was elected Vice-Chairman and Tom Nelson, Jr. was elected Secretary-Treasurer. All financial transactions conducted during the year (to the date of the Annual Meeting) were approved.

The Board voted to give to the General Synod, through the Treasurer of the General Synod, an unrestricted gift of $10,000 to be applied as a (non-designated) contribution toward the 1981 budget of the denomination. The Board also voted to give through the Treasurer of the General Synod a gift in the amount of $2,500 restricted to use for the improvement of the denomination's communications through the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center in Greenville, SC.

In June of 1979, the Foundation voted to make a counter-offer to the potential buyer of the Foundation property in Kern County, California, in that the purchase price of $150,000 would be considered a gross price to the buyer, to net the Foundation approximately $135,000 after commissions and minor expenses and that the Foundation retain one-half of the mineral rights. This counter-offer was accepted and the Foundation received a check in the amount of $133,932.23 as net proceeds on October 1, 1979. This amount of money has been drawing a very favorable rate of interest on a daily basis until late in 1979 and early in 1980 when most of the funds were invested in $80,000 long term Treasury bonds and 1,000 shares of Carolina Power common stock and 500 shares of American Telephone common stock.

Because of the sale of the California property, the main Foundation account has

moved from approximately $30,000 to approximately $164,000 in principal amount.

Quarterly amounts of money ($5,850) have been distributed to the Treasurer of the General Synod to be disbursed at the direction of the Board of Annuities and Relief from the special Widows Benefit Fund. This special Fund, under the control of the Board of Annuities and Relief, is being handled and invested by the Foundation. Some $30,000 of the total of about $160,000 in 8½% GNMA pass-throughs were sold in late May of 1980 to provide for cash needs for some three years for this special project. This action was approved by the Board.

Mrs. Margaret Alexander's resignation from the Foundation Board on June 2 for reasons of health was accepted with regret. Mrs. Alexander was an active participant on the Board and her contributions at Board meetings will be sorely missed. The Foundation Board is requesting that the Board of Nominations ask the General Synod to fill the vacancy at this meeting of the Synod.

At its June 2nd. meeting at Bonclarken, the Foundation Board approved the disbursement of $1,000 (and up to $1,500 if available) to the Board of Church Extension for furtherance of evangelistic training within the denomination during 1980. Also at this meeting, the Board approved an investment (to be returned in three (3) years, with some interest) of $10,000 for purposes of funding an escrow account on behalf of the ARP Retirement Home, Inc., as required by HUD.

The response to the special offering for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation on March 9, 1980 was well beyond the expectations of the Board and provided much encouragement to the Board. As of April 10, more than 50 churches had reported $3,540 collected for the Foundation. All such funds will become a part of the principal of the Foundation, the interest and dividends therefrom to be used for the glory of God through the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. It is recommended that Foundation Day be Lord's Day March 8, 1981 and that the Church Calendar be so marked.

Respectfully submitted,
William A. Deaton, Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Bonclarken was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON BONCLARKERN

General discussion was held concerning the Report of the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken.

Recommendations:

1. That the agencies of the General Synod responsible for programming at Bonclarken investigate the need for new and innovating retreats and conferences.
2. That Synod change the term of Bonclarken Trustees from four to six years, beginning with Trustees elected in 1981. This change would enable the Trustees to be better informed and render a more effective service.
3. That the Bonclarken Day Offering for operating budget supplement be received the last Lord's Day in January 1981.
4. That the leadership of A.R. Presbyterian conference groups not presently covering their registered conferees with accident insurance coverage provide this coverage.
5. That all Pastors and members of congregations lend their support in every way possible to the conference ministry.
6. That the members of the denomination join us in prayer that we may be found faithful in the stewardship of the conference center.
7. That the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken study thoroughly the Stuart operation review and report their recommendations to the 1981 meeting of the General Synod.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BONCLARKEN

The Trustees of Bonclarken Assembly submit this report to the One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

We count it a privilege to host the 1980 meeting of the General Synod. We extend a cordial welcome to each representative and visitor to Bonclarken and trust that your stay will be pleasant and beneficial. **We cordially invite the General Synod to hold the 1981 meeting at Bonclarken.**

The first unit of the Family Camping Facility with thirty two (32) spaces for campers has been completed and is ready for use. We trust that this new facility will enable more of our people to come to Bonclarken. Additional improvements have been made in several areas of the hotel as well as to other conference facilities.

One lot in the Pinecrest Estates Development remains to be sold. The net proceeds from sale of Pinecrest lots to date have been used to pay off the balance of the note on the new dining room and youth center and in developing the first unit of the Family Camping Facility. Approximately $30,000.00 in pledges could not be collected in the project to build the new dining room and youth center.

A new rate structure for owners of private property at the Assembly has been approved by the Trustees. One half of the increased rate was applied to the 1979 charges, with the balance to be applied to 1980 charges.

More than one half of the income from the conference groups and visitors came from groups outside the A.R. Presbyterian Church. While we are grateful for the opportunity to serve our brethren in Christ, it is still our desire for more of our own people to use the conference facilities. All requests by A.R. Presbyterian Conference Groups are booked first, then any unrequested time at the conference center is offered to non-A.R. Presbyterian Groups. The income from these non-A.R. Presbyterian Groups is a big factor in meeting the operating cost of the conference center.

We report, with regret, that again this year we were unable to meet the housing request of many of our people for the major conferences. A drawing was held for rooms with private bath. There are **only** thirty-four (34) private baths in the entire conference complex.

The Camp for boys and girls, ages 8-13, will be held again in 1980. Dates for the camp are August 3-9. Rev. Webster Curry will direct the camp.

Two new retreats are being planned and sponsored by the First Presbytery this year. The retreats are for young adults and senior citizens. We trust that these new programs will be the first of many to expand the use of Bonclarken and to serve our people.

The Board recognizes the need to better serve the youth of the denomination in areas of employment at Bonclarken so that these experiences may enrich their knowledge of their conference grounds and its place in the denomination.

An operational review, sponsored by Mr. J.K. Stuart and conducted by Harris, Kerr, Forster and Company, has been undertaken for the general purpose of improving the accounting procedures and general practices at Bonclarken. The Trustees hope to see this study completed during the coming year.

We wish to express appreciation to the directors and staff members of the conference groups for their cooperation and assistance in carrying out the ministry of the conference center.

The Trustees express sincere gratitude to the General Synod, the Synodical Union and the many individuals who supported the Conference Ministry with their interest, prayers and gifts during 1979.

We express our appreciation to the Director and members of the Assembly Staff for the dedication and faithful service they render in support of the Conference Ministry.

The Trustees solicit the prayers, counsel and support of all Associate Reformed Presbyterians as we seek to fulfill our stewardship responsibilities.

THE TRUSTEES RECOMMEND THE FOLLOWING:
(See Moderator's Committee Report)

1. That the Agencies of the General Synod responsible for programming at Bonclarken investigate the need for new and innovating retreats and conferences.
2. That Synod consider changing the term for Bonclarken Trustees from four to six years, beginning with Trustees elected in 1981. This change would enable the Trustees to be better informed and render a more effective service.
3. That the Bonclarken Day Offering for operating budget supplement be received the last Lord's Day in January 1981.

4. That the leadership of A.R. Presbyterian conference groups not presently covering their registered conferees with accident insurance coverage give serious consideration to providing this coverage.
5. That all Pastors and members of congregations lend their support in every way possible in support of the conference ministry.
6. That the members of the denomination join us in prayer that we may be found faithful in the stewardship of the conference center.

A financial report is attached to the official copy of this report. (See Appendix.)

Respectfully submitted,
R.B. Wilson, Sr., Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Christian Education was presented item by item. Recommendations 1-6 were approved and the Report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Your Moderator's Committee on Christian Education met at the appointed time, and considered the Board Report.

We recommend:

1. That Recommendation #1 be approved.
2. That Recommendation #2 be approved with the following amendment:
   Delete the word "use" an insert "to consider using."
3. That Recommendation #3 be approved.
4. That Recommendation #4 be approved with the following amendment:
   Delete "seek" and insert "to consider seeking."
5. That Recommendations 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, be approved.
6. That Recommendation #10 be approved with the necessary adjustments required by the passage of Synod's budget.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT TO SYNOD

With grateful acknowledgement to God for His guidance during the past year and to the presbyteries and churches of our General Synod for their cooperation in carrying out the program of Christian Education, we make the following report:

Three regular meetings of Synod's Board of Christian Education were held in 1979 with good attendance and participation. A Special Called Meeting was held in April 1979 for the purpose of appointing a Director of Christian Education. Board members have been active in every phase of Christian Education.

Members of the staff of the Office of Christian Education for 1979 were:

Reverend Jerry Wolff, Director of Christian Education, June 1-November 1.
Mrs. Harold Sanders, Administrative Assistant, January 1-December 31.
During the time the Office has been without a Director of Christian Education, Mrs. Roy (Mary) Beckham of Greenville has assisted with resources, etc.

The staff makes the following report of activities during 1979:

1. Leadership and Consultation:
   The Director visited 21 churches for teacher training, Sunday School evaluation, Teacher Appreciation Dinners; attended an "Elementary Age Workshop" in Atlanta; attended the Catawba and Second Presbyteries Workshops; attended the Florida Son-Shine Camp, the Junior High and YPCU Conferences at Bonclarken.
   Christian Education booths were displayed at the Meeting of Synod, the Adult Conference, and at Presbytery Christian Education Workshops.
   Other areas in which the staff served were: As consultant for churches and individuals through correspondence and by telephone; and by mailing audio-visuals and other resources.
2. Conferences:
   Two conferences were held at Bonclarken during the summer of 1979 under the direction of the staff of Synod's Office of Christian Education:
   a. The first was the Junior High Conference (June 18-23) and was attended by 139 conferees and advisors from 28 churches and 6 presbyteries. The program was carried out by a staff of 28 with the Reverend Don Elliott as the Associate Director. The theme was "Growing His Way."

b. The second week of conferences was the YPCU Conference (June 25-30). There were 177 conferees and advisors from 28 churches and 6 presbyteries. The staff of 28 was directed by Mr. Henry Bigham, Associate Director, with the theme "To Know Christ and Make Him Known."

3. Publications:
The Office of Christian Education had responsibility to and/or for the following publications:
a. The **Associate Reformed Presbyterian:** Through membership on the Board of Publications, and as a monthly contributor of articles, columns, and news items. (During the absence of a Director of Christian Education, four DCEs helped out by writing the monthly articles: Mrs. Mary Roberts, Greenwood; Mrs. Betty Allen, Lancaster; Miss Laura Bell, Gastonia; and Mrs. Carole Ellis, Greenville.)
b. The Adult Quarterly: Worked with the Editor, Dr. W.H.F. Kuykendall, in making arrangements for the writing, printing, distribution and copyright of the publication.
c. The Adult Quarterly Teacher's Guide: A new publication was started with the Winter issue of the Quarterly. Dr. W.H.F. Kuykendall, Editor, working with the staff of the Office, published and mailed out the Adult Teacher's Guide to the churches using the Adult Quarterly. This is to be continued at no additional cost to the subscribers.
d. Audio-Visual Catalog and Book List: These two catalogs were revised in 1976 and each year an up-date is published, giving a list of all new resources in the library.
e. Resource Packet: A listing of resources, Christian education suggestions, etc., are prepared and given out at Synod each year to each pastor and/or clerk.

The following statistical information is submitted for your information:

1. BIBLE MASTERY MONTH was observed in January with a study of II Samuel. Forty-seven churches reported observing Bible Mastery month with 37 of the churches studying the recommended material.

2. CATECHISM RECITATIONS:
a. Brown's Catechism ..... 4 recitations
b. The Children's Catechism ..... 33 recitations
c. Westminster Shorter Catechism ..... 5 recitations

3. CHURCH SCHOOL: Reports were received from 135 churches in the denomination. These churches report a Church School Enrollment of 12,143 with an average attendance of 8,620.

4. CURRICULUM MATERIALS:
1. Church School: In the Children's and Youth Divisions, the most popular material is David C. Cook; while in the Adult Division the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Adult Quarterly is the most widely used. Listed below are the breakdowns between the ARP and the other materials. Consider these figures in the light of the 109 churches which reported and the fact that some churches used more than one curriculum in a given department.
(a) Preschool Division: Cook (46), CLC (1), Gospel Light (7), CE:SA (3), Other (3), Sc. Press (16), Standard (12), Ch. Reformed (2), Uniform (1), and DBC (2).
(b) Elementary: Baptist (1), Concordia (1), Cook (43), Gospel Light (6), Great Commission (6), CE:SA (1), Sc. Press (17), Standard (12), Uniform (1), DBC (8).
(c) Youth: ARP (5), Bible (2), Catechism (1), Cook (39), CLC (3), Gospel Light (7), CE:SA (3), Other (9), Own (1), Sc. Press (15), Standard (11), Ch. Reformed (2).
(d) Adult: ARP (93), Bible (8), Cook (15), CLC (4), Gospel Light (3), CE:SA (2), Other (7), Own (1), Sc. Press (4), Standard (5), Uniform Cooperative (6), Standards (1).

2. Youth Groups reported as follows:

	Members	Reporting Fellowships
YPCU	910	67
Junior High	558	57
Junior	432	129
Primary	431	46
Pre-School	484	59

3. Vacation Bible Schools: Seventy-Four churches reported holding Vacation Bible Schools in 1979 with a total enrollment of 4,882. Seventy-three churches had one-week schools and one had a two-week school. Fifty-two had schools for children and youth only; twenty-one had family schools. Materials used were: Bible (5), Cook (11), Scripture Press (10), Augsburg (5), Concordia (4), Standard (17), Own (4), Gospel Light (6), Vacation Ventures (1), Other (6), Baptist (2), Great Commission (2).

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That appreciation be expressed to the Women's Synodical Union and the local churches through funds received from Synod's budget for their continued interest in and support of Christian Education.
2. That Presbyteries and local churches be encouraged to use all resources (audio-visuals and books, etc.) which are available through the Office of Christian Education. (Amended.)
3. That Presbyteries and local churches be encouraged to contact the Office of Christian Education for assistance in the total Christian Education program.
4. That local Sessions be encouraged to seek ways to provide scholarships and/or assistance to their members for all conferences held at Bonclarken (Youth, Adult, Music, etc.) as well as the Continuing Education Courses offered by Erskine College and their local Presbytery. (Amended.)
5. That local Sessions and Christian Education Committees be encouraged to see how the **Adult Quarterly** can be used in their local programs, if it is not presently being used.
6. That local Sessions be encouraged to choose a "Church Agent" for **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and that each congregation be carefully canvassed to secure subscribers for this official church publication.
7. That the 1981 Junior High, Young People's Christian Union Conferences and the Camp for Exceptional Youth be held at Bonclarken during the summer conference season.
8. That the book of I John be endorsed as Bible Mastery Book for 1981 and that individuals and groups be encouraged to study the book for relevance to their own lives and the society in which we live.
9. That the **Policy Manual**, Appendix I, (A) YPCU PLANNING TEAM, 1. "membership" be changed to delete "Associate Conference Director . . ." and (B) OTHER PLANNING TEAMS, 1. "membership" be changed from "One representative, appointed by each presbytery . . ." to read "Each Presbytery's Christian Education Committee may appoint one representative. Presbyteries are asked to be responsible for the expenses." Also, same item, delete sentence "Assistant Conference Director appointed . . .".
10. That the attached 1981 budget be approved. (Amended.)

Respectfully submitted,
Dwight L. Pearson, Chairman

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1981

	Proposed 1981 Budget
ADMINISRATIVE:	
DIRECTOR	
Salary	$15,400
Retirement	1,760
Housing Allowance	6,600
Employee Insurance	1,090
Social Security	-0-
Special Training	600
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	
Salary	11,000
Employee Insurance	375
Social Security	732
OFFICE EXPENSE	
Office Rent	1,644
Xerox	125
Office Expense	-0-
Telephone	400
Postage	700
STAFF TRAVEL	3,200
BOARD TRAVEL	5,000
Sub-Total	$48,626
PROGRAMMING:	
Resource Material	
Periodicals	150
Books	150
VBS Kits	75
Curriculum Samples	100
Other	75
Teaching Materials	50
Audio Visuals	
Tapes	125
Slides, F/Strips, Films	450
Equipment	150
Equipment Upkeep	75
Promotional Materials	
Printing	-0-
Supplies	150
Postage	-0-
Curriculum Development	
Manuscripts	-0-
Copyrights	-0-
Contingency	-0-
Travel	600

Bibles and New Testaments	300
Sub Total	$ 2,450
CAMPS AND CONFERENCES:	
YPCU Conference	
Room and Board	1,500
Honoraria	1,200
Travel	1,125
Planning	500
Insurance	250
Recreation	200
Supplies and Misc.	100
Music	600
Junior High Conference	
Room and Board	1,650
Honoraria	1,300
Travel	1,400
Planning	500
Insurance	300
Recreation	275
Supplies and Misc.	210
Music	600
YPCU Council	500
Camp for Exceptional Children	3,000
Contingency	250
Sub-Total	$15,460
PUBLICATIONS	
A.R.P. Quarterly	
Editor	4,300
Publication/Preparation	11,200
Second Class Postage	400
General Office Expense	600
Copyright	150
Art Work	150
Refunds	-0-
MISCELLANEOUS:	
Contingency Fund	500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$84,586
INCOME:	
Synod Supplement	$56,661
Honoraria	-0-
Travel Reimbursement	300
Miscellaneous	75
Sale of Material	50
W.S.U. Support	5,500
Quarterly	20,000
Conference Fees	2,000
TOTAL	$84,586

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Church Extension was presented item by item. Recommendations 1-5 were adopted and the report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION

The committee met and was opened with prayer by the Reverend R.E. Sherer. The roll was taken.

Dr. R.C. Grier's absence was excused, and in his absence Dr. W.C. Lauderdale appeared before the committee on behalf of the Board.

The following Recommendations were adopted:

1. That the recommendations of the Board of Church Extension be adopted as amended.
   A. Recommendation #5 NOTATION. This recommendation is understood to be a feasibility study.
   B. Recommendation #8 be amended to read: "That the Synod ask the Commission on Judiciary Affairs to study the advisability of incorporation and report to the General Synod in 1981.
      Note: See the final paragraph on page 2 of the Board of Church Extension report.
2. That Synod ask the Board of Church Extension to pursue the use of spot TV and Radio Scripture presentations as a means of reaching people for Christ, and promoting the work of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.
3. That Synod take note of the effort of the Board of Church Extension to secure a Mission Developer Advisor (at Large) and offer continuing support to our Board in this area.
4. That the Board of Church Extension be encouraged to explore the possibilities of drawing upon the resources of the Institute of American Church Growth in Pasadena, California, under the leadership of Wynn Arn, to stimulate vision for intentional church growth, and to train and equip Pastors and church leaders to make their churches grow.
5. That Synod commend the Director and Board of Church Extension for their roles in this ministry.

The Moderator's committee meeting was adjourned with prayer by the Reverend Bill Tyson.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION TO THE GENERAL SYNOD
June 2-5, 1980

The Board of Church Extension is grateful for the continued interest and support of this area of Witness and Outreach evidenced throughout the Synod. Special appreciation is expressed for the response to the Voluntary Commitment, the Woman's Synodical Union, support through the Opportunity Fund offering and financial support through the Presbyteries to new church development.

The Grier Memorial, Eden Terrace, and Pinecrest congregations assumed self-support January 1, 1980, and are to be commended for their growth and faith. Grier Memorial is building a new sanctuary, partially funded with a loan from the Board's Revolving Loan Fund.

The pre-Synod Conference on Evangelism will be held Saturday evening, Sabbath, and Monday morning prior to Synod's sessions.

A Church Growth Seminar was conducted in cooperation with Erskine Theological Seminary, October 23, 24 at Due West, S.C. Dr. James David Hester, pastor of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, Tennessee was the Seminar Leader. The work of Church Extension was presented at the Adult, Senior, and Junior High Conferences.

The 2000 new increase by 1982 was promoted again, and 50% have reported goals totaling 1250 in 1980.

A review of the work in Presybteries:

Catawba: The Dutch Fork Mission (formerly Church of the Servant) is now under the leadership of Rev. J. Frank Beard. They have received a planning grant from Catawba Presbytery. Wando (formerly Mt. Pleasant) is securing a mobile unit with a grant and loan from the Board. Reverend Rodney Foster is mission

developer. Reverend An Liem Nguyen continues to minister to Vietnamese refugees in the Columbia area, and is supported by the Board and Catawba Presbytery.

Florida: The Grace Mission, Orlando, conducts its worship services and Church School at a school building; Presbytery has purchased a five acre lot for future building. Reverend Douglas Fleming is mission developer. The Faith Mission, Merritt Island, is under the leadership of Reverend Wayne Frazier. Attendance at worship services exceeds membership in this growing area. The Bartow congregation is planning to sponsor a mission in Lakeland.

First: The Reverend John Kimmons, Jr. moved to Greensboro in December, 1979 as Mission developer for Christ Community Church. A school has been secured for worship services and the developer is carrying out an extensive visitation program. The Jubilee Community House, Statesville, is under the leadership of Mrs. Mike Woodard, and Miss Kathleen Murdock. First Presbytery has appointed a Board of Directors to supervise this work.

Mississippi Valley: Reverend John Coad has served as mission developer at Greenview Heights (formerly New Life) since July and this group has doubled in size. The Providence Mission, St. Charles, MO, was closed in November. Plans are underway to re-open this mission.

Second: Grace Mission, Spartanburg, S.C., has been under the leadership of mission developer Rev. Joseph Lennon, this past year. By action of Presbytery, this is the last year that aid will be given to this group.

Virginia: Johnson's Creek was supplied by student Gilbert Rowell last summer. The Kingsborough Mission had its first service March 23, in a building purchased with a grant of $11,000.00 and loan of $33,000.00 from the Board. Reverend G.J. Gerard is mission developer.

World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, has requested that a study be made to determine the feasibility of becoming jointly involved in cross-cultural work in the United States. The joint task force would be composed of at least three representatives from each Board to establish and supervise the work of the pilot project. Three concerns are expressed by the Board of Church Extension: the jurisdiction question, will blacks be included as an ethnic group, and will this be the most effective use of missionaries. The pilot project will include conducting a survey of all Associate Reformed Presbyterian Churches to determine the nature, background, and size of all ethnic groups within their area of ministry. The maximum duration for the pilot project will be limited to two years from the inception of its work.

The matter of financing new church development must have continuing review in order to provide resources necessary to implement this ministry. The Board proposes to appoint a task force of interested persons from across the Synod to study the history and policies of financing, and make recommendations concerning the current and future requirements, and resources available to carry out this work.

Consideration has been given to incorporating the Board of Church Extension. Sponsoring work in more than one state and complying with the Form of Government are concerns. It is the consensus of the Board that a committee be appointed to study the advisability of Boards, Presbyteries or Agencies thereof, and Congregations incorporating. All Boards, Presbyteries, Agencies and congregatons would be encouraged to submit questions and information to this Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That the supplement requests of Presbyteries be sustained and the 1981 budget be adopted.
2. That the Opportunity Fund Offering be received in all congregations during Thanksgiving 1981.
3. That special appreciation be extended to the Woman's Synodical Union for their financial support.
4. That congregations continue their efforts to reach the goal of 2000 net increase by 1982, the Bi-centennial year.
5. That a pilot project be established jointly with World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, combining the resources of these two agencies in the area of evangelism and church planting among ethnic people in the United States. (Note Moderator's Committee Report.)

6. That the Board be authorized to appoint a task force to study the needs in new church development.
7. That appreciation be expressed to the Mission Developers for their ministry.
8. That the Synod authorize the Nominating Committee to appoint a committee of legal counsel, consisting of one lawyer from each Presbytery, to study the advisability of incorporating and report to the General Synod in 1981. (Amended.)

Respectfully submitted,
R.C. Grier, Chairman
Earl Linderman, Secretary

CHURCH EXTENSION BUDGET — 1981

OPERATING	
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE	
Director's Salary	$ 22,000.00
Director's Travel and Expense	2,500.00
Director's Insurance	1,022.75
Director's Retirement	1,760.00
Board Travel and Expense	2,500.00
Office Expense	1,200.00
Rent	672.00
	$ 31,654.75
EVANGELISM	$ 10,000.00
GENERAL MISSION EXPENSE	
Moving Mission Pastors	2,000.00
Training	1,500.00
Contingency	750.00
	$ 4,250.00
SUPPLEMENTS	
Catawba Presbytery	
Dutch Fork	$ 12,480.00
Wando (Mt. Pleasant)	11,928.00
Supplement for Rev. Nguyen	4,800.00
First Presbytery	
Christ Community (Greensboro)	20,000.00
Florida Presbytery	
Faith	3,000.00
Grace Community	7,500.00
New Work	10,000.00
Mississippi Valley Presbytery	
Greenview Heights	6,000.00
Providence of St. Charles	20,000.00
Second Presbytery	
Grace Mission	3,000.00
Gwinnet County	15,000.00
Virginia Presbytery	
Johnson's Creek	2,000.00
New Work	15,000.00
Kingsborough	6,200.00
	$136,908.00
TOTAL OPERATING	$182,812.75

CAPITAL

Church Site Purchase Fund	$ 30,000.00
Church Site Payment (Ms-Valley)	- 0 -
Opportunity Fund — Current Expenses Other Than Promotional	20,000.00
Restricted Designated Gifts Current Expense	1,000.00
	$ 51,000.00

PROMOTIONAL

Opportunity Fund Expense	1,000.00
Deferred Gift Materials	1,000.00
	$ 2,000.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	$235,812.75

INCOME:

OPERATING

Synod (Pro-Rated)	160,012.75
WSU (Unrestricted)	15,000.00
Interest — Permanent Funds & Ellis Trust	3,000.00
Honorarium	300.00
Direct Support	500.00
Evangelism — Current Income	- 0 -
Other Miscellaneous Unrestricted Income	1,000.00
	$179,812.75

CAPITAL

WSU (Restricted) — New Bldg. & Church Site Purchases — Current Income	$ 30,000.00
Opportunity Fund 1981 Income	25,000.00
Miscellaneous Designated Gifts Current Income	1,000.00
	$ 56,000.00

TOTAL INCOME:	$235,812.75

Mr. W.C. Lauderdale called to the Synod's attention the special medical costs for Reverend An of the Vietnamese Church in Columbia, S.C.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on William H. Dunlap Home was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON WILLIAM H. DUNLAP HOME

Fathers and Brethren:

Only one paper came into the hands of your committee, the Report of William H. Dunlap Home.

Paul K. Shannon, Chairman of the Board, appeared before the committee to inform and to answer questions in regard to the report of the Dunlap Board.

Your Committee expresses appreciation to the following:

1. Paul K. Shannon and the Dunlap Board for its dedicated work in the carrying out of the directive of Synod, and,
2. Mr. and Mrs. G.K. Spencer for their splendid services in caring for the property during this transition period.

We present the report of the William H. Dunlap Board as our report to the General Synod.

REPORT OF WILLIAM H. DUNLAP HOME

The Dunlap Home remained in a status quo situation during the major part of the year. As directed by Synod the Board secured the services of an attorney, Mr. Walker Tipton, of Covington, Tennessee. He was instructed to take the necessary legal steps to enable Synod and its agents to have legal right to dispose of, or change the use of, and in the event of disposition of the property, to spend the monies as Synod so desires.

Mr. Tipton has spent many hours in preparation, including tracing down any supposedly known heirs, and notices to any unknown heirs. The case has been prepared and filed. It is anticipated that the court docket will be so arranged that we can expect the case to come up in the fall. The Board is planning to move one of its meetings so as to meet when the case is in Court. It may be necessary for the Board to make some decisions and possibly appear before the Court.

During the past year a number of Church Retreats have been conducted at Dunlap, under the sponsorship of the various churches. Other groups such as the Ladies Organizations and Presbytery have also used the facilities. In most cases of utilization a moderate charge was made to offset the expenses. The mining of gravel continues on the farm and is a source of income. Both the Vaughn Farm and the available farming land at the home have been rented to local farmers.

The buildings are being maintained and repaired as necessary. Some are being rented as homes. Proper insurance is being kept on all buildings where feasible.

The Board has placed during this year all available monies other than funds necessary to operate, in the care of Synod's Treasurer for investment.

We hope that by the next meeting of the General Synod a proper proposal of resolution of the Dunlap Home can be made. We have been blessed in having the services of G.K. and Nancy Spencer. We all owe them a debt of Thanks.

We covet your prayers in this coming year for Dunlap and the Board.

Paul K. Shannon, Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Erskine College and Seminary was presented and amended to allow Mr. R.T. Ruble to introduce a new Erskine administrator (Mr. Lin Cheshire) and that he be given two minutes to speak. The report, as amended, was adopted.

MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ERSKINE COLLEGE AND SEMINARY

Mr. Emmett Davis of the Board of Trustees, and President M. Stanyarne Bell, Dr. Randy Ruble, Dr. Jim Knight, Mr. Lee Logan, and Mr. Monty Wooly of the College and Seminary staffs met with this committee in an advisory capacity.

THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS:

1. That the General Synod adopt all of the recommendations that have been made in the reports of Erskine College and Erskine Seminary.
2. That the General Synod express its appreciation to Dr. L.M. Allison and Dr. C.M. Coffey for their long and dedicated service to our General Synod. The members are asked to express this appreciation by rising to their feet.

REPORT OF ERSKINE COLLEGE

We report our operation since our 1979 report to you. Senior management at this writing includes:

Chairman ..... E.I. Davis
Vice Chairman ..... J.R. Wolff
Treasurer ..... W.H. Stuart, Jr.
Secretary ..... A.W. Alexander

Assistant Secretary ..... A.L. Love
President ..... M.S. Bell
Vice President and Dean of College ..... J.A. Knight
Vice President and Dean of the Seminary ..... R.T. Ruble
Vice President for Business and Finance ..... C.H. Carlisle
Vice President for Development ..... L.W. Logan
Dean of Students ..... W.W. Lesesne
Dean of Students ..... E.G. McDill
Chaplain ..... L.P. Kennerly

July 1 the following persons will succeed to the indicated offices; other incumbents will continue in office:

F.M. Hunt ..... Chairman
G.H. Hendrix ..... Vice Chairman
W.H. Stuart, Jr. ..... Treasurer
A.W. Alexander ..... Secretary

A copy of the 1980 College catalog, Exhibit A; Theological Seminary catalog, Exhibit B; and the Auditor's Report, Exhibit C, are attached. (Not reprinted herein.)

We regret deeply to report the death of a beloved student on March 8, 1980.

Carolyn Lambert Catt 1960-1980
Cleveland Street Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church
New Albany, Mississippi

The audit of Erskine College including the Seminary indicates that income for the year exceeded expenditures by $17,364.

Changes in fund balances since the prior audit and the audit of 1969 are indicated below:

	1979	1978	1969
Current Fund	$ 222,364	$ 308,220	$ 62,758
Student Loan Fund	912,971	920,404	375,946
Endowment Fund	4,373,956	4,205,530	1,431,655
Annuity Fund	38,408	40,437	22,006
Plant Fund	9,653,587	8,633,636	4,933,111

Major events and projects completed during the year have included:

— Appointment of The Rev. Dr. Merwyn S. Johnson to the Seminary faculty as Associate Professor of Historical and Systematic Theology;
— Temporary appointment of The Rev. Dr. Joseph M. Gettys to the Seminary faculty as Professor of New Testament in the absence of Dr. Morris;
— Appointment of the following professors to the College faculty:
  — James J. Bowe, Associate Professor of Mathematics
  — James M. Meaders, Assistant Professor of Art
  — Jane F. Spencer, Assistant Professor of Modern Languages
  — Melissa J. Hunnicutt, Instructor in Physical Education;
— Received National Science Foundation grant to fund special science training for outstanding high school students (fourth year)
— Completed Seminary Self-Study report which has been submitted to the accrediting agency;
— The following scholarships and funds were established during the year:
  — Blake P. Garrett and Louise Young Garrett Scholarship Program
  — John I. Bonner and Lila Morse Bonner Scholarship Fund
  — T.D. Brown Scholarship Fund
  — James Steven Henderson Memorial Scholarship
  — The Rev. and Mrs. A.K. Whitesides Scholarship Fund
  — W.A. Anthony Voice Scholarship
  — Dr. Joseph T. Stukes Fund
  — Carolyn Lambert Catt Scholarship Fund
  — William Harris Blair Scholarship Fund

— The Huggins Soccer Field was resurfaced and replanted;
— Forty-eight students became Associate Members of the Due West Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church;
— Eight hundred and sixty-two students participated in summer camp programs on Erskine Campus;
— A new office for the Chaplain was completed on the first floor of the Watkins Student Center;
— Exterior renovation of Carnegie Hall was begun;
— The average SAT score at Erskine (930) exceeded the National Average (894) and the State Average (783);
— Dr. Bright A. Lowry III, Professor of Chemistry, was cited for his research in liquid crystals;
— The Rev. Dr. C. Linwood Cheshire was appointed Director of Deferred Gifts;
— Fourteen lights were installed on the Mall in front of Belk Hall and Watkins Student Center;
— A new boiler was installed in Reid Science Hall;
— A Student Retention Program was introduced under the direction of Mrs. H.E. Thomas;
— Dr. and Mrs. C.R. Younts established the Ruth Camp and Henry Campbell Ministers and Missionaries Study Fund;
— All teacher education programs were evaluated and certified by the South Carolina Department of Education;
— A pilot advertising program on six (6) television stations was introduced;
— Dr. Eugene R. Beem, economist, was the first Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellow;
— Dr. David Hester conducted the Church Growth Conference;
— Mr. Moffatt G. Long and Mr. D. Patterson Craig were selected to direct effort to raise funds to complete the financing of the Physical Education-Athletic Facility;
— All athletic teams did exceptionally well but avoided winning district championships;
— The Board of Trustees approved salary increases for faculty for the 1980-81 academic year. Equalization of salaries for men and women has been achieved. Parity with mean salary of comparable institutions in South Carolina achieved in two of three categories.
— Dr. George Schweitzer, Alumni Distinguished Professor of Chemistry at the University of Tennessee, was the Staley Lecturer for 1979;
— Erskine College began the process of Self-Study leading to visit and review by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools;
— Erskine College has initiated an investigation of the possibility of introducing ROTC programs;
— The lobby in Watkins Student Center is being renovated and decorated as a result of the generosity of Dr. Sarah Belk Gambrell;
— A new video-tape recording and play back system was given to the Seminary by an anonymous donor;
— The Star Paper Tube Company deeded its buildings and land in Due West to Erskine College. The buildings include space in excess of 28,000 sq. ft. This space will provide headquarters for the maintenance department as well as centralized storage facilities;
— The J.E. Sirrine Company was selected to design The Robert Stone Galloway Physical Education Building;
— Pledges to the Living Endowment fund exceeded all previous records;
— The twentieth Robinson Lecturer was Dr. Isabel W. Rogers, Professor of Applied Christianity at the Presbyterian School of Christian Education in Richmond, Virginia;
— The Rev. Mr. Stuart Briscoe conducted the third Whitesides Pastors' Institute on March 11 and 12; and
— Appointment of The Rev. Mr. David W. Van Gelder to the Seminary faculty as Assistant Professor of Pastoral Care and Counseling.

Three full merit scholarships for each entering freshman class at Erskine College, renewable for four years, will be funded by the Edward C. Stuart Foundation, Incor-

porated, of Bartow, Florida, beginning in the 1981-82 academic year.

The scholarships will honor the late Dr. Ebenezer Bogues Kennedy, professor of French and Latin at Erskine for 37 years, who died in 1962. The program will replace and enlarge the current E.B. Kennedy Scholarships at Erskine, now in their twenty-fifth year. The eight current E.B. Kennedy Scholars at Erskine will have their awards increased from $1,000 to $1,500 per year, beginning in 1980-81.

When the new program is completely implemented in 1984, there will be 12 E.B. Kennedy Scholars at Erskine studying under full merit scholarships covering tuition, room and board, all fees and books.

The E.B. Kennedy Scholarships will be made to young men and women based solely on merit and selected for their Christian commitment, leadership potential, scholastic achievement, and vigorous outlook. The scholarships will be continued for four years for students upholding the ideals and standards of Erskine College and exhibiting satisfactory academic performance and progress.

Recipients will be selected annually through a competition expected to generate some 300 nominations for the scholarships. From the original nominees up to 80 will be selected to compete in semifinal interviews on the Erskine campus.

From this group up to 20 finalists will be selected to return to the campus for interviews and special functions. Three awardees and four alternates will be selected from this number to become E.B. Kennedy Scholars.

The following college students have been elected to the Student Government positions indicated:

Richard B. Norwood ..... President
Kent D. Talbert ..... Vice President
N. Robin Elliott ..... Recording Secretary
Elizabeth L. McGill ..... Corresponding Secretary
William L. Ferguson ..... Treasurer

The following seminary students have been elected to the student body positions indicated:

Robert W. Bell ..... President
Walter J. Myles, Jr. ..... Vice President and Secretary
J. Barry Dagenhart ..... Treasurer

The record of applications for merit scholarships is as follows:

	1980	1979	1978	1977
Applied	74	71	73	39
Accepted	49	49	49	29

Gifts to the Living Endowment Fund have increased each of the past three years.

1980 (to date)	1979	1978
$260,835	$250,646	$200,581

Gifts and pledges to the Greater Distinction for Erskine Campaign now total $9,424,748. Of this amount $1,843,970 is designated for The Robert Stone Galloway Physical Education Building. We anticipate that the cost of the building and furnishings will be around $2.4 million.

Our intercollegiate athletic programs continue to involve relatively large numbers of students. The intercollegiate athletic records are as follows:

Soccer 10-9-1
Women's Basketball 20-6
Men's Basketball 17-13
Women's Volleyball 21-10
Baseball 15-14

The Board of Trustees at its meeting on April 25, 1980, voted approval of a faculty and staff recommendation to establish an R.O.T.C. program at Erskine College to be initiated in the 1981-82 academic year.

The executive offices of the General Synod are now fully tied in with the computer system at Erskine College. **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian, Prayer Warrior,** all churches and missionaries mailing lists are on disks. The cost to the General Synod at the present time is $100 per month. On January 1, 1981, the cost will be $150 per month.

College room, board, tuition and fees will be increased $455 to $4,750 for the 1980-81 academic year. Scholarships and financial aid awarded to students this year amounted to $1,615,217 or an average of $3,047 per student for the 530 students receiving financial assistance. The sources of financial aid are listed below:

	1979-80	1978-79
Erskine Funds	$ 455,739	$ 457,694
South Carolina State Funds	650,970	479,945
Federal Funds	508,508	314,532
	$1,615,217	$1,252,171

REQUESTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That May 10, 1981, be designated as Erskine College Day in the churches with a special offering being received for Erskine College; and that September 20, 1981, be designated as Erskine Theological Seminary Day with an offering being received for the Seminary.
2. That May 10, 1981, be designated also as Erskine Student Day on which local Erskine students are listed in the church bulletin and are recognized if present.
3. That the General Synod grant Erskine $131,403 for the operation of the College and Seminary and $17,695 for Synod's scholarships.
4. That Erskine College be permitted to have representatives at all youth conferences, retreats and rallies at Presbytery and Presbyterial meetings at least once a year.
5. That ministers be asked to be responsible for informing their high school juniors and seniors of the educational opportunities at Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary.
6. That ministers be asked to take their high school students to Erskine for a visit.
7. That the General Synod continue to pray for Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary.

The Chairman, President and members of the College staff plan to be present at the meeting of the General Synod to answer questions.

This report was directed by resolution of the Board during its meeting on April 25, 1980.

E.I. Davis, Chairman

REPORT OF THE DEAN OF THE SEMINARY 1979-1980

Fathers and Brethren:

The 1979-80 academic year has been another year in which the abundant blessings of God have been made manifest in the life and work of Erskine Seminary, and we give thanks to our Lord for His gracious direction and provision. Erskine Seminary has continued to enjoy the strong support of the General Synod as well as its Presbyteries and congregations, and the faculty and students wish to record their appreciation. Erskine Seminary began its 143rd year of service on September 6th 1979, with orientation and registration. The formal opening of the College and Seminary took place on September 12th with Moderator Clyde McCants as the principal speaker.

ADMINISTRATION

During the past year the major administrative responsibilities of the Seminary were carried out by President M. Stanyarne Bell, Dean Randall T. Ruble and Supervised Ministry Director Clyde T. McCants. Administrative support for the Seminary was also provided by Business and Finance Vice President Charles H. Carlisle, Development Vice President Lee W. Logan, Public Relations Director Richard H. Haldeman, Alumni Director Monte Wooley and Registrar Lucy Anne McCluer. Faculty responsibilities were as follows:

Historical and Systematic Theology ..... Dr. L.M. Allison
Old Testament and Hebrew ..... Dr. Randall T. Ruble
New Testament ..... Dr. Joseph Gettys

Church History ..... Professor Ray A. King
Ministry ..... Dr. C.M. Coffey
Professor Clyde T. McCants
Library ..... Professor John H. Wilde

Dr. Kenneth F. Morris was on leave-of-absence during the 1979-80 academic year and has served during his leave-of-absence as interim pastor of the Louisville, Ga. Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. He will resume his teaching duties in September 1980. Dr. Morris will again teach Greek at the summer school at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Ga. In the absence of Dr. Morris, Dr. Joseph Gettys did an excellent job of teaching courses at the Seminary in the area of New Testament. Professor Ray King has continued his work toward the Ph.D. degree at Emory University.

In January 1980, Dr. C.M. Coffey concluded his teaching responsibilities at Erskine Theological Seminary. Dr. L.M. Allison retired from the Seminary faculty in May 1980. Both of these faculty members have exemplified the highest professional standards during their teaching careers at Erskine Seminary and have made valuable contributions to the ministry in which this institution is engaged. A banquet and other appropriate activities were held on April 15th to honor these distinguished professors.

At its meeting on October 26th, 1979, the Board of Trustees of Erskine College approved the appointment of Dr. Merwyn S. Johnson as Associate Professor of Historical and Systematic Theology at Erskine Seminary. In September 1980 Dr. Johnson will take up the work relinquished by Dr. Allison. Dr. Johnson has taught for the past six years on the faculty of Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary and will bring to the faculty of Erskine Seminary a distinguished academic record as well as an outstanding career in the life of the church as a pastor, evangelist and Presbyter.

A Search Committee continues to seek a replacement for Dr. Coffey in the field of Pastoral Care and Counseling. Suggestions of qualified persons for this position may be made to either President Bell or Dean Ruble.

STUDENTS

The total enrollment of the Seminary for the past academic year was fifty-eight. In addition several college students took courses in the Seminary.

The Seminary student body has again been composed of students from a large number of different denominations. The denominational composition is as follows:

Associate Reformed Presbyterian	11
Presbyterian Church U.S.	8
Second Cumberland Presbyterian	1
Presbyterian Church in America	2
Baptist	16
Methodist	7
Pentecostal Holiness	7
Assembly of God	1
Christian (Disciples of Christ)	1
Apostolic Church	1
Jewish	1
Non-denominational	2

The student body includes 49 men and 9 women, 4 blacks and 1 foreign student.

A fall and spring retreat were held during the year for faculty and students. The fall retreat, held at Camp Fellowship on Lake Greenwood, was led by Mr. and Mrs. Jay Fesperman who operate the Inn of the Last Resort at Franklin, N.C. The spring retreat was conducted by Dr. Millicent Hunnicutt, Dean of Pfeifer College. These retreats are valuable instruments in the spiritual development of those who belong to the Seminary community.

Seminary student body officers for the 1979-80 year have been President Gilbert Rowell (A.R.P.), Vice President Herb Codington (Presbyterian Church U.S.), and Treasurer Eleanor Morrison (Presbyterian Church U.S.).

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

On December 1, 1979, Erskine Seminary submitted a Self-Study Report to the Association of Theological Schools. This report brought to a conclusion an institutional self-study that spanned a period of 1½ years. On January 25, 1980, the Seminary was

notified that the A.T.S. Commission on Accrediting, after reviewing the Self-Study document, had decided to send a visiting team to Erskine Seminary in April or May 1980. The Seminary has requested that the accrediting visit be postponed until October 1980 when the Seminary will have in place most of its permanent faculty. Dr. L.M. Allison has served as chairman of the Self-Study Committee.

The curriculum of the Seminary has remained unchanged during the past year. Plans for the 1980-81 academic year include the replacement of the "Introduction to Ministry" course with a required course in counseling.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

The series of continuing education conferences began October 25 with a Church Recreation Workshop which was led by Dr. Tom Malone, an executive with the Bethel Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, U.S. in the Rock Hill area. The annual Church Growth Conference on October 23-24 was led by the Rev. David Hester, pastor of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Knoxville, Tennessee. The fourth Missionary Conference took place on February 12 and the principal speaker was Dr. Pablo Perez, Director of the Evangelical Institute of Mexico, Mexico City. On February 13, a Worship Conference featured as the main speaker, Dr. Merwyn Johnson, Professor of Theology at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. The third Whitesides Pastors' Institute was held on March 11-12 with the Rev. Stuart Briscoe, pastor in Brookfield, Wisconsin, as the preacher and workshop leader. The twentieth Robinson Lecturer was Dr. Isabel Rogers, Professor of Applied Christianity at the Presbyterian School of Christian Education, Richmond, Virginia.

The continuing education conferences could not have been provided for pastors and church leaders in our denomination without the cooperation and support of other church agencies. The Seminary is especially grateful to the Board of Church Extension, Board of Foreign Missions, and the Committee on Worship of the A.R.P. Church. A major part of the financial support for these conferences was made possible by a gift from the Louisville, Ga. A.R.P. Church.

Endowment income from the Whitesides Pastors' Institute Fund and a gift from an anonymous donor made possible the Pastors' Institute and Robinson Lectures. These conferences extend a tradition of high quality in the field of continuing education and the Seminary believes it has been fortunate in securing such good conference leaders.

GIFTS

The Seminary has again been blessed by God through the outstanding support of the A.R.P. Church, alumni and friends. The Special Offering taken on September 16, 1979 in the churches of our denomination was $15,839.05. Individual gifts as well as gifts from Sunday School classes, churches and Presbyteries have provided support for Seminary students. Other gifts enlarged the Lucy Caroline Bowden Scholarship Fund and the W.W. Boyce Fund, Walter S. Brooks and Elizabeth Simpson McConnell Funds. A new scholarship for needy students was created by the Rev. A.K. Whitesides of our Virginia Presbytery. Students also benefited from the newly created Roscoe T. Nelson and William Harris Blair Scholarship Funds. An anonymous gift of $2,500 enabled the Seminary to purchase new video tape equipment which is used in the classroom as well as in the preaching program. The Seminary was also given a Canon copying machine. One of the largest gifts ever received by Erskine Seminary was a grant of $100,000 from the Ruth Camp and Henry Campbell Foundation to underwrite a continuing education program for ministers and missionaries in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Younts were instrumental in securing this grant for the Seminary.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Special Offering for the work of Erskine Seminary be promoted in the congregations of our church on September 14, 1980 and that ministers be urged to inform their people of the importance of this offering for the Seminary.
2. That ministers present the claims of the Gospel ministry to their churches on September 14 in conjunction with the Seminary Special Offering.
3. That friends of the Seminary continue to support the A.R. Presbyterian Fund, Inc., through contributions and memorial gifts and that congregations consider placing this fund in their annual budgets. Gifts to this fund should be sent to

Dean Randall T. Ruble, Erskine Theological Seminary, Due West, S.C. 29639.

4. That the General Synod express appreciation to churches which provide the opportunity for Seminary students to engage in preaching and other church activities. Requests for the services of Seminary students for preaching and summer work should be directed to Professor Clyde McCants, Box 171, Due West, S.C. 29639.
5. That ministers and lay people be encouraged to participate in the programs of continuing education at the Seminary and that Sessions be urged to provide funds to enable ministers to attend these conferences.
6. That the Dean's report be printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**

Randall T. Ruble
Vice President and Dean

Mr. Lin Cheshire, Development Officer for Deferred Gifts, then spoke to the Synod.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on the Executive Board of Synod was presented. An amendment to delete item No. 7 of the Board report carried and the Report as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

Your committee considered the one paper which came into its hands: the Report of the Executive Board of Synod.

1. We recommend that all recommendations of the Executive Board be adopted. (Amended.)
2. With reference to Recommendation No. 6, we recommend that the task of investigating the matter of the local church's Ministry to the Aged, be assigned to the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns. (Amended. See Wednesday A.M. Proceedings.)
3. We recommend that the Executive Board clarify Item No. 14 in "The Actions of the Executive Board."

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

The Executive Board held two regular meetings since the last meeting of the General Synod. The following report reflects the activity of the board in those meetings:

Referrals by the Executive Board: The Executive Board made the following referrals to other agencies of the General Synod:

1. To the Board of Stewardship: A request to provide to each Board and Institution, a list of those churches which are meeting the level of commitments requested by the General Synod. (8-3-79)
2. To all Boards of Synod: A request, that in view of the energy crisis and the intent of good Christian stewardship, all boards of Synod meet no more than three times per year. (8-3-79)
3. To the Board of Church Extension: A suggestion that the presbyteries be overtured, asking them to study their "weak" churches and to report their needs in terms of money, personnel, programs, etc., which would be necessary to develop viable fields. (8-3-79)
4. To the Board of Stewardship: A request that each agency and board be provided with a list of those churches which were not making contributions, to their specific areas of concern, through the special offerings. (8-3-79)
5. To the Board of Stewardship: A request that the board study and report to the Executive Board the possibility of a group insurance policy for all church properties in our denomination, including the exploration of the creation of a denominational property self-insurance program. (8-3-79)
6. To Synod's Committee on the Minister and His Work: The matter of the status of reserve chaplains who are called to active duty. (3-6-80)

Actions by the Executive Board: The Executive Board reports the following actions to the General Synod, 1980:

1. The Executive Board granted permission for the women to make the **History of The Women's Synodical Union** a part of the special bicentennial set of volumes.
2. The Reverend Ray A. King requested that the Executive Board accept his resignation from the special Committee on the Bicentennial Anniversary.
3. The Executive Board appointed Dr. Lowry Ware to replace Mr. Ray King on the Bicentennial Anniversary Committee.
4. The Moderator and Principal Clerk were appointed to serve as a continuing Bicentennial Anniversary Committee of the Executive Board.
5. The following were appointed to a special committee to implement Synod's motion "that Synod's Executive Board appoint a special committee to study ways in which Synod could minister to Senior Citizens and/or those who are responsible for such ministry" and "That the General Synod study the feasibility of establishing a home for the aged for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, taking into account work already being done in this area by three presbyteries in our denomination": Dr. Gordon Parkinson, Convener; Rev. James Boyce, Dr. Florence Craig, Rev. Harry White, and Mrs. Barron Kennedy.
6. World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, was given permission to use a $100,000 Treasury Note to secure a loan from Bankers Trust Company in Greenville in the amount of $40,000 for the purchase of the Volkart property, Sahiwal, Pakistan.
7. With respect to the development of the computer project the Executive Board authorized Mr. Ed. Hogan to pursue continuing education at Greenville Technical College, with the General Synod to pay the tuition.
8. With regard to the computer software program development, the Board adopted the policy that agencies which wish such software development beyond the capabilities of present personnel will be expected to pay costs for such development.
9. The Principal Clerk was directed to study a possible format for special orientation for new Ministers. (This program is understood **not** to be a replacement for delegate orientation at General Synod Meeting.)
10. The Executive Board concurred with the recommendation of the Board of Stewardship that the Air Force Chapel's Palm Sunday Offering, which was given to our General Synod, be used to aid in the establishment of the "Camp for Exceptional Youth."
11. In reply to a request from the Board of Stewardship with regard to membership in the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability, the Executive Board advised the Board of Stewardship to apply for membership, citing the Westminster Confession of Faith as our statement of faith.
12. The revised budgets of the Executive Board and the A.R.P. Center were adopted for the operating year 1980.
13. The Executive Board acted to make the Vice-President of WSU a standing member of the Board's Committee on Emphases.
14. With regard to the General Synod meeting, the Board directed that organizations which do not function under the A.R.P. Church, or those which do not have special stated relationships, such as ABS, LDA, etc., will not be given display space at Synod meetings. In addition, the Program Committee was directed to use the Denominational Bulletin as the outer cover for the program of Synod.
15. Implementation proposals to carry out Synod's directive of 1979 with regard to registration fees for Synod, 1980, were adopted. The Executive Board interpreted that seat and vote at the meeting is not contingent on the payment of the registration fee. (Reference, Minutes of Synod, 1979, p.89)
16. With regard to the recommendation that a feasibility study be made on the operation of Erskine Seminary under a separate Board of Trustees, (Minutes of General Synod, 1979, p. 77) the Moderator, with the consent of the Board, appointed a special committee consisting of D.L. Pearson, J.H. Patrick, and C.B. Todd to study the approach which should be taken with regard to this study. This committee recommended, and the Board concurred, that no approach to study be attempted until location plans for the Seminary are com-

pleted by the Erskine Board and General Synod, and that the General Synod be asked to reconsider its actions with regard to a feasibility study for a separate Board of Trustees for Erskine Theological Seminary, based on the impracticability brought out due to the relocation question.

17. The Executive Board's Committee on Salaries was asked to secure job descriptions of employees of all boards of the General Synod and to continue its work in developing a salary administration plan for Synod personnel.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That the General Synod approve the actions of the Executive Board reported herein.
2. That the Report of the Committee on Emphasis, as attached, be adopted.
3. That the proposed budgets of the ARP Center and the Executive Board for 1981, as attached, be adopted.
4. That the General Synod request the Minister and His Work Committee to study the need for a special orientation for new ministers, and make recommendations to the Synod.
5. That the General Synod request the Board of Bonclarken to study the inclusion of accident and health insurance as part of its normal operating procedures.
6. That the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns or another appropriate committee be assigned the task of investigating the matter of the local church's ministry to the aged, and report back to Synod. (Amended.)
7. That the General Synod reconsider its actions with regard to a feasibility study for a separate Board of Trustees for Erskine Theological Seminary. (Deleted.)

C.T. McCants, Moderator
C.R. Beard, Principal Clerk

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD
BUDGET

			PROPOSED	
	1979 ACTUAL	1980 APPROVED	1980 REVISED*	1981
A.R.P. Center	$65,266**	$74,975	$73,975	$81,268
Executive Board				
Travel & Expenses	943	1,500	1,250	1,500
Emphases Committee	—	500	500	600
Officers of Synod				
Principal Clerk Hon. & Exp.	1,600	1,750	1,750	— 0—
Honorarium	—	—	—	600
Expenses	—	—	—	1,500
Reading Clerk Hon. & Exp.	600	650	650	100***
Bill Clerk Honorarium	100	100	100	100
Moderator's Expenses	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Treasurer of Synod				
Salary	6,000	6,420	6,420	7,000
Employer Tax	368	394	394	429
Travel	693	750	750	1,000
Expense Allowance	960	960	960	1,000
Insurance	349	400	400	450
Printing of Minutes of Synod	7,489	7,500	6,500	7,000
Synod Meeting Expense	1,229	800	1,375	1,375

*To be adjusted to conform to Budget approved by Synod.
**Approved Budget for 1979 was $70,718.
***Honorarium only for 1981. Expenses will be paid for Executive Board Travel & Expenses.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER

	1979 ACTUAL	1980 APPROVED	1980 REVISED	PROPOSED 1981 PROPOSED
Director's Salary (E. Hogan)	$18,000	$19,416	$19,416	$21,360
Bookkeeper (Ruth D'Avignon)	8,395	8,902	8,902	9,780
Secretary A	-0-*	7,704	7,704	8,460
Secretary B (Shirley Estes)	6,158	7,650	7,650	8,400
Secretary C	9,529*	6.972	5,840	6,420
Social Security Tax[1]	2,068	3,104	3,104	3,336
Retirement Director	1,440	1,553	1,553	1,709
Employee Insurance	974	1,200	1,200	1,452
Workman's Compensation	176	200	318	318
Equipment Lease and Purchase	1,066	750	2,653	2,829
Equipment Maintenance	2,136	1,875	900	1,000
Telephone	2,154	2,195	2,208	2,208
Postage	1,021	800	1,000	1,000
General Office	4,325	4,665	4,665	5,132
United Parcel Services	148	275	148	150
Rent	6,714	6,714	6,714	6,714
Contingency	964	1,000	- 0 -	1,000
	$65,266	$74,975	$73,975	$81,268

*Temporary Personnel were used $9,529 of $14,055 used.
[1]6.13% of Salary

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER FACILITY

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDING 12-31-79

INCOME

General Synod Rent	$ 11,178.00
Rent From Tenants	26,327.85
Commission on Drink Machine	27.98
Miscellaneous Income	115.51
Interest on Savings	243.60
	$ 37,892.94

EXPENSES

Management Commission & Leasing Fee	$ 2,644.13
Janitorial Service	5,461.80
Ground Maintenance	390.00
Sanitation Service	37.44
Heating, Air Conditioning Service	1,970.00
Electric Utilities	7,028.03
Gas	2,204.12
Water & Sewer	126.00
Sewer Authority	40.92
Taxes on Property	1,903.50
Insurance	405.00
Equipment	246.42
Renovation	2,728.52
Carpet Cleaning	379.48
Special Cleaning for Dedication	297.36
Telephone Inst. for Occupancy	286.25
Snow Removal	55.00

Plumbing Repairs & Service	601.17
Interest to Gen. Synod on Advance	684.13
Extermination Service	60.00
Miscellaneous Painting	450.00
Paper Products for Restrooms	74.57
Other	221.19
	$ 28,295.03
Excess Income Over Expenses	$ 9,597.91

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER FACILITY
BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1979

Assets

Cash in Bank	$ 2,075.68
First Federal Savings and Loan	1,506.80
Accounts Receivable	—0—
	$ 3,582.48

Liabilities

Accounts Payable to General Synod	$ 1,773.24
C. R. Younts Restricted Fund Account	2,150.73
Operating Fund Deficit	(341.49)
	$ 3,582.48

1981
THE MARKS OF A GROWING CHURCH
Philippians 3:14

I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

JANUARY — Mark of Brotherly Love
John 15:12-17

One mark of a Christian, and the most important, is to be a loving person. Jesus told His disciples just before His arrest and crucifixion, "This is my commandment, that ye love one another, as I have loved you." This was not a lofty idea, but a command. As Christians, we are not invited only to love one another. We are commanded to love one another. It is the quality of love in our hearts that authenticates our christianity before the world.

Ways of Growing:

1. Conduct worship services for local nursing homes, hospitals, and prisons.
2. Provide a ministry for senior citizens.
3. Provide a tape ministry to shut-ins.
4. List in the church bulletin the name, address, and telephone number of a shut-in-of-the-week. Church members are asked to pray for the shut-in and in a variety of ways show the church's affection and concern.
5. Provide transportation for those who need it.

FEBRUARY — Mark of Forgiveness
Ephesians 4:32

We can't get right with God unless we first get right with our fellowmen. "Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors." Forgiveness is a two-way street. This is a real stumbling block for many of us. We don't want to forgive. We nurse our grudges until they fester within us and keep our souls from the presence of God. We can't be on good terms with God and yet be strangers to compassion, mercy, and forgiveness for others.

Ways of Growing:

1. Organize a telephone ministry for prayer and to call all of the inactive members whenever the church is having a special service (Communion, revival, Vacation Bible School, Homecoming, etc.)
2. Develop an Undershepherd Program. The leader of each group (probably an Elder) is to pray daily for each member of his group, minister in time of special need, and make an effort to contact those whose continued absence gives him concern.
3. Encourage the members of the congregation to make a list of at least ten people for whom they will pray daily. The list is to include friends, enemies, and those they don't like. Forgive those who have wronged you and ask forgiveness if you have wronged them.

MARCH — Mark of Hospitality
I Peter 4:9

Over and over again the New Testament insists on the Christian duty of hospitality. (Romans 12:13, Hebrews 13:2, I Timothy 3:2, Titus 1:8, I Peter 4:9) We should always remember what was said to those on the right hand: "I was a stranger, and ye took me in," and the condemnation of those on the left hand: "I was a stranger and ye took me not in." A home can never be a happy home when it is a selfish home. Christianity is the religion of the open hand, the open heart, and the open door.

Ways of Growing:

1. Use the bulletin and/or newsletter to introduce new members to the congregation and place their picture on the church bulletin board.
2. Plan a congregational fellowship dinner to recognize new members who joined the church in previous year.
3. Plan ways for new members and prospects to become involved in the life and ministry of the congregation.
4. Provide Prayer Calendars and other devotional aids for members.
5. Buy subscriptions of the Church Magazine for your local library, doctor's waiting room, etc. and give a one-year free subscription to all new members.
6. Have a pictorial church directory published.
7. Plan a visitation program and use denominational brochure and a tape recording with a 15-20 minute summary of the church and program.

APRIL — The Mark of Self Evaluation and Confession
II Corinthians 13:5 RSV

The Apostle Paul gives emphasis to the fact that each Christian must examine and test himself in relationship to Jesus Christ. Only when we bring our innermost thoughts, feelings, and daily conduct before him are we open to receive His total forgiveness. When we accept the new life in Jesus Christ we then know the "Good News" which is not to be buried in the ground but shared. Jesus warned, "Why do you call me 'Lord, Lord', and not do what I tell you." Luke 6:46. A mark of the life lived in obedience to Christ is the sharing of the joy which comes into that life.

Ways of Growing:

1. Hold a study for the congregation in which individuals are led in developing a personal self-evaluation of their lives in comparison to the life of Christ.
2. Encourage families to develop a means of evaluating family attitudes and practices as well as goals and standards in relation to II Corinthians 13:5.
3. Provide a service or series of services with an emphasis on confession and rededication.
4. Establish a visitation program to give training, encouragement, and direction to persons who are ready to visit in the name of Christ.

MAY — The Mark of Prayer
II Corinthians 1:11

There is a means of grace which is open to every Christian in the ministry of evangelism. Each one can pray. In this manner we can each be a part of evangelistic ministries home and abroad. The time spent in prayer could well be the time God uses to

prepare each one personally for the joyous experience of participating in active personal evangelism. Paul makes it an imperative . . "you must help us by prayer."

Ways of Growing:

1. Develop a congregational prayer calendar for the month, with individual members committing themselves to one day when they would pray in behalf of the congregation for:
   (a) the unsaved of the community
   (b) the inactive of the congregation
   (c) the congregation's evangelism ministry
   (d) the pastor and officers of the congregation
   (e) the evangelistic ministry of Church Extension and Foreign Mission leaders and workers

JUNE — The Mark of Unity
Romans 15:5-6

The house divided from within cannot withstand the storms of life. The fragmented army is not ready for battle. Members of the Church of Christ must live in harmony with one another if we are to glorify God. The pagan world stopped and took notice when it was observed that Christians loved each other and all others. The world takes note today of disunity within the church. When we have love for each other and all others, the world will stop and listen — God will be glorified!

Ways of Growing:

1. Hold a special service in which each group within the church (WOC, Sunday School, men, youth, etc.) present the program by outlining what the group (a) has done in the past in evangelism, (b) is presently doing in evangelism, (c) has planned for the next four months in evangelism.
2. Pastors and Sessions are requested to set aside one Sunday Service to emphasize the necessity of all Christians working together in evangelism.
3. Develop a plan in your congregation or working with other congregations of your community to see that each child of your community receives a warm, personal invitation to Bible School.

JULY — Mark of Witness
Acts 1:8

The disciples of Jesus were responsive and responsible people. These disciples were given instruction and they responded in a positive way to Jesus. The Holy Spirit appeared to them and sent them out to serve. This is a key for you and me. We should be responsive to God's will. The four Gospels tell of Jesus' earthly ministry. Now in Acts we see His Spirit at work within the disciples' lives. We can imagine we are watching a two act drama, the crucifixion and resurrection ends Scene I and the ascension begins Scene II. However, in this second part you and I are part of the cast.

Ways of Growing:

1. Study the call of the main characters of the Book of Acts. Notice the way they responded to Jesus, and the way this response affected their personal lives. List the ways you respond to Christ.
2. Invite the director of Church Extension to your congregation and hold a workshop on effective witnessing.
3. Initiate a congregational witness and outreach effort in your community.

AUGUST — Mark of Service
Luke 22:27

Evangelism in the 80's is important. We have the commission to make known God's election of His people. The New Testament Church began in a small area of the Mediterranean World and now Christian Principles are practiced world-wide. The Christian Church has never stopped growing. It is important that our denomination continue in its tradition of sound witness for Christ our Lord. It is important that we realize Christ's presence in our lives. As we feel His Spirit we can be His Servants.

Ways of Growing:

1. Through the bulletin boards, bulletins, and newsletters, share the total ministry of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

2. Conduct a community survey to determine what needs the church might meet and present these needs to the Session as witness service possibilities.
3. Ask the pastor to use this theme in developing sermons for the month.

SEPTEMBER — Love for the World
II Corinthians 5:19

The Kingdom of God knows no limits. This Kingdom is at hand now. (Matt. 3:2) We can rest assured that God is very near and loves us. The scriptures bear witness to this sure fact. We can serve Christ as Lord and build upon our commitment to be evangelistic in this decade. God's presence is with us and we should be aware of the message of reconciliation.

Ways of Growing:

1. Emphasize world outreach and witness throughout church.
2. Conduct a workshop for outreach ministries.
3. Through newsletters, bulletins, and bulletin boards, initiate missionaries of the week emphasis.
4. Through the worship service and youth groups, present the call to Christian service.

OCTOBER — The Marks of Teaching
Colossians 3:16

Our Lord made numerous observations about being perceptive in using the eyes to see and the ears to hear. He added to these observations that one could escape the life of waste and disappointment by not only hearing his words but doing them. The words of Christ are words of commendation, words of correction, words of commission, and words of hope and cheer. The church is called to share these words out of the richness of her life and experience.

Ways of Growing:

1. This month might be used to draw attention to the teaching ministry through the use of a Christian Education Festival or a celebration of Christian Education Week.
2. Initiate special Bible studies through the Church School, youth groups, and small groups.
3. Initiate a series of teacher training events to include individual and group study.
4. Observe Laity Day and include some emphasis on Christian Education by the laity.
5. Emphasize Christian Higher Education throughout the church.

NOVEMBER — Marks of Commitment
Acts 2:46-47

The church described in this passage of the Book of Acts was founded on a commitment to Jesus Christ that involved being a part of the Living Word. The Christian actions of the early church became proclamations to the community. These important factors contributed toward a state of joy and happiness in the church and produced a ministry of sharing in the fellowship of the body of Christ, enabling each member to be more than he or she could have been alone. Each member's unique gift was offered to meet the needs of others and thus was accepted as a source of strength rather than a threat.

Ways of Growing:

1. Use the opportunity at a fellowship supper to emphasize stewardship through total commitment.
2. Conduct an every member stewardship program throughout the church.
3. Conduct an every member talent and leadership survey throughout the church.
4. Conduct a study of the present use of the talent of the laity in the church listing the opportunities of ministry and how these opportunities are being carried out.

DECEMBER — Marks of Joy and Proclamation
Luke 2:10-11

How remarkable is this announcement of the Birth of Christ! The announcement was

made not to Caesar or Herod or the Sanhedrin, but to "certain poor shepherds." The announcement is the key verse of the Christmas Story. His coming has a world redemptive dimension. Jesus was born as Saviour of the World. Christianity is for all men of all times. Jesus understood this redemptive mission and so gave the church the mission of proclaiming his act of love and forgiveness. His coming had a historical dimension as God broke into history at a precise time to be among His people. His coming had a prophetic dimension in that it proclaimed "good tidings of great joy." It is the mission of the church to proclaim this Christ as Lord and Saviour.

Ways of Growing:

1. Emphasize the written word through the Church School and worship services.
2. Emphasize the proper celebration of the Birth of Jesus.
3. Participate in the Synod-Wide Benevolent Offering.
4. Institute a special local congregational outreach offering to meet specific needs in the local setting.
5. Use a planning committee to arrange for the monthly emphasis for the coming year.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. The denominational Bible study for 1983 be the Book of Luke.
2. The Monthly emphasis be implemented in the following ways:
   (a) Monthly articles in the ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN.
   (b) A printed wall poster with widespread distribution to introduce the emphases for the year. (cost $600)
   (c) Presentation in the Plan Book and the Prayer Calendar.
   (d) Appropriate sermons and worship services.
   (e) Use one or more of the "ways of growing" projects.
   (f) Appointment in each church of a committee on emphasis, in November of 1980. This committee is to plan and carry out the 1981 emphasis in the local church. Committee is to consist of pastor, chairmen of session standing committees, president of the Women of the Church and chairman of the Board of Deacons.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented and then postponed until the evening session of business.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PRESBYTERY RECORDS AND REPORTS

The Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports met on June 3, 1980, in Synodical Hall at Bonclarken. Most of the members of the Committee were present.

The Committee considered the work of the Presbyteries as reflected in their Records and Reports. We find that their records are kept in an orderly and appropriate fashion.

We recommend:

1. That the Reports of the Presbyteries be received as information and printed in the **Minutes of Synod.** [See Appendix.]
2. That Presbyteries consider following the example of Mississippi Valley Presbytery and print their minutes in book form whenever feasible.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Publications was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

The report of the Board of Publications to the Synod was read and discussed.

We discovered one item in the body of this report which needs to be changed to reflect accuracy in the name of the secretary of the Board. On page 3 change **Willis** to **Wills.**

Your committee recommends;

1. The adoption of all recommendations submitted by the Board of Publications.
2. In accordance with recommendation #6, we recommend that the chairman of the Board, Dr. R. T. Ruble, be given permission to introduce the new editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian,** Mr. Ben Johnston, and that Mr. Johnston be allowed to address the Synod.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS

The Board of Publications met in September 1979 and in March 1980 to consider and act upon the work committed to it by the General Synod. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Board has enjoyed the cooperation and support of the Rev. Zeb C. Williams, editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian**, and Mr. Ed Hogan, Director of the A.R.P. Center.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee, composed of the officers of the Board, continued to meet between regular Board meetings to oversee various publishing activities.

THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN

With reference to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian**, the Board reports the following significant action:

1. The magazine has approximately 4,700 subscriptions, a decrease from previous levels. Efforts continue to be made to attempt to attract new readers and increase circulation.
2. Labels from the Erskine computer are being used to facilitate mailings, and with earlier deadlines, the magazine now reaches readers earlier.
3. A reader's survey was completed in the fall of 1979. Results will be used to help provide a more readable magazine. A total of 500 subscribers were selected at random by the computer. Responses were received from 125. Their responses gave the Board some indications of what readers prefer.
4. The Board accepted, with regret, the resignation of Editor Zeb C. Williams on March 24, 1980. His letter of resignation stated that he had felt the need to return to the active ministry and had accepted a call from the St. Andrew Church in Gastonia, N.C. The Board immediately set into motion through a Search Committee plans for securing a new editor, and it was expected that this new editor would be employed on June 1, 1980, a month before the Rev. Mr. Williams' resignation becomes effective.
5. The Board supported efforts to secure certain typesetting equipment for the A.R.P. Center. The equipment would be used, among other uses, to set type for the magazine.
6. A potential deficit in the Board's budget was noted, made probable by a drop in subscriptions to the magazine and in the transition from one editor to another. The Board voted to set into motion certain plans seeking to secure more subscriptions, and also to ask the Board of Stewardship to cover any remaining deficit.
7. The Board approved consideration of an Editorial Assistant for **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
8. The Board adopted unanimously a resolution which thanked the Rev. Zeb C. Williams for his work with and dedication to the magazine since he became editor in August, 1975.

OTHER ACTIONS OF THE BOARD

1. **Prayer Calender:** Efforts were begun to determine if the Prayer Calendar could be made more responsive to the Christian Year or seasonal emphasis.
2. **Certificates:** New certificates to be used at the discretion of churches were authorized for printing. They carry the verbiage authorized by previous Synods.
3. **Bible Songs Reprints:** The Board has recommended the addition of certain responsive reading selections to be added to the reprints of the Bible Songs. The Board also ordered that a 32-page supplement be made available to owners of the older books, so that they may have access to the new readings.

4. The Board adopted a recommendation of its Associate Reformed Presbyterian committee that the Hymn of the Month be placed in the **Plan Book** in the future.
5. Election of Officers for July 1, 1980-June 30, 1981:
   Chairman: Charles R. Sanders, Jr.
   Vice Chairman: Bob DeWitt
   Secretary: Betty Wills

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Synod continue the first Sabbath in November as "The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Day," and that special emphasis on subscriptions be given from October 1 through November. Further, that Synod again call for special prayer to be offered in each Church on that date for the editor, the administrative staff at the Center who provide support, and the Board.
2. That each Session which has not already done so, appoint an agent to handle subscriptions to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
3. That the Bible Songs be revised to the extent necessary to accomplish the following:
   a. To incorporate up to 32 additional Responsive Readings (KJV)

Psalm 100:1-5 with Psalm 122	Luke 1:46-55 (Magnificat)
Psalm 103	Luke 1:68-79 (Benedictus)
Psalm 121:1-8 with Psalm 125	Luke 2:29-32 (Nunc Dimittis)
Psalm 139:1-12, 23, 24	Luke 10:25-37
Psalm 145:1-21	Luke 15:11-32
Isaiah 9:2-7	Rom. 5:1-11
Isaiah 11:1-9	Rom. 8:1-6, 14-18
Isaiah 40:1-11, 27-31	Rom. 12:1-5, 9-21
Isaiah 53:1-12	Eph. 1:3-14
Micah 4:1-6; 6:6-8	Eph. 6:10-18
Matt. 5:3-16	Gal. 5:16-26
Matt. 6:19-34	I John 4:7-21
Matt. 7:1-12	Heb. 4:12-16
Matt. 7:13-27	Heb. 11 (Selected Verses)
Matt. 28:1-20	Luke 10:30-37
Mark 10:17-30, 35-45	Rev. 21:1-7, 22-27; 22:1-5

   b. To include a first line index
   c. To include an alphabetical listing of tunes, with numbers
   d. To eliminate Section Headings

   Further, that the revised section be made available to purchase by owners of the older books.
4. That the Board's budget as submitted be approved. Adjustments as required by changes in the printing contract or in the number of subscriptions or other unforeseen changes will be coordinated with the Board of Stewardship.
5. That all other actions of the Board reported herein be sustained.
6. The Board requests time to introduce the new Editor and have a brief statement made.

Respectfully,
R.T. Ruble, Chairman
Charles R. Sanders, Jr., Secretary

BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS

	1981 Proposed
Board Travel and Expenses	$ 1,500.00
Plan Book	1,760.00
Prayer Calendar	1,750.00
	$ 5,010.00
The ARP	
Editor's Salary	$21,230.00
Editor's Housing	incl. in sal
Editor's Travel & Expense	1,500.00
Editor's Insurance	1,072.00
Editor's Retirement	1,698.00
	$25,500.00
Printing & Publishing of Magazine	$27,120.00
Labels and Postage	2,000.00
	$29,120.00
Materials and Supplies	$ 1,000.00
Office Expense	850.00
Rent	1,020.00
Contingency	500.00
	$ 3,370.00
Refunds	$ -0-
Sub-Totals for ARP	$57,990.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	$63,000.00

	1981 Proposed
Synod Support	
The ARP	$22,240.00
Board Travel	1,500.00
Plan Book	510.00
Subscriptions — ARP	35,250.00
Sale of Material	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
	$63,000.00

Mr. Ben Johnston, the new Editor of **THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN**, was introduced and addressed the Synod. Mr. Ruble expressed words of appreciation to Mr. Zeb Williams, the outgoing Editor, and Synod stood in recognition of Mr. Williams.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Stewardship was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON STEWARDSHIP

Synod's Moderator's Committee on Stewardship met Tuesday, June 3, 1980 at 1:30 P.M. in Draffin Hall.

The Reverend H.C. White, Chairman, opened the meeting with prayer. The Reverend W.L. Barron served as secretary and Ruling Elder R.M. Culvern served as vice-chairman.

Actions taken by the committee:

1. We commend the Board of Stewardship for their fine work and for the new format of presenting the budget. This new format helps in the understanding of the budget.
2. We recommend that the report of the Board of Stewardship be received as information.
3. We recommend that the Auditor's Report be received as information.
4. We recommend that the recommendations of the Board of Stewardship be approved.
5. We recommend that the report of the Treasurer of Synod's funds for the year 1979 be received as information, with the correction on line 3 of $596,842.19 instead of $130,740.66.

The meeting was closed in prayer by ruling elder L.M. Draffin.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP TO THE GENERAL SYNOD

The Board of Stewardship held four meetings since the last meeting of Synod: on September 21, January 18, and April 18 at the Center in Greenville, S.C., and June 2, 1980 at Synod. Actions of the Board are reported herein as information to the General Synod.

BUDGETS

The budget for 1980 in the amount of $661,189 from Unrestricted Synod Income which was adopted by the General Synod in 1979 has remained without alteration as the operating budget for 1980. Voluntary Commitments have been more than adequate to underwrite the budget. In fact the response of our churches to our urgent appeal to increase voluntary commitments has been tremendous. For a number of years the annual increase in voluntary commitments has been about $20,000. The increase for 1980 over 1979 appears to be approximately $58,000.

The Board of Stewardship realized by January of this year that more resources were going to be available for our church's ministry than we had anticipated. The principal boards were contacted to ask for specific projects which would be undertaken if additional funds were available, knowing that the needs of the Boards were always greater than the funds available. At the April meeting of the Board, a close review of the anticipated unrestricted income of Synod for 1980 seemed to indicate that the increased voluntary commitments, the support from the ARP Foundation, and the unused budget funds from 1979 would make $62,850 available in additional funds over the budget. The Board decided to add $12,850 to the contingency fund of Synod and allocate the remaining $50,000 among the principal boards. The fairest allocation seemed to be to divide the funds among the boards according to each board's relationship to the other boards in Synod's adopted budget. The allocation was as follows:

Bonclarken (8.29%)	$ 4,145
Christian Education (9.03%)	4,315
Church Extension (25.65%)	12,815
Erskine (22.80%)	11,400
Publications (3.85%)	1,925
World Witness (30.38%)	15,190

These supplemental funds will be paid after July 1 and at such time as the funds are available.

We are grateful to God for this evidence of the renewed interest of our people in providing the resources to promote the ministry of the church. As a result of this generous support, the boards of the church will be able to undertake a number of projects that would not have been possible otherwise. World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, will be able to help the Nancy Fulwood Hospital in Pakistan in a substantial

way to pay their vastly increased utility bills. The Board of Church Extension will be able to employ a Synod Mission Advisor six months earlier than previously planned. Erskine College will be able to pay for half of the cost of installing lights in the mall area of the campus. Bonclarken will be able to make necessary repairs to the Chapel and Swiss Cottage. New visual aids and materials for more effective work with the youth of the church will be provided for the Board of Christian Education. At a critical time for the Board of Publications, when additional costs are involved in the change of editorship, these funds will help meet these expected expenses.

On Tuesday morning at Synod we will be presenting the proposed budget for 1981 to the General Synod. You will note a slight change in format. Our intention is to emphasize that the budget being adopted is based on Synod's unrestricted income. Other anticipated income from both Synod and non-Synod sources is shown to give a picture of the total resources involved in the ministry of the denomination at the Synod level.

The anticipated unrestricted income for 1981 is $754,205 with $701,955 of this to come from voluntary commitments. The requests from the Boards and Committees amounted to $849,604. The expenditure budget is balanced with income at $754,205. The Stewardship Board's Budget Committee met on March 28 and heard the requests from the boards and committees that wished to make personal presentations, and met again on April 17 to finalize a budget to present to the Board. The full Board met on April 18 to review and act on the proposed budget. The Board was impressed with the sincerity and urgency of each request for funds. It was obvious that our boards are working diligently to promote the work of Christ's Kingdom. This made it even more difficult to have to reduce the requests to figures within our anticipated income. There are no significant deviations in the 1981 budget in the percentage allocations as approved by the 1979 Synod for 1980, except where the request resulted in a decrease in percentage level.

It may be of some interest to see that the anticipated total income for the ministry of our denomination at the Synod level for 1981 is $7,002,784.

COMMITMENTS

The very pleasing progress which has been made in the voluntary commitment program for 1980 has resulted from some very earnest efforts on the part of your Stewardship Board and the presbytery committees to better inform our people of the need to increase their voluntary commitments if our boards and committees are to have the resources needed to promote the work. An effort was made to explain the ways in which the funds would be used by the boards and committees. Many sessions and diaconates needed help in determining the percentage of their general funds represented by their voluntary commitment. We could hope that the Committee on Lay Ministry might work with the Board of Stewardship so that there might be greater emphasis on educating our people concerning the programs of the denomination and the challenges that are there if adequate resources are made available.

In October the Board worked through the presbytery committees in promoting voluntary commitments for 1980. The chairman wrote to the session and diaconate of each congregation urging that the program of the denomination be supported by following the adopted policy of Synod on voluntary commitments. Members of the Board spoke at Presbytery meetings, and at other opportunities when invited. A Second Presbytery workshop on Stewardship for pastors, clerks of sessions, chairmen of diaconates, and Spiritual Life Secretaries of the Women of the Church was held at Erskine College. The chairman of the Board spoke on the stewardship program at the meeting of the men's organization of the churches of the Atlanta area.

The increase in voluntary commitments from 1979 to 1980 (as of April 18, 1980) was $58,095 or an increase from $594,229 to $652,324. The overall percentage for the Synod (as a percentage of the 1978 unrestricted general fund) was 13.37 for 1980 as compared with a 13.13 for 1979. Twenty-six churches have pledged at or above the 20% level and seventeen churches which are not at 20% moved up the three percentage points as requested. We highly commend these churches. Overall, ninety-nine churches increased their dollar amount, five churches decreased the amount, and forty-two churches remained at the same dollar level of giving. Thirteen churches have not submitted a pledge for 1980. The Chairman wrote a letter of appreciation to all of the churches that met the 20% level or that followed the Synod plan of increasing three percentage points. The Secretary of the Board wrote a letter of thanks to the other churches that increased the dollar amount.

INVESTMENTS

The investment of permanent funds and temporary funds by the Treasurer with advice from the Investment Committee of the Board has been handled with great care and expertise. At a time of high interest rates, the Treasurer has maximized the income from investments. We wish to commend Mr. W.M. Kennedy, Treasurer, for his very dedicated and capable service.

OTHER

The Board of Stewardship has reviewed the audit report for the year ending December 31, 1979 as prepared by Deloitte, Haskins & Sells, C.P.A., Greenville, S.C. and find it in order. A copy is attached and made part of this report.

REAL PROPERTY

The Board executed a non-warranty deed from the Board of Stewardship to the Westminster Church of Winston-Salem, N.C. for the manse in order that it might be sold by the church.

The Board also granted a quitclaim deed for a small tract of land in Rock Hill, S.C. deeding the property to a Mr. and Mrs. Shelly for $600. Net proceeds of the sale will be turned over to the Board of Church Extension to be added to their Building Fund.

The Board approved the granting of a quitclaim deed for the Wildhurst A.R.P. Church to the Wildhurst Trustees, Roanoke, Virginia.

The Board adopted a policy whereby churches will be asked to bear the expenses of securing deeds to property held by the Board.

INSURANCE

The Executive Board asked the Board of Stewardship to investigate the possibility of securing insurance for church properties through some kind of cooperative program. After much study, the Board decided that a self insurance program was not feasible for our denomination, but perhaps a voluntary plan by which each church or agency could consider whether it wished to join with a much larger pool of churches might be made available. The Board of Stewardship has arranged with Market-Dyne, International for its agency representatives to present their "TEAM-UP" program of insurance and loss control to the churches of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod. A local agent will call on each congregation's diaconate to explain what is available. Each church can decide if the program has any advantage for it by reduced premiums, better coverage, etc. Everything is voluntary, but each church would be wise to give the plan consideration.

GENERAL

The Board wishes to note with appreciation that the Board of World Witness has reported to the Board of Stewardship that an audit of all Pakistan mission accounts has been made by an outside auditor and that the hospital accounts are audited annually by certified public accountants.

Upon the request from the Board of World Witness, the Board of Stewardship has applied for membership in the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability. The approval of this organization indicates to donors that the funds will be handled properly as requested by the donors.

The Stewardship Board approved a request of the Board of World Witness that some of their reserve funds be used to pay off the loan at Banker's Trust which was made to pay for the Volkart property in Pakistan. The Board of World Witness would pay back the funds as gifts are received for the Volkart property and pay an interest rate which is 3% below the prime rate.

The Board of Stewardship approved funds to a maximum of $75,000 to cover publication of six volumes for the Bicentennial, with the proceeds of all sales to be returned to the General Synod. The "Set of Six" was to be offered for $56.00 through the meeting of Synod 1980. Thereafter the cost would be $60.00. Individual copies would be sold later at a slightly higher rate.

In response to a study prepared by the Principal Clerk of Synod, the Board recommends to the Synod that the matter of disposition of church property upon the withdrawal or dissolution of a congregation be referred to the Ecclesiastical Commis-

sion on Judiciary Affairs for study to determine if the **Form of Government** needs to be clarified.

The Board of Stewardship has used part of the unrestricted gift from the Lake Wales Church Foundation to develop the computer and communications capability at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The development of this capability has allowed Erskine to upgrade its computer section and to provide the capability of supporting the denominations use of the Erskine computer.

The ARP Foundation, Inc. has agreed to provide $2,500 for the General Synod to purchase equipment which will further improve the communications capabilities of the Center.

A request will be made to presbyteries to have presbytery treasurers report funds contributed to ministries in the presbyteries. This could be included in the audit merely as information so that there would be some record of this outreach.

During the year a special committee from the Board met with representatives from the Board of World Witness to discuss budget control and allocation problems. Similar meetings with other major Boards are planned to see if some better guidelines may result as to how certain budget procedures might be improved.

The Board of Stewardship accepted from the Trustees of the Lillian Home investment responsibility for a $76,000 bequest, the income from which is to be used to maintain the Lillian Home.

Special words of appreciation were made to Mr. Ed Hogan for his excellent assistance to the Board of Stewardship.

The new officers elected for the year July 1, 1980-June 30, 1981 are as follows:

Chairman:	John L. Carson
Vice Chairman:	Charles Edgar
Secretary:	Ed Hogan

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the actions of the Board of Stewardship, as contained in its report, be sustained by the General Synod.
2. That the Treasurer's books be audited by Deloitte, Haskin & Sells, C.P.A., Greenville, S.C. as soon as possible after the close of the year December 31, 1980.
3. That the following Special offerings be authorized for 1981:

   January — for Bonclarken
   March — for Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation
   April — (Easter) — World Witness — One Great Hour of Sharing
   May — (Mother's Day) — for Erskine College
   September — for Erskine Theological Seminary
   October — (World Wide Commmunion) for American Bible Society
   November — (Thanksgiving) — Opportunity Fund for Church Extension
   December — Christmas Benevolent Offering for Board of Annuities and Relief.

   Further, that the month of February be set aside in 1981 for presbytery and local church special offerings.
4. That every congregation prayerfully consider its primary denominational support to be through Voluntary Commitment to nurture the church's total mission and then to support special causes of its choice. This is in keeping with the adopted principle that solicitations for special causes be made expressly as over and above the congregation's voluntary commitment.
5. That the month of October be designated "Voluntary Commitment Month."
   (a) That the Committee on Stewardship of each presbytery be requested to join with this Board in promoting total stewardship of time, talent, and substance for the promotion of the Lord's work.
   (b) That the officers of each congregation be asked to prayerfully consider the support it should give to the denomination and seriously try to follow the adopted program of Synod.
   (c) That the ultimate goal be re-emphasized that the volunary commitment for 1981 by each congregation be an amount equal to 20% of the General Funds given in 1979, (Minutes of Synod-1980), or an increase of at least **three percentage points** (not 3%) over the previous year so as to arrive over a

period of years to the 20% level.

6. That Synod approve the mileage rate of 18¢ per mile effective July 1, 1980 for employees of Synod and members of boards and committees.
7. That a registration fee of $5.00 be charged in 1981 to each elder representative and minister to cover the cost of the 1981 meeting of Synod. Failure to pay the fee will **not** prevent the elder or minister from being enrolled at Synod.
8. That the matter of disposition of church property upon the withdrawal or dissolution of a congregation be referred to the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs for study to determine if the **Form of Government** needs to be clarified.
9. That the Board of Stewardship be granted the authority to prepare a final budget for 1981 following receipt of the voluntary commitments from the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
C.H. Carlisle, Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on World Witness, Board of Foreign Missions, was presented item by item. Recommendations 1-5 were adopted and the report was adopted as a whole.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE, WORLD WITNESS, BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Committee met and a quorum was declared. The meeting was opened in prayer led by the chairman. Also present were Mr. John Mariner and Dr. E. Reynolds Young.

The committee made the following recommendations:

1. That recommendation Nos. 1-6 of the Board Report be adopted as presented.
2. That recommendation No. 7 be amended and adopted as follows: "That the Moderator of the General Synod appoint a special committee **at least half of which shall be ordained present or former missionaries** to draft a position paper "The Biblical Basis of Missions" to be considered by the 1981 meeting of General Synod to guide the Board of World Witness in its future goals and operations. The special committee appointed is to be directed to consult with World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, in its work."
3. That recommendation No. 8, the Comprehensive Budget of the Board Report, be adopted as amended by Synod's Report of the Board of Stewardship as adopted by Synod.
4. That the General Synod express its appreciation to the Board and its employees.
5. Upon adoption of the Moderator's Committee Report, the Synod have prayer for Dr. and Mrs. E. Gettys, Mrs. Janet White, Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Halliday, and Dr. Helen Sharp, with praise for the life and ministry of Dr. Janet Alexander.

REPORT OF WORLD WITNESS: THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Introduction

Matthew 24:9-14

> "Then they will deliver you up to tribulation, and put you to death; and you will be hated by all nations for my name's sake. And then many will fall away, and betray one another, and hate one another. And many false prophets will arise and lead many astray. And because wickedness is multiplied, most men's love will grow cold. But he who endures to the end will be saved. **And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached throughout the whole world, as a testimony to all nations; and then the end will come.**"

World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, gives thanks and praise to our Lord and God for His continued blessing on the work He is doing through our Board and its representatives overseas and for His protection of our workers in a world that is torn by economic and civil strife. We give to God the honor and glory for the many who have come to know Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour during this past year.

The Board of World Witness has held three regularly scheduled meetings during the year, and the various committees of the Board have met as required for continuity in

the work. During the meetings, the business of the Board was conducted and a prayerful concern was exercised for all of our missionaries and national workers.

The Board of World Witness recognizes with appreciation the significant encouragement and financial support received from The General Synod, A.R.P. Churches, the Woman's Synodical Union, and individuals during the past year. Volunteers from the Greenville A.R.P. Churches have been a tremendous help in preparing the **Prayer Warrior** for mailing.

The scriptural mandate to carry the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all the peoples of the world and to make disciples is still in effect, and our A.R.P. church has a distinctive role to play in the evangelization of both the southeastern United States and also the world. 2.9 billion people have never heard the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the first time, and many of these people are to be found in Mexico and Pakistan. The scope for our work and our responsibility to these people is ever increasing. Our mandate must include cooperation with our national brothers and sisters in Christ, wherever they may be found, as equal partners in God's work.

The Fields

Mexico

1979 was the Centennial year of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of Mexico. This event was celebrated through Mexico by a series of significant events: The Erskine Choraleers visited Mexico in the spring of 1979; A group of Mexican young people toured the General Synod in June of 1979 presenting the historical drama of the development of the Mexican Church entitled "How Great Thou Art"; During the summer members of the Gastonia First Church met representatives of the Mexican Synod at the border of Mexico and Texas, and a torch was run from the border to Mante and then to each of the churches of the Synod of Mexico; While the torch was at each of the churches, special evangelistic meetings were held; A Centennial Choir of the Synod of Mexico toured the churches; and in December, a week of celebration was held in Tampico which was attended by the Moderator of the General Synod and representatives of World Witness.

No new programs have been begun in the Mexican Mission since the last meeting of the General Synod in 1979. The existing programs, however, have been carried out and strengthened, and we praised God for the fruit evident from these ministries.

During the past year, the Covone Family has been on furlough in the United States, the Coads have been engaged in language study and will be commissioned at this 1980 meeting of the General Synod, Mrs. Sarah Pressly has served as Mission Treasurer during the absence of the Covones in Valles, and the Boyce Wilsons, the Ron Brunsons, and the Rodriguezes have continued their ministry. Several short-term personnel assisted during the year, including Miss Laura Jean Telgen and Mr. Robert Dorren. No new career missionaries were appointed for Mexico during the year. Miss Janice Kok was appointed as a one-year short-term missionary effective May 1980.

The opportunities for evangelistic ministry in Mexico continue to be limitless. It is our prayerful desire to strategically strengthen the programs of our Mexican Mission which are bearing fruit, and to institute new programs where the leading of the Holy Spirit is evident. It is projected that during the next year that the dormitories in Valles for school children will be converted into a laymen's Bible school for the Huastecan people. This will be done in a phased program and, because the same facilities will be used, it is projected that no large capital investment will be required.

Pakistan

The past year has been a year of political and civil upheaval in Pakistan. The government of Pakistan has done a credible job in maintaining law and order, and no difficulties have faced our missionaries which would affect their safety or work within that country. It is interesting to note that within the month of March Afghani refugees began to arrive in the Sahiwal area. Such people movements continue to present new opportunities for witness and service.

Both in Mexico and Pakistan, the past year has been a year of high inflation. This has had a drastic affect on the work in terms of the locally purchased supplies for Nancy Fulwood Hospital, printed material for the Bible Correspondence School, and salaries of workers. Most significantly, the electric tariff rate for Nancy Fulwood Hospital has

been increased by a factor of more than 5 and this has presented serious financial problems to the hospital.

During the past year, the Missionary TECH Team has continued to assist us with development plans for the orthopedic program and general development of Nancy Fulwood Hospital. Master plans have now been prepared and it is hoped that we will be able to implement these plans immediately.

During the past year, the financial accounts of the Mission in Pakistan were audited by an independent missionary auditor. A report has been submitted to the Treasurer of Synod's Funds.

Since the last meeting of The General Synod in 1979, one missionary couple has been appointed as candidates for career service in Pakistan, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lotze. The Lotzes are members of the Lake Wales A.R.P. Church in Florida, and are currently enrolled in a course of study at Erskine Theological Seminary. Candidates appointed previous to the 1979 meeting of General Synod, Dr. and Mrs. David Harding, Reverend and Mrs. Gary Letchworth, and Miss Melanie Heflin, have gone to Pakistan and are now enrolled in language study. Miss Christina Franks has been appointed as a one-year short-term missionary commencing May 1980 to teach in the Nancy Fulwood Hospital School of Nursing.

During the past year, significant numbers of people have come to know Jesus Christ as their personal saviour through the ministry of the Pakistan Mission, the annual Sahiwal convention, the Bible Correspondence School, and other programs. We praise God for the many broken bodies which have been healed at Nancy Fulwood Hospital and who have heard the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the first time.

The tasks facing our missionaries are enormous. During the past year, the Reverend George McBane has been the only A.R.P. male missionary on the field. Because of this he has faced many additional responsibilities. In the past there have been five and six male A.R.P. missionaries to help and share the work.

Dr. Margaret White, Miss Dorothy Dagenhart, and Miss Ethelda Hanna have continued their work in Pakistan during this past year. It has been many years since we have had so few A.R.P. missionaries on the field.

We were blessed of God in this crucial period to have associate missionaries assisting us in the work, including Miss Wenny Lekardal, Mr. and Mrs. Joop Neve, Dr. and Mrs. Theo Pas, Dr. and Mrs. Jaap Bouman, Miss Jannie Rietsma, and Dr. Susan McCollum, who is now in language study.

It is interesting to note that in 1969 there was a total of 29 A.R.P. Missionaries on both fields, and in 1979 there was a total of 17 A.R.P. Missionaries including Reverend and Mrs. Coad who are in language study.

The Board of World Witness

During the past year, the Board of World Witness has held three regularly scheduled meetings, having converted at the request of the Executive Committee from a four-meeting schedule. During the year, the Executive Secretary has spoken at local church meetings, held workshops on "setting the mission's identity and organizing a missions program in the local church," visited college campuses, and, in general, has promoted the work of tne Board. The Executive Secretary has also visited the fields to counsel with the missionaries, evaluate current programs, meet representatives of the Synods of Mexico and Pakistan in furtherance of our policy of open communication and coordination of our work and has attended the annual business meetings of the missions.

The Executive Secretary continues to serve on the Islamic subcommittee of the EFMA.

At a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board, the terms of service for the chairmen, vice-chairmen, and committee chairmen were revised to correspond with the dates of election to the Board by General Synod: that is, July 1 through June 30.

Dr. L.M. Allison has been elected as Chairman of the Board of World Witness and Mr. Jack Alexander as Vice-Chairman of the Board of World Witness for the term of office commencing July 1, 1980.

At the June 1979 meeting of the Board of World Witness, a joint session was held with the Board of Church Extension. The Reverend Don Bjork, Director of North American Ministries of World Team, presented the need for cross-cultural ministry in North America.

It will be of interest to the General Synod that the Board also has appointed a com-

mittee of the ordained members of the Board to prepare a paper on "Theology of Missions." The Board also instituted, at the recommendation of Synod's Committee of Annuities and Relief, a program of long-term disability insurance for World Witness employees.

In February 1980, the Fourth Annual Foreign Missions Conference was held at Erskine Seminary, with Dr. Pablo Perez as the speaker. World Witness co-sponsors this event with the Erskine Theological Seminary.

The Proposed Budget of World Witness for the 1981 calendar year is shown on the following pages:

1981 BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS BUDGET

Budgeted Income		
Voluntary Commitments		$260,015
Interest Income		
Restricted Funds	$ 4,000	
Harper Mem. Fund	1,000	5,000
General Specials		
WSU (anticipated)	20,000	
Churches and Individuals	11,000	31,000
Direct Support		
ARP Churches	238,085	
WSU (anticipated)	24,290	
Other	3,000	265,375
Special Offerings		
One Great Hour of Sharing		25,000
Restricted Specials		
WSU (anticipated)	31,000	
Churches & Individuals	93,000	124,000
TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME		$710,390
Expense Summary		
Synod Budget		$296,015
Direct Support		265,375
Other budgeted expense		149,000
Reserve Funds		—0—
		$710,390

SYNOD BUDGET

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
I. MEXICO			
A. Salaries			
1. R. L. Brunson		$ 11,050	$ 11,050
2. P. G. Covone		12,750	12,750
3. D. Rodriquez		10,950	10,950
4. R. B. Wilson		10,250	10,250
5. J. A. Coad		9,850	9,850
6. Sarah Pressly		7,325	7,325
7. New Single		5,875	5,875
B. Child Allowance			
1. R. L. Brunson		2,400	2,400
2. P. G. Covone		1,500	1,500
3. R. B. Wilson		1,100	1,100

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
C. Maintenance & Rent			
1. Valles Mission Home	780	1,300	2,080
2. Sara Flores Home	660		660
3. Janie Love Home	660		660
4. N. E. Pressly Clinic	4,550		4,550
5. Nurses Home	3,450		3,450
6. Rio Verde Mission Home	780	1,300	2,080
7. Rio Verde Students Home	1,770		1,770
8. Rio Verde Camp Building	330		330
9. Taxes, Tamsan	1,200		1,200
10. Rent—R. B. Wilson	800	2,600	3,400
11. Rent—J. A. Coad	1,300	1,300	2,600
12. Rent—New Single		1,300	1,300
D. Itineration			
1. All Fields	650	7,200	8,000
E. Car Insurance & Taxes			
1. R. L. Brunson		350	350
2. P. G. Covone		350	350
3. R. B. Wilson		350	350
4. J. A. Coad		350	350
5. New Single		350	350
6. Sarah Pressly		350	350
F. Work and Workers			
1. White Cross, 3 Districts			5,500
2. Workers, Rio Verde District	10,300		11,300
3. Workers, Tampico District	9,300		10,300
4. Workers, Valles	14,500		17,500
5. Itineration, Workers			1,550
6. Christian Education Team	5,900		5,900
G. Neill E. Pressly Clinic			
1. All expenses			391,000*
H. J. L. Pressly Dispensary			
1. All expenses			2,000
I. Huastecan Clinic			
1. All expenses			8,000
J. Education			
1. Seminary			5,750*
2. Training lay workers	550		550
3. Primary Boys	2,300		3,350
4. Primary Girls	2,300		3,350
5. House mother, boys	1,230		1,350
6. House mother, girls	1,230		1,350
7. High School students	2,500		3,500
8. Preparatory students	1,300		2,300
9. Normal School students	1,900		2,900
10. College students	750		1,750
11. Nursing students	750		1,750
12. Medical students	1,200		1,200
13. Bible Correspondence School	2,000		5,500
14. Book Store	1,500		6,000*
15. Rio Verde Conference Center	6,000		100,000*
K. General			
1. Administration	950		950

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
2. Legal Matters	1,100		1,100
3. Pensions, Retired Workers	3,350		3,350
4. Institutes	750		750
5. Village Clinics			4,000
6. Summer Camps	4,000		20,000*
7. Camp Secretary	1,650		1,650
8. Telephones	1,900		1,900
9. School fees, Brunson		800	800
10. Scholarships, Covone		1,500	1,500
11. Radio & TV	2,000		3,000
12. Clerk/Bookkeeper			1,500
13. School fees, Wilson		600	600
14. Rio Verde Social Security	660		660
L. Mexican Synod			
Subsidy to Synod (subsidy is also included in other items above)			
MEXICO TOTAL	$98,800	$93,050	$741,840
II. NEW FIELD	10,000		35,000
III. PAKISTAN			
A. Salaries			
1. George McBane		10,750	10,750
2. D. Harding		9,850	9,850
3. D. E. Dagenhart		7,525	7,525
4. M. E. White		7,175	7,175
5. F. E. Hanna		7,125	7,125
6. Melanie Heflin		5,875	5,875
7. G. Letchworth		9,850	9,850
8. K. Lotze		9,850	9,850
9. New Single		5,875	5,875
B. Child Allowance			
1. D. Harding		300	300
2. G. Letchworth		2,000	2,000
3. K. Lotze		300	300
C. Upkeep			
1. Bahar Afshan House		750	950
2. Bahar Afshan Quarters		300	650
3. Knox Home House		500	700
4. Knox Home Quarters		550	850
5. Ladies House		550	750
6. Ladies House Quarters		450	550
7. Hospital	2,500		9,500*
8. Knox Home		450	750
9. Chichiwatni	200	400	1,000
10. Chichiwatni House Quarters		300	350
11. Chichiwatni Watchman		550	550
12. Ladies House Watchman		550	550
13. Knox Home Watchman		550	550
14. Bahar Afshan Watchman		550	550
15. New Bungalow		550	550
16. New Bungalow Watchman		550	550
17. Karachi House		1,000	1,000
18. Volkart House		650	1,000
19. Rental Housing		2,500	2,500

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
D. Taxes			
1. Land and Water	100		100
2. Property	1,200		1,200
3. Car Insurance		3,150	3,150
E. Itineration			
1. General		7,000	7,000
2. Ambulance, Hospital		2,100	2,100
3. Karachi		1,700	1,700
F. Work and Workers			
1. General	350		350
2. Church Extension	1,870		1,870
G. Bible Teacher and Chaplain	1,000		1,000
H. Institutions			
1. Nancy Fulwood Hospital	28,000		420,000*
2. Replacement of Equipment	4,000		4,000
3. MLP School Hostel	1,500		15,500
4. Sahiwal Primary School	1,300		1,300
5. 357 Primary School	800		800
6. Knox Home Hostel	1,650		2,500
7. College Girls Hostel	1,800		2,500
8. Karachi Schools	1,800		1,800
9. Orthopedic Program Develop.			100,000*
I. General			
1. Christian Literature	300		300
2. Office Expense	3,000		3,300
3. Language School	1,200		1,200
4. Murree School		800	800
5. Seminary Affiliation	2,000		2,000
6. Adult Literacy	16,000		25,000
7. United Bible Training Cen.	100		100
8. Lay Training School	600		2,000
9. Converts Fund	200		200
10. District Medical Fund	350		350
11. Seminary Scholarships	600		600
12. College Scholarships	900		1,800
13. Teacher Training Sch.	700		1,400
14. Tech. Training Sch.	700		1,400
15. EDA Program	600		5,000
16. Major Repairs	4,000		20,000
17. Christian Development	2,000		2,000
18. Bahwalpur Workers	4,400		4,400
19. Bible Correspondence School	8,000		15,000
20. CTTC	150		150
21. Agriculture	1,500		1,500
22. Bible Teachers	1,000		3,000
23. Volkart House Purchase			30,000
J. Synod			
1. Synod Subsidy	3,650		15,000
2. Retirement	1,650		1,650
PAKISTAN TOTAL	$101,670	$102,925	$805,345

Item	Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Total (Including Specials & Field Generated Funds)
IV. BOARD			
A. Personnel			
1. Blue Cross/Blue Shield		12,150	12,150
2. Retirement		13,165	13,165
3. Social Security		4,755	4,755
4. Synod Benefits		3,980	3,980
B. Executive Secretary			
1. Salary	21,285		21,285
2. Retirement (8%)	1,705		1,705
3. Social Security (6.65)	1,415		1,415
4. Synod Benefits	200		200
5. Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1,010		1,010
C. Office Expense			
1. Administrative Assistant	12,000 (max. incl. fringe ben.)		12,000
2. Secretary	3,000		3,000
3. Printing	8,000		8,000
4. Telephone, postage, teleg.	7,000		7,000
5. Rent	1,130		1,130
D. General			
1. Board Travel	6,500		6,500
2. Secretary Travel	6,300		6,300
3. One Great Hour			25,000
4. Contingent	9,000		9,000
5. Bonclarken Cottage	500		500
6. Lillian Home	1,500		1,500
7. Car Depreciation		22,500	22,500
8. Missionary Travel		12,850	12,850
9. Bi-Centennial	5,000		5,000
BOARD TOTAL	$ 85,545	$ 69,400	$179,945
SUMMARY			
NEW FIELD	10,000		35,000
MEXICO	98,800	93,050	741,840
PAKISTAN	101,670	102,925	805,345
BOARD	85,545	69,400	179,945
TOTAL	$296,015	$265,375	$1,762,130
Other Budgeted Expense			
A. Mexico			
1. One Great Hour Specials	12,500		
2. Specials	62,000		
B. Pakistan			
1. One Great Hour Specials	12,500		
2. Specials	62,000		
TOTAL	$149,000		

NOTE: * Items so marked include Field Generated Funds

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Report of World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, be adopted and printed in the Minutes of Synod.
2. That the General Synod continue to remember retired A.R.P. missionaries with prayer, notably: Dr. and Mrs. E. Gettys, Mrs. Janet White, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Halliday, Dr. Helen Sharp.
3. That the General Synod remember with prayer, praise and thanksgiving the life and ministry of Dr. Janet Alexander.
4. That the general interest of the denomination in the work of foreign missions be encouraged by continuing emphasis in presbyteries, conferences, youth conferences, and publications; and that pastors and elders prayerfully challenge members of their local congregations to consider missionary service.
5. That a PILOT PROJECT be established jointly by Synod's Board of Church Extension and World Witness combining the resources of those two organizations in the area of evangelism and church planting among ethnic people in the United States.

   Goal: To determine the feasibility and need of cross-cultural evangelism and church planting in the United States and specifically in the Southeast.

   Responsibility: A joint task force composed of at least three representatives from the Board of Church Extension and three representatives from the Board of World Witness will be established to supervise, with reference to their respective boards, the work of the pilot project.

   Concepts: The pilot project will conduct a survey of all Associate Reformed Presbyterian Churches to determine the nature, background, and size of all ethnic groups within their area of ministry. The maximum duration for the pilot project will be limited to two years from the inception of its work.

6. That the Board of World Witness seek the guidance of the General Synod through the Board of Stewardship and Finance concerning appropriate means to respond in a timely manner to international crises such as have occurred in Cambodia and Afghanistan.
7. That the Moderator of General Synod appoint a special committee to draft a position paper "The Biblical Basis of Missions" to be considered by the 1981 Meeting of General Synod to guide the Board of World Witness in its future goals and operations. The special committee appointed is to be directed to consult with World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, in its work. [Amended.]
8. That the Proposed 1981 Budget of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, as included in this report be adopted. [Amended]

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. E. R. Young, Chairman

Synod rose in appreciation to the Board and its employees and was led in prayer by Mr. J. F. Beard.

The Report of the Committee on Lay Ministry was presented and adopted.

THE REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAY MINISTRY

The Committee met twice during the past year. Programs for the 1980 Adult Conferences were reviewed and approved. Two special interest groups will be sponsored by the committee during the Adult Conference. Special efforts were made to encourage involvement of the laity in Lay Ministry Day and all Adult Conferences. The Talent File is up-to-date and being used.

The Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That the 1980 and 1981 Assistant Adult Conference Director be the Rev. Earl Linderman. Also Rev. Linderman be Director in 1982 and 1983.
2. That the 1981 Director of Lay Ministry be Mr. John Bigham.
3. That the budget for Lay Ministry be as follows:

Salary of Director of Lay Ministry	$1,200
Expenses of Director of Lay Ministry	$1,000
Conference Expenses	$4,650
Committee Expenses	$1,200

4. That October 12, 1981 be Lay Ministry Day throughout Synod and that the topic be "Live The Word."

Betty Sides, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on the Minister and His Work was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK

The Committee calls to the attention of the General Synod the following aspects of its work during the past year:

1. The Committee continued to maintain our association with the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel. Our Associate Reformed Presbyterian representatives on the Council are W. C. Lauderdale, 1981; Clyde T. McCants, 1982; Bob E. Murdock, 1983; C. Ronald Beard, Ex-Officio as Principal Clerk. The annual report of the Council is attached.
2. The Committee again provided tax booklets for all Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers.
3. On referral from the Executive Board of the General Synod, the Committee considered certain matters relating to the status of reserve chaplains serving in pastorates in the event they should be called to active duty. Although such matters clearly fall under the authority of the Presbyteries, the Committee would like to offer to the ministers who may be involved and the Presbyteries the recommendations below for their consideration.
4. The Committee continues to maintain files on Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. With certain exceptions, these files are available for use by Presbyteries and pulpit nominating committees.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Presbyteries consider the adoption of a policy to declare vacant after a period of six months pulpits whose pastors have been called from reserve status to active duty, and that any pastors called from reserve to active status consider resigning their pulpits.
2. That the following budget request be approved:

Tax Guides	$ 125
Committee Expense	375
Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel	$2,500
TOTAL	$3,000

3. That the Committee be permitted to continue the study of the securing and retention of ministers for the denomination approved by the 1979 Meeting of the General Synod.
4. That the annual report of the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel be approved and printed in the minutes.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. C. Lauderdale, Chairman
Clyde T. McCants, Secretary

THE PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL FOR CHAPLAINS AND MILITARY PERSONNEL ANNUAL REPORT 1979

The Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel represents five Presbyterian denominations: The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, The Cumberland Presbyterian Church, The Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church, The Presbyterian Church in the U.S., and The United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. It is comprised of 27 members from all denominations including the Stated or Principal Clerk of each. It is charged with the responsibility of recruitment, endorsement, and ecclesiastical support and supervision of chaplains in the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration Medical Centers. The Council also represents the Churches to the Government in matters pertaining to the chaplains and church members serving in the military and Veterans Administration Hospitals. The Council office is located on the grounds of the National Presbyterian Church, 4125 Nebraska Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016.

On 31 December there are 716 Presbyterian chaplains ministering full-time or part-time in the Armed Forces and Veterans Administration. On Active Duty are 205: 94 Army, 65 Navy and 46 Air Force. Serving full-time in the Veterans Administration are 31. Of those serving full-time in the Armed Forces or Veterans Administration, 153 represent the United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. There are 110 Presbyterian chaplains serving in the Civil Air Patrol and 326 in the Reserve and National Guard components of the military.

The Council has filled its Active Duty quotas in the Armed Forces and Veterans Administration this year without difficulty. Five chaplains were placed in the Army, three in the Navy and three in the Air Force, and there are 28 chaplains of minority groups including two United Presbyterian women chaplains at Army Installations.

In order to strengthen the relationships between chaplains and the denomination, the Council sponsors three retreats annually. During the first week of May a retreat was held at the Armed Forces Retreat Center in Berchtesgaden, Germany, for Presbyterian chaplains, service personnel, and their families. Dr. Tom Long, Assistant Professor of Preaching and Worship, Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, GA, was the retreatmaster. Another retreat was conducted for all Presbyterian chaplains in the Far East at the Army Retreat Center in Seoul, Korea in April. In July a retreat was held at the Colorado School in Mines, Golden, Colorado for all chaplains and their families stationed west of the Mississippi River. Dr. William Oglesby, Professor of Pastoral Counselling, Union Seminary, Richmond, VA, and Dr. Bruce Thielemann, Chaplain of Grove City College, Grove City, PA, were the retreat leaders. Mrs. Sara B. Moseley, Past Moderator of the Presbyterian Church, U.S. led discussions on current matters of Presbyterian interest in the General Assemblies.

The Council Staff engages in a visitation program to Active Duty and VA chaplains (and their families when possible) at the location of their ministry. Not only does this enable the staff to view personally the ministry of its chaplains, but it affords the opportunity to confer with military commanders and commanding officers on the work and assignment of the chaplain. It accentuates the unique relationship of the chaplain among military personnel in their responsibility to the church as well as to the Government, and visibly testifies to the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration of the on-going concern of the church for the ministry of its clergy. While chaplains alway remain related to the parent judicatory, the staff of the Council ministers in a pastoral role to the chaplains on such visits when professional, personal or domestic problems arise. Additionally, approximately fifty chaplains who serve in the Reserve and National Guard components were visited at various conferences during the year.

The Council maintains relationships with the judicatories of each denomination and this year requested Presbyteries and Synods to designate a liaison to work with the Council in this ministry. Approximately 155 representatives are now serving in this capacity. The Council is a member of the Conference of Ecclesiastical Endorsing Agents for the Armed Forces which consists of all faith groups (about 90) which provide chaplains for the military forces and it is a member of the Endorsers Conference for the VA which provides clergy for the Veterans Administration. These Conferences each meet individually semi-annually with the Armed Forces Chaplains Board of the Department of Defense and the Veterans Administration Chief of Chaplains respectively. The Council also is related to the General Commission on Chaplains and Armed Forces Personnel, which is comprised of 36 Protestant denominations. Within these related organizations, Presbyterian leadership has been distinctly significant and recognized.

The Reserve components of the Armed Forces and the National Guard units are in need of chaplains. Ministers may serve as chaplains to component organizations of the three military services while they continue their civilian ministry. It provides an outreach for churches into the community to persons who frequently are unchurched. It is hoped that church sessions will provide the opportunity for their pastors to engage in mission-outreach of this nature. Clergy persons interested in this ministry should request a newly-prepared pamphlet, "The Chaplaincies in the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration", available from the Council office.

Two United Presbyterian chaplains died this year while serving on Active Duty. Chaplain Warren Magor was assigned to the Naval Regional Medical Center, San Diego, CA. Chaplain Willard Moore died suddenly while serving the Retraining Command at Ft. Riley, KS. While bed-ridden in the hospital at San Diego with Multiple Myaloma, Chaplain Magor (a Commissioner to the 184th General Assembly) continued to minister to other terminally ill patients brought to his bedside. Their commitment to Jesus Christ and His gospel will long be remembered by those whose lives they touched. We are saddened by the loss of these Servants of the Church and solicit for their families, your prayers.

The Council recognizes that the life of the service person in uniform today is a lonely life, as is the experience of the veteran of recent conflicts. It urges the churches of the United Presbyterian denomination to make especial effort to maintain contact with their men and women in the military, to convey the support and care of the home congregation for their welfare. To assist congregations in their ministry to persons in the Armed Forces, the Council will provide, upon request, the pamphlet "The Congregation's Guide for Service to Military Personnel".

Sincere appreciation is expressed by the Council for the outstanding financial support of the United Presbyterian Church, which enables the Council to perform the mission given to it. It cherishes your prayers that the ministry which is provided to Presbyterian personnel and to all service men and women and veterans, shall be the most effective ministry that the church can provide.

The Report of the Committee on Worship was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WORSHIP

The Committee on Worship met in January and September of 1979 with excellent attendance at both meetings. We submit the following report of our activities within the Synod.

A Worship Conference, co-sponsored with the Erskine Theological Seminary, was held February 13, 1979, at the seminary. We expect to continue in this continuing education endeavor.

The Committee continues to be responsible for the Prayer Calendar and is grateful to Dr. J. Calvin Smith for his willingness to edit this. We thank the Reverend A.C. Bridges for the regular preparation of the Psalm/Hymn of the month for **THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN.**

The Bonclarken Music Conference, July 9-13, 1979, proved to be a tremendous success with approximately 312 choir members in attendance, representing 28 A.R.P. Churches and 11 other local churches. Mrs. Betty Hunt, conference director, was assisted by Miss Reta Phifer in planning the conference. There were three clinicians,

three accompanists, and four other staff members. The 1979 Conference marked the tenth year of the annual Bonclarken Music Conference which grew out of the original music workshop during Synod. Dr. H. Marion Magill and Mrs. Mabel S. Boyter were honored with plaques for their part in beginning the adult and junior choir programs.

The 1980 Bonclarken Music Conference will be held July 14-18 with Mr. Gary Shive, Mr. Tom Roberts, and Mrs. Betty Ann Ramseth as clinicians.

Dr. Robert Edgerton of Winthrop College, Mr. John Yarrington of Dallas, Texas, and Mrs. Helen Kemp of Westminster Choir College have accepted our invitation to direct the respective choirs for the music conference, July 13-17, 1981. Mr. Terry Mann of Lake Wales, Florida has agreed to be conference director for 1981.

Current approved books of praise in the A.R.P. denomination include the following: THE PSALTER HYMNAL, BIBLE SONGS HYMNAL, THE PSALTER, BIBLE SONGS, SONGS FOR CHRISTIAN WORSHIP, YOUNG PEOPLE'S PRAISE, THE HYMNBOOK, TRINITY HYMNAL, and PSALTER HYMNAL of the Christian Reformed Church.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That congregations consider using the Psalm/Hymn of the Month as published in the Plan Book and in THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN as a means of learning new hymns and psalms.
2. That the 1981 Music Conference be held July 13-17 at Bonclarken with Robert Edgerton, John Yarrington, and Helen Kemp directing the Adult, Youth, and Primary/Junior Choirs.
3. That ministers and sessions encourage participation in the Music Conference and that local churches consider paying the expenses of their choir director and/or organist.
4. That presbyteries and/or local congregations consider holding mini-worship workshops.
5. That the attached budget for 1981 be approved.

Respectfully submitted,
Betty Hunt, Chairman
Linda Miller, Secretary

BUDGET 1981

Music Conference	
Adult Choir Director	$ 500
Youth Choir Director	500
Primary/Junior Choir	500
Accompanists (3)	450
Recreation Director	100
Recreation Expenses	100
Craft Director	100
Craft Expenses	150
Life Guard	50
Board and Travel for Conference Staff	3,500
Music for Conference	2,500
Underwriting Recording	300
Publicity and Mailing	400
Worship Workshop	400
Prayer Calendar Honorarium	50
Committee	
Travel Expenses	1,000
Miscellaneous	200
TOTAL	$10,800
Requested supplement from Synod	$ 4,000

The Report of the Special Committee to Study Care for the Aged was presented by Mr. G.G. Parkinson and was adopted.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY CARE FOR THE AGED

The Synod of 1979 adopted a motion that "Synod's Executive Board appoint a special committee to study ways in which Synod could minister to Senior Citizens and/or those who are responsible for such ministry." (Minutes, P. 24). Such a committee was appointed and has met three times.

Early in the first meeting a clear distinction was made between providing housing and health care for the elderly, on the one hand, which requires large amounts of planning and of money, and on the other hand providing individual and personal support through person-to-person companionship and group activities to meet spiritual and personal needs. The former tends to call for Synod-or presbytery-wide involvement and cannot possibly meet every need. The latter can be carried out only on an individual or local congregational level and can at least approach affecting all the elderly members of a congregation, as well as others in the community.

The first action of the Special Committee was to recommend that the Synod form a permanent, or standing, committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens. The Special Committee thinks that the provision of housing and health care in some form by our denomination is feasible and needs such a standing committee to help bring it about. Also, the same committee should supply inspiration and instruction to help congregations and individuals carry out their ministry to the elderly on the personal and individual level, wherever they live.

Since the types of ministry are so different in requirements and approach they will be discussed in the remainder of this report as separate parts.

Housing and Health Care

Some background material will be given as briefly as possible. In 1972 (Minutes p. 61) the Synod authorized the appointment of a Special Committee to Study a Home for the Aged. After study the committee pointed out in 1973 (Minutes p. 369) that financial considerations seemed to indicate that it was not possible for our Synod to establish such a home and that geographial considerations indicated that any effort made along this line would best be done by presbyteries, since all studies show that elderly people do not choose to go great distances from their homes for retirement living. The committee's recommendations were that the denomination encourage presbyteries to make efforts along these lines and that inquiries be made as to the possibility of reaching cooperative agreements with retirement homes of other denominations.

In 1974 (Minutes p. 646) the committee reported that committees had been appointed in four presbyteries to explore possibilities. Its recommendation was that the denomination be urged to support any presbytery or group of presbyteries that moves forward with plans to build and operate a retirement home. The Special Committee of Synod asked to be dismissed upon the adoption of the report, which was done.

In 1977 a paper was presented to the Synod (Minutes p. 431) setting forth the desire of First and Second Presbyteries to form a corporation "to work with any Associate Reformed Presbyterian presbytery in building a home or homes for the retired and elderly." It also requested of the Synod "its prayerful encouragement of this undertaking and its permission to use the name Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home." This paper was adopted.

In 1978 (Minutes p. 765) a report was presented showing that First and Second Presbyteries had been joined by Catawba Presbytery and that a Board of Directors had been appointed consisting of three members from each presbytery. The corporation was chartered in South Carolina, with headquarters at the Center in Greenville. Architects and consultants had been selected. It was made clear that other presbyteries were welcome to join in this corporation. Among their recommendations were requests for permission to distribute literature and other information "within the bounds of our Synod" and for "prayerful and material support from the members and churches of Synod. . ." Also in these minutes are the by-laws of the corporation. (p. 767)

In 1978 a request was made of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home to define clearly the relationship of the project to the Synod and to make clear any present and potential future financial responsibilities of the General Synod to the Retirement

Home. At the 1979 meeting a response was given (p. 138) stating that the General Synod had assumed no financial responsibilities. The Board of Directors sought the wisdom and counsel of the General Synod and desired its prayers and such financial support as it might deem advisable to lend at any time in the future.

Thus what we have is an autonomous corporation whose directors are chosen by three participating presbyteries (with other presbyteries invited to join if they will) but with no connection with the Synod except its presumed interest and good will. No normal mechanism is apparent for this corporation to report to the Synod. A standing committee with advisory and consultative powers would furnish such a connection. This ARP Home Board has been greatly hampered by its not being considered as a part of the ministry of the denomination. Both the Synod and the presbyteries which created the Board seem dubious about encouraging and supporting it. The Board has been very uncertain about how widely it could publicize its efforts and needs for fear of transgressing policies concerning appeals for financial support. It is understandable that the Synod and the presbyteries want to be assured that they cannot be held financially responsible for such a thing as a law suit against the corporation, for example. Our Special Committee has attempted to look into this matter. A standing committee could keep up a continuing oversight in this respect.

As of mid-March, the status of the ARP Home Board is that its aim is to have a site selected in the Charlotte-Gastonia area and/or in Spartanburg and to make application for a loan from the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funds of the Government. If the loan is obtained the purchase money for the site is included, along with all the cost of construction, architects, consultant, etc. There are some areas which HUD financing does not cover, such as furnishing lounge areas, etc. For such purposes and other start-up expenses it is estimated that some $20,000 may be needed. Such an amount is less than one percent of the two million plus involved in the project. It would seem to be a shame to lose the possibility for having such a facility for the elderly among us for the lack of such a relatively small amount of "seed money" as it is called.

The Special Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens is not the ARP Home Board, of course. However, it seems appropriate for us to report for them, as they have no normal way of communicating with the Synod. It may be asked why they are pursuing the Government route of financing. It seems to them that no other route is possible. They do not foresee our denomination furnishing the kind of money they would need through a fund-raising campaign or underwriting the loan that would be required — nor have they been encouraged by others to expect such backing. Yet they hear on all sides of the needs for such housing and they find much support and encouragement from individuals among our people to proceed with their effort. Rather than abandon the whole idea they are turning to the Government program, which many are using. One of the members of our Special Committee is living in such a facility and is very much pleased with it.

Since the disadvantages connected with Government financing are well understood, only the advantages will be mentioned here. (1) The advantage to the sponsoring organization (the ARP Home Board) is that practically all costs are covered. The exception is the $20,000 or so needed to get started. The occupants through their monthly rents repay the loan and meet the operating expenses. So there is little or no financial drain on the Home organization — and after 40 years the property passes into the hands of the Home. Also, if the denomination should find it possible in years to come to pay off the remainder of the loan, it could get title to the property at that time. (2) Now consider the advantage to the individual occupant of the Home — particularly if he or she is of modest means. As stated above, the rent set by the government agency is sufficient to retire the mortgage in 40 years. It is said also to be fixed at a rate that will not be unfair to others with rental property in the region. One may ask how a person of modest means would be able to meet such rental payments. The answer is that this is where the government assistance comes into play — to the individual rather than to the sponsoring organization. The government will subsidize any occupant whose income is not sufficient to pay the monthly charges with ¼ of his or her income. Thus, there is a ceiling on the rent paid by the occupant in relation to his income, while the mortgage is being retired on schedule. It seems that this subsidy is somewhat like the educational subsidy given to veterans under the GI Bill. It is paid to the individual, who accepts or rejects as he pleases, and not to the institution. It may be assumed that there is some property limitation, aside from the occupant's income, connected with this rental subsidy; but

this was not brought out in conversations.

It should be noted that this HUD program covers only housing. Often a kitchen and dining room are included to take care of meals. However, Residential Care and Nursing Care facilities are not included. The ARP Home might make arrangements with one or more nursing homes to take any of its occupants who developed a need for such care. Otherwise, the Home might add this service — probably at a later date.

A different possibility in the housing field should be mentioned. A group of citizens in Due West are working toward a Retirement Center there. They have been incorporated as a non-profit corporation and have set up a Board of Directors (not entirely of Due West citizens). They are proceeding with plans for a privately financed retirement settlement. The plan is for occupants to supply the financing for their own units on land owned by the corporation. If this method of financing is successful, borrowing will be minimized or unnecessary. The hope is to include an Intermediate Nursing Care section, which would require outside funding. As with the ARP Home Board plan, this Due West plan would not necessitate calling upon the Synod or the Presbyteries for any financial outlay, though help will be needed from individual ARP's and any help offered by any agency of the Church would be most useful and highly appreciated. The Due West plan would exclude some because of the cost, though the proposed buildings are to be of an economical sort. Of course the Due West Retirement Center at present has no connection with the Synod — but neither has the ARP Home, except loosely through presbyteries.

The Special Committee took note of all the known efforts of groups with ARP connections to provide housing for the elderly. It notes particularly the lack of any spirit of rivalry in the different groups. Often the word "umbrella" was used in envisioning the role that a standing committee of the Synod might have — not an attempt to operate or actively control different autonomous housing efforts but to advise and assist them. Also, such a committee would furnish them a connection with our Church and make it possible for their work to become better known throughout the Church. Likewise, it would give our people the feeling of being identified with this ministry to the elderly.

In addition to the Special Committee's action recommending the formation of a standing committee (among whose duties the matter of housing would be included) there were two other recommendations concerning housing: (1) That this Special Committee definitely believes that the establishment of retirement homes is feasible and therefore recommends that the General Synod give full support to the efforts being made in our Church of ministering to the elderly by means of the establishment of retirement and nursing homes. By full support is meant the opening of the door to individuals in our denomination to give financial support to these endeavors and thus to the governing board or boards to furnish information and make known their need for funds. (2) That the Special Committee make plans and attempt to arrange for those boards or groups who are planning to provide housing for the elderly to have an exhibit at the meeting of the General Synod in 1980 to provide information to all who are interested. On instruction of the Executive Board this second recommendation has been sent on to the committee which formulates plans for the meeting of the Synod.

Ministering To Individual Spiritual and Personal Needs

Having spent so much time considering the housing and health ministry, we will take relatively little time considering the individual and personal ministry. This is not to be taken to mean that the latter ministry is less important than the former, or even less difficult to carry out; but it is less costly and complicated.

The proportion of elderly people in our society and in our churches is increasing. By no means all of them need financial or physical help. Some may seem to have no need at all; but many of them are now, or will become, lonely as friends and contemporaries become fewer and fewer. There are doubtless many spiritual needs that we will not be aware of unless we become friends of these people. There is a great deal that individuals and congregations can do to help. A program of visitation, or group activities and recreation, or discussion and study groups, of providing avenues of useful service for them in the church or community, etc., can provide just the thing that an elderly person needs and will respond to.

One action was taken by our Special Committee along the line we are considering. Through the cooperation of the Editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** a new page was initiated in our church paper in the December 1979 issue. The opening article

by Dr. Florence Craig covers much of what is being said here. This page can be used to exchange ideas and plans that have been helpful in various congregations. This is one way such a Ministry to Senior Citizens can be promoted. A standing committee will be able to keep this up and to bring forth other helpful ideas. For many years our denomination showed its concern for orphans and unfortunate children. That door seems to be closed. We suggest that this is a time to turn our attention to our elderly people.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Synod form a standing Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens. (It is observed that this Special Committee is now discharged.)
2. That this Special Committee definitely believes that the establishment of retirement homes is feasible and therefore recommends that the General Synod give full support to the efforts being made in our church of ministering to the elderly by means of the establishment of retirement and nursing homes. By "full support" is meant the opening of the door to individuals in our denomination to give financial support to these endeavors and thus to the governing board or boards to furnish information and make known their need for funds.

Respectfully,
G.G. Parkinson, Chairman

Following announcements Synod recessed with the Benediction by Mr. G.C. Slater.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4 — 7:00 P.M.

The evening session began with the Devotional by Mr. J.A. Derrick.

The Judicial Commission was excused from the session

The Court voted to re-open the Moderator's Committee Report on the Executive Board. The Report was amended to assign the task of investigating the matter of the local church's ministry to the aged to the Standing Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens. The Report was adopted as amended.

The Report of the Special Committee to Research the Minutes of Synod was presented item by item. Recommendations 1 and 2 were adopted and Recommendation 3 was considered item by item: 1972 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 68), 1972 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 30), 1973 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 337), 1973 **Minutes of Synod** (pp. 389-390), 1976 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 246), 1976 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 259), 1977 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 473), 1977 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 506), and 1979 **Minutes of Synod** (p. 28) were adopted. 1974 **Minutes of Synod** (pp. 562-563) was received as information. A motion carried to print the 1977 **Minutes of Synod** (pp. 482-485) in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties.** Recommendation No. 4 was adopted and the Report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO RESEARCH THE MINUTES OF SYNOD

Fathers and Brethren:

Your committee was given the following charge by the 1979 General Synod:

"That a special committee be appointed by the moderator to:

1. Search the records of the General Synod beginning in 1972 to discover and trace

binding and valid Synod actions to the present which are still of a binding nature upon the present church and which have not been codified in any readily available form.

2. Report to the 1980 meeting of the General Synod on the results of their study along with a plan for codifying these actions in a form which can be updated and distributed annually."

We have made every effort to carry out our responsibilities. In regard to the first responsibility, we have searched the 1971-1979 Minutes of Synod and have compiled a list of those actions which are described above. In regard to the second responsibility we have considered the matter of codification and have come to the conclusion that it is both unnecessary and unwise to produce another official document which would contain actions of a binding nature. Your committee feels that all such actions should be incorporated into the present official documents of the church (**The Standards, The Manual of Authorities and Duties, The Rules of Order, The Rules of Procedure,** and the **Policy Manuals** of the various boards).

Therefore, we make the following recommendations:

1. That no additional collection of the actions of the General Synod be made or published at this time.
2. That in the future all actions of the General Synod which are intended to be of a binding nature be placed within the framework of the official documents of the church. These are **The Standards, The Manual of Authorities and Duties, The Rules of Order, The Rules of Procedure,** and the **Policy Manuals** of the various boards.
3. That the binding actions of 1972-1979 be placed at appropriate places in the documents of the church. In regard to the following list of actions, we recommend:

1972 Minutes of Synod

p. 68 — Action regarding the reception of persons as affiliate members of a local congregation

A. We recommend that Synod consider amending **The Standards, Book of Government,** Chapter V to include affiliate members as an accepted form of membership. (This item to be referred to the Judicial Commission for Study and Recommendation.)

p. 30 — Actions regarding students of theology

B. We recommend that Synod consider amending **The Standards, Book of Government,** Chapter X, Section C, to include a statement on students of theology. (This item to be referred to the Judicial Commission for Study and Recommendation.)

1973 Minutes of Synod

p. 337 — Action giving the retiring Moderator who is a ruling elder the privilege of the floor and voting rights throughout the stated meeting in which he becomes retiring Moderator.

C. We recommend that the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** be amended in the section concerning the Moderator to include under Duties a number nine:

9. When the retiring Moderator is a ruling elder, he shall have the privilege of the floor and voting rights throughout the sessions of the stated meeting in which he becomes the retiring Moderator.

p. 389-390 — "Basis and Guidelines For Inter-Church Relations"

D. We call to Synod's attention this excellent statement on Inter-Church Relations —

We recommend that the section in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties,** on the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, be amended to include this statement as a preface for the work of the committee.

1974 Minutes of Synod

pp. 562-563 — Statement of the Geographical boundaries of the Presbyteries

E. We call to the attention of the General Synod that this is the only place that these boundaries are officially stated.

1976 Minutes of Synod

p. 246 — General Synod directed the principal clerk to have all reports printed in full to preserve the integrity of the reports

F. We recommend that the **Rules of Order of the General Synod** be amended to include this directive by adding to Section B, Paragraph E.

p. 259 — A statement on the ethical relationship of a pastor to a former field.

G. We call this statement to the attention of the General Synod. We recommend that the General Synod make a study as to whether or not this statement should be placed in **The Standards** in either Chapter III — "Concerning A Particular Congregation of the Church" — or in Chapter X — "Concerning Ministers." (This item to be referred to the Committee on The Minister and His Work.)

1977 Minutes of Synod

p. 473 — The General Synod instructed the Committee on the Minister and His Work to mail every three years to every minister under our retirement program Form No. OAR-7004, accompanied by a strong recommendation that the form be completed and mailed to the Social Security Administration.

H. We recommend that in **The Manual of Authorities and Duties** of the committee on the Minister and His Work be amended by adding this duty.

pp. 482-485 — "A Philosophy of Christian Higher Education"
(also 1978 Minutes p. 621 — "Statement on the Student")

I. We feel that this complete statement should be placed somewhere; however, we were unable to decide on the proper place. Therefore, we refer this matter to the General Synod for the decision on where it should be placed.

p. 506 — "A policy regarding fraternal delegates: to grant fraternal delegates, from bodies with which we are in mutual fraternal relationship, seats to the delegate section of our General Synod, non-voting privileges on the floor, and acceptance into Moderator's Committees of their choice, on an advisory basis only."

J. We recommend that **The Rules of Procedue of the General Synod** be amended to include this statement, as No. 13.

1979 Minutes of Synod

p. 28 — Recommendations from the Nominating Committee on nominating procedures.

K. We recommend that the Nominating Committee consider a regular publication of the procedures for nominations.

4. That the **Rules of Order** be amended to include the policy described in this report by adding a Section A to Paragraph F.

Respectfully submitted,
The Committee

The Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs was presented item by item. Items 1 and 2 were adopted. Following discussion on various subjects concerning the Report and several tentative motions which were made, discussed, dismissed, withdrawn, or voided, a substitute motion for Item No. 4 was adopted as follows:

That the Form of Government be amended to Renumber Chapter V, E.3 as number V, E.4 and insert as V, E.3 the following:

3. The Session may remove from the inactive rolls of the church the names of persons who remain on the inactive roll for a period of three years. No names of persons, however, shall be thus removed from the inactive roll until the Session has made diligent effort to restore such persons to active membership.

The Order of the Day, the Presentation of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations was begun and featured the following speakers:

Dr. James Andrews, representing both the Presbyterian Church in the U.S. (**Stated Clerk**) and the North American & Caribbean Area Council of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches (Secretary)

Reverend Robert Hoyle, representing the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Evangelical Synod

Reverend John Neville, representing the Presbyterian Church of America

Reverend Kenneth Vander Heide, representing the Christian Reformed Church

Dr. John White, representing the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North America.

The election of the Moderator was held by secret ballot. During the casting of the ballots, Item No. 3 of the Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs was presented. A motion carried to recommit the matter to the Commission for review and report in 1981.

Item No. 5 was adopted and the Report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS

The Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs presents its report and recommendations as follows:

1. Re: Incorporation. This Commission after careful and extended consideration does not recommend that the General Synod be incorporated at this time.

In connection with this recommendation, however, and as a result of the above study, the Commission does find that a careful investigation should be made concerning protection from liability of the officers and/or Board members of Synod and whether or to what extent adequate liability insurance should be provided.

2. Re: Registering Dissent. The Commission reaffirms its report made to the General Synod in 1979, which reads as follows:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs finds as follows:

"Whereas, the **Westminster Confession of Faith**, Article XXXI, Section IV, states that 'All synods or councils since the Apostles' times, whether general or particular, may err, and many have erred; therefore, they are not to be made the rule of faith or practice, but to be used as an help in both.' "

"We find that the resolutions of 1966, 1969, and 1971 of the General Synod refer and relate to final determinations of church courts and not to actions by boards or agencies of the General Synod."

"We further find that our **Form of Government** does not preclude dissent. In view of this, the General Synod should not join with the Board of Christian Education in expressing its disapproval of the actions of those submitting the minority report referred to on page 649 of the Minutes of 1978."

The Ecclesiastical Commission recognizes that dissent applies to both church courts and boards, committees, and individuals. And therefore we would encourage the General Synod to call on each of the above to follow scrupulously the procedures of good order in the church. We recognize the right of individual conscience in many matters of common concern to members and courts of our church. We recognize the right of individual and group "freedom of expression." Freedom, therefore, on the part of an individual, groups of individuals, and organizations of the church to express convic-

tions on matters pertaining to the well-being of the church cannot be denied. We encourage the General Synod to urge and expect, however, that honest convictions be expressed in Christian love and with concern for the truth. In the light of our vows of church membership and ordination, there is no allowance for slander or vicious attacks against any member, agency, or court of the church or any other persons. When such violations occur, they should be properly dealt with through the Constitutional procedures for discipline clearly outlined in the Standards of the Church.

The Commission believes that the above is clearly stated in the **Westminster Confession of Faith**, Article XX, Section IV, which reads "And because the powers which God hath ordained, and the liberty which Christ hath purchased, are not intended by God to destroy, but mutually to uphold and preserve one another; they who, upon pretense of Christian liberty, shall oppose any lawful power, or the lawful exercise of it, whether it be civil or ecclesiastical, resist the ordinance of God. And for their publishing of such opinions or maintaining of such practices as are contrary to the light of nature or the known principles of Christianity, whether concerning faith, worship, conversation, or the order which Christ hath established in His church, they may be lawfully called to account, and proceeded against by the censure of the church. . ."

3. Re: 1st Pres.: The commission recommends the adoption of attachment "A" proposing uniform procedures for calling, transferring, and installing ministers, with the following changes:
   In paragraph 4, delete the words "to the congregation" on line 2, and the word "then" on the following line.
   That paragraph 16 be deleted in its entirety because it is not germane to the calling, transferring, or installing but rather relates to ordination.
   As to the note attached to the end of the proposed uniform procedure, motion was made and passed that no action be taken on the note since it does not constitute a part of the procedure. The Commission took note that the statement was made. (Recommitted)
4. We recommend that individual church sessions after diligent search, consideration and prayer be permitted to remove members from the inactive roll to an "absent roll," if the member has been on the inactive roll for a period of at least five (5) years. Members so placed on the "absent roll" shall no longer be reported to the presbytery or General Synod for statistical purposes. Provided, however, that the aforementioned procedure shall not alter the existing provisions of **Form of Government**, chapter V, E, p 181, or **Book of Discipline**, Chapter VIII, C, p. 231. (Not adopted. See Moderator's Committee Report.)
5. The authority of the Executive Board and transfer of jurisdiction was considered at length. Motion was made and passed to request the indulgence of Synod for an additional period of one year to study and make a final report. As a part of the motion it was noted that the study has been commenced with R.M. Robinson, acting as Chairman of the Committee, for the Commission.

The study thus far has raised far-reaching questions and serious ramifications. For this reason additional time for study is being requested.

Respectfully Submitted,
Charles Edwards, Chairman

The Moderator announced the election of Mr. W.W. Orr as Moderator-Elect. Mr. Orr spoke to the General Synod.

The invitation from Bonclarken for the 1981 General Synod Meeting was extended and accepted.

The Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented and the items of the Inter-Church Relations Committee Report were taken item by item.

Recommendations 1, 3, and 4 of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations were adopted. The wording of Recommendation No. 2 of the Moderator's Committee Report was adopted.

Recommendation No. 5 of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented, debated, and yielded to a motion to postpone

consideration until the Thursday morning session.

A motion carried that a special offering be taken for Mr. An Liem Nguyen following the Thursday morning worship service.

Following announcements, Synod adjourned with the Benediction by Mr. D.G. Fleming.

THURSDAY, JUNE 5 — 9:00 A.M.

The Worship and Season of Prayer was led by Mr. C.Y. Todd. Synod received the special offering for Reverend An Liem Nguyen which was approved on Wednesday evening.

The Minutes of Wednesday's session were read, and approved.

The Moderator-Elect presented his nomination for Vice-Moderator-Elect, Mr. G.C. Slater. A motion carried that Mr. Slater be elected by acclamation.

Mr. Ed Hogan was granted the privilege of the floor to explain details of the expansion of the Insurance Program. A motion carried that Synod stand in appreciation to Mr. Hogan for his continuing work for the Church.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials was presented. A motion carried to consider the report item by item.

Item I, Recommendation No. 1 was presented. A substitute motion was adopted for Recommendation No. 1: "That Synod reaffirm its statement of 1979 — 'that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testament are the Word of God without error in all that it teaches.' "

Item I, Recommendaton No. 2, was adopted.

Item II, Recommendation No. 1, was presented. A substitute motion was adopted to delete this item.

Item II, Recommendation No. 2, was presented. A substitute motion was presented, and, following amendment, was adopted as follows:

> "We recommend that Synod go on record as opposing abortion on demand. We recommend that the Moderator refer to the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns a directed study on the issue of abortion; that the Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial on abortion be used as reference, and that this committee report back to the 1981 Meeting of General Synod. That the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns be instructed to study and report back concerning ministries in which the A.R.P. denomination might engage to offer counseling and alternatives to abortion."

The Report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

Your Moderator's Committee on Memorials met at the appropriate time and place. Two papers came into our hands. After extensive discussion and prayerful deliberation, we make the following recommendations:

I. Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial No. 1.
   1. That the Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial on Scripture not be adopted. [Substitute motion adopted.]
   2. We do, however, recommend that the brethren being united under the Lordship of Christ move forward with the main thrust of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

   NOTE: Ruling Elder Paul Wilson of the Hopewell (GA) Second Presbytery, requests that his name be recorded as having voted in favor of Memorial No. 1, from Mississippi Valley.

II. Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial No. 2.
   1. We further recommend that Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial on abortion not be adopted. [Deleted.]
   2. We recommend that Synod go on record as opposing abortion. We recommend that the Moderator appoint an ad hoc committee to study the issue of abortion, that Mississippi Valley Presbytery's Memorial on Abortion be used as reference, and that this committee report back to the 1981 Meeting of General Synod. [Substitute motion adopted.]

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY
Memorial I

WHEREAS, for the past four years there has been great concern on the stand we take on Scripture, and whereas the problem could best be answered in defining the terms "infallible" in the **Westminster Confession of Faith** and "perfect" in the **Book of Church Order**. We, the Session of Lawndale Presbyterian Church memorialize Presbytery to memorialize Synod that these words in every sense mean inerrant and therefore, we are going on record as defining the words "infallible" and "perfect" to say that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the Word of God and therefore are inerrant, verbally inspired, and totally trustworthy, including areas of science and history.

(Official Copy)
Wm. B. Everett
Clerk, Mississippi Valley Presbytery

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY
Memorial II

1. **Whereas** on January 22, 1973, the Supreme Court of the United States declared that the fetus is not a "person" in the legal sense. This ruling on abortion is an immoral decision and in violation of the moral law of God, and
2. **Whereas** abortion, except to save the physical life of the mother, should be considered one of the most revolting and sinful practices in this day when we are witnessing frightening evidence of permissiveness leading to sexual immorality, and
3. **Whereas** abortions account for about one million killings each year, and
4. **Whereas** the early church condemned abortion on the grounds that it constituted murder, and
5. **Whereas** only God can create life (Gen. 2:2, 3, 7; Job 33:4; Acts 17:25), and
6. **Whereas** Scripture teaches that human personhood begins at conception (Ps. 51:5; 139:13-16; Jer. 1:4-5; Matt. 1:18-20; Lk. 1:35, 41, 44), and
7. **Whereas** believing the unborn children are living creatures in the image of God, and are given as a blessing to their parents, and
8. **Whereas** the Bible considers offspring as a gift of God to their parents (Gen. 4:1; Ps. 127:3), and
9. **Whereas** the Bible provides the same protection for the unborn child as for the mother (Ex. 21:22-25).

10. Therefore be it resolved that we affirm that abortion, except to save the physical life of the mother, is in violation of the sixth commandment (Ex. 20:13) and thus constitutes murder. That the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church encourage its ministry and members to speak out concerning this issue and to give loving counsel to those entrapped in the throes of contemplating abortion.

(Official Copy)
Wm. B. Everett
Clerk, Mississippi Valley Presbytery

The Report of the Committee on Nominations was adopted item by item. The Report was amended by the addition of the following: "That the membership of the new Standing Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens for the year ending June 30, 1981 be Mrs. Florence Craig, Mrs. Barron Kennedy, Mr. Harry C. White, James Boyce, and G.G. Parkinson, and that during this year the Committee on Nominations prepare a slate of nominees with staggered terms and proper distribution to present to the 1981 Synod."

The Report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations presents the following nominees for service on Boards, Committees, the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs, and as Officers of the General Synod. The terms of service will begin July 1, 1980, or on the date their offices entitle them for certain presbytery appointees. Service will expire as of June 30 of the year indicated. Those persons indicated by asterisk (*) have been appointed by a presbytery or from a name or names submitted by the Woman's Synodical Union. Those filling unexpired terms of less than two years may succeed themselves without a year elapsing.

Board of Annuities and Relief
1984: Charles B. Todd; Gwin A. Pierce, Jr.; Forrest L. Newton
Treasurer of Retirement Plan Fund: H.H. Long

Board of Directors of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.
1984: DuRant Taylor; Aubrey Burdette; Welch M. Bostick, Jr.
1982: Richard B. Rodermond (Replacing Gerald R. Milford)
1983: R.C. Bryson (Replacing Mrs. Margaret Alexander)

Board of Bonclarken
1984: Roy E. Beckham; J. Frank Beard; J. Pressly Alexander
Youth Representative (1982) Elizabeth Lewis

Board of Christian Education
1981: J. Roger Wade* (Replacing G.W. Letchworth)
1982: Robert E. Earhart* (Replacing W.M. Harris, Jr.)
1984: R.F. Ingram*; Mrs. Frances Sanders; Miss Ann Hicklin; R.T. Ruble*

Board of Church Extension
1981: J.B. Hendrick* (Replacing R.A. Whitesides)
1981: C.B. Evans* (Replacing C.A. Reed)
1983: W.B. Sutherland, Jr.* (Replacing Potter Liddon 1-1-81)
S. Harry Cain* (Replacing R.S. Miles, Jr.)
1984: R.S. Miles, Jr.*; L. Calvin Draffin*; R.J. Robinson
Youth Representative (1982) Mike Ramsey

Board of Trustees of Erskine College
1986: Robert P. Falls; Charles A. Steele; John R. Hunt; James R. Fee; Wayne A.

Frazier
Youth Representative (1982) Jeff Leaptrott

Board of Publication
1984: Mrs. B.R. Skelton; W.A. Deaton
Youth Representative (1981) Tim Shue

Board of Stewardship
1984: T. DuRant Taylor*; Bob E. Murdock; K.C. Seawright* (Replacing W.A. Deaton)
1982: C.W. Wilson* (Replacing C.H. Carlisle)

World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions
1986: Mrs. Edna Morrison; J.H. Young
Youth Representative (1982) Scott Collie

Executive Board of Synod's Committee on the ARP Center Facility
1983: Glenn H. Burnett

Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs
1984: James T. Corbitt; Randall T. Ruble

Committee on Historical Concerns
1984: William S. Best
Youth Representative (1981) Katherine McGill

Committee on Inter-Church Relations
1984: Michael Woodard; Mrs. Michael S. Bender
1981: Dodd Vernon (Replacing Ellis Hunt)

Committee on Lay Ministry
1984: Mrs. Calvin Draffin; Charles A. Rampey; M.M. Pennell, Jr.
1981: Kenneth W. Bigham (Replacing Frank Korbler)

Committee on Minister and His Work
Youth Representative (1981) Alex Deaton

Committee on Nominations
1984: John A. Coad*; W.C. Lauderdale*
Youth Representative (1981) Marie Westbrook

Committee on Theological and Social Concerns
1984: D.G. Philips, Jr.; William H. Tyson
Youth Representative (1981) Paul Grier
Advisory Members Erskine Theological Seminary (1981) C.T. McCants

Committee on Worship
1981: Zeb C. Williams (Replacing Raymond Thigpen)
1984: Mrs. Rachel Spencer; Ms. Kathleen Murdock; Terry Mann
Youth Representative (1981) Ken McMullen

Officers of Synod
Principal Clerk (1984) C.R. Beard
Treasurer of Synod's Funds (1984) W.M. Kennedy

Special Assignments
NA & CAC, WARC — Mrs. Michael Bender 1984
Lord's Day Alliance — Miss Mary Thompson 1981
American Bible Society — Reverend James Fee 1982
PPC — Pan-Presbyterian Conference — Dr. Randall T. Ruble 1980
PCUS — Reverend William Mitchell 1980

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That each local session have as an item of business for their December session meeting the consideration of persons they feel capable of serving on one of Synod Boards or Committees and that they submit that name to the Nominating Committee for consideration by January 1. Along with each name submit some background information, address, church, phone number, place the person may best serve, and his willingness to accept a nomination. We wish to commend those churches and individuals who sent in names to the Nominating Committee.
2. That all Presbyteries make their appointments by the Fall meeting and that the clerk forward their names to the Committee on Nominations by January 1.
3. That the names of nominees from the Woman's Synodical Union be submitted to Synod's Nominating Committee and not less than two names for each vacancy be submitted. Synod's Nominating Committee will contact the women nominees for each position.
4. That no person be elected to serve on a Board or Committee under whose jurisdiction that person is serving. (e.g., Church Extension, World Witness, Erskine Board of Trustees, etc.). We encourage Presbyteries to follow this recommendation.
5. That presbytery representatives on Board and Committees of Synod not succeed themselves.
6. That these nominees submitted who have been contacted and willing to serve be elected.

Officers for the Committee for 1980-1981 are David Tribble, Chairman; Paul Shannon, Vice-Chairman; James M. Bell, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,
R.B. Leaptrott, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations was reopened. Item No. 5 was presented and tabled by motion from the floor. Item No. 6 was adopted and the Report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

We would like to call attention to the fact that the figures in Recommendation No. 3 as distributed in the Synod Reports have been revised as follows:

Dues: (LDA $300, RES $600, NA & CAC $780)	$1,680.00
Expense for hosting Synod Inter-Church guests at annual meeting	615.00
Committee and Delegate expense and travel	1,475.00
TOTAL	$3,770.00

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

(1) That recommendations 1, 3-6 in the Report of Committee on Inter-Church Relations be adopted. [See Proceedings.]

(2) That recommendation 2 be adopted as amended in the following form: That the Board of Church Extension correspond with the churches with whom we have fraternal relations to seek to work out a comity agreement in regards to church planting and locating and report on the feasibility of such agreements to the 1981 General Synod.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

Two meetings of this Committee were held during the year: February 5 and June 2, 1980.

WARC — Randy Ruble served as the First ARP Chairperson of Area Council and presided at the Annual Meeting. Mrs. Michael Bender was elected by the Council to serve on the Administrative Committee as Vice-Chairperson. Due to a restructuring of the Area Council representation, we have been allotted one representative rather than two.

RES — The Reformed Ecumenical Synod is meeting in Nimmes, France in July. Since our budget does not have the funds for such a trip, the secretary sent a letter extending our greetings and our regrets that we are unable to send a representative.

Reports were received from the following delegates/observers and are on file with the Committee secretary:

UPCUSA 1979 General Assembly — C.R. Beard

Committee on Theology of WARC — Dr. Randall T. Ruble

The Caribbean and North American Area Council of WARC — Dr. Randall T. Ruble and Mrs. Michael Bender

Presbyterian Church in America — K.C. Seawright

The following nominations were made to Synod's Committee on Nominations:

NA & CAC, WARC — Mrs. Michael Bender 1984
Lord's Day Alliance — Miss Mary Thompson 1980
American Bible Society — Reverend James Fee 1982
PPC — Pan-Presbyterian Conference — Dr. Randall T. Ruble 1980
PCUS — Reverend William Mitchell

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend:

1. That the present method of appointing Fraternal Delegates and Observers through Synod's Committee on Nominations be rescinded and that we return to the former method of the Inter-Church Relations Committee appointing the Delegates and Observers.
2. That our Director of Church Extension correspond with the Churches with whom we have fraternal relations to seek to work out a comity agreement in regards to church planting and locating. (See Recommendation 2, pg. 79, **Minutes of Synod**, 1979). [Amended.]
3. That the budget for 1980-81 be approved as follows:

Dues: (LDA $300, RES $600, NA&CAC $780	$1,680.00
Expense for hosting Synod Inter-Church guests at Annual Meeting	615.00
Committee & delegates expense and travel	1,475.00
Total	$3,770.

4. Rather than exchange delegates with W.A.R.C. churches, that we maintain our relationship through correspondence and delegate participation in WARC.

   That we study for a year the possibility of a similar relationship with RES: that is, a delegate exchange with RES rather than the individual churches of RES.
5. Ratify constitution of proposed Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, International, with the following amendments: In Article III line 1, change "governing" to "coordinating." In Article VIII, change dates in line 2 to "1980" and "1981"; change date in line 4 to "1981"; change date in line 6 to "1982"; change date in line 7 to "1983". In Article IX, delete everything after first sentence, then add this new sentence: "The place and exact dates of meetings shall be determined by the General Council." In Article X, first line, change "1978" to "1982". [Tabled]
6. That each local church appoint a church representative for the American Bible Society. (Names may be sent to American Bible Society, 1865 Broadway, N.Y. 10023. Attention: Church Representative Program.)

David M. Rockness, Chairman

Motion carried to dispense with the final reading of the Minutes and the final Roll Call.

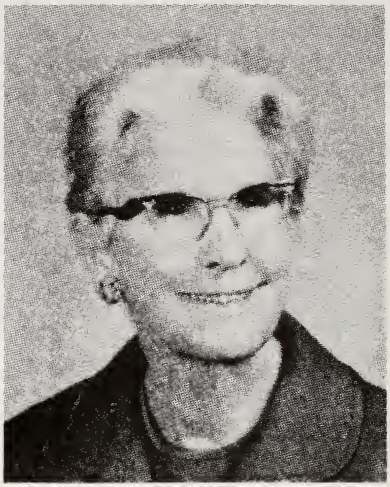
A motion carried that Dr. Allison's "Charge to the Congregation" during the commissioning service of Reverend & Mrs. James Coad, Jr. as missionaries to Mexico be received as information and printed in the Appendix of the **Minutes of Synod**, in that he stated that he was addressing his remarks to the "congregation" of the entire A.R.P. Church.

The retiring Moderator, following the singing of Psalm 133, closed the Synod with prayer,with the final Benediction by Mr. W.E. Stanchfield.

Respectfully submitted,

JOE PATRICK, Moderator
C. EARL LINDERMAN, Vice-Moderator
C. RONALD BEARD, Principal Clerk
ROBERT B. ELLIOTT, JR., Reading Clerk
W.E. KIRKPATRICK, Bill Clerk
JAMES R. FEE, Assistant Clerk
J.B. HENDRICK, Parliamentarian

APPENDIX



DR. MARY JANET ALEXANDER
June 23, 1889 - March 21, 1980

"Dr. Janet" was born in 1889 in the Gilead area of Mecklenburg County of North Carolina. She was a member of the Gilead A.R.P. Church. Her last resting place is in the church-yard there beside the grave of her elder sister, the beloved "Miss Minnie."

She was educated in the area schools, at the Women's College in Due West, S.C. (later Erskine) and in the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia, Pa.

She made a fine record as a medical student in spite of the fact, or perhaps because it was a matter of Christian principle with her never to study on the Sabbath day.

With her medical training and great personal charm, she could have settled down to a lucrative career in the U.S. Her compassionate heart led her rather to go to India to minister to the poor and the sick of that land. She had as great concern for their souls as their bodies and always pointed them to the Saviour Healer. She recorded her medical adventures in a book "The Voice of Pain." She chose the cover to be black because she had seen pain that seemed black to her.

After thirty-three years of service in India (later to become Pakistan) she retired, but not to a life of leisure.

She served as college physician at Erskine College and then for some years at Agnes Scott College. The students found in her not just a physician, but as their wise and understanding fun-loving friend.

Dr. Janet received many honors for her outstanding service in India. The British government awarded her the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal. At Erskine College the Mary Mildred Sullivan Award and a citation for meritorious service were awarded. A scholarship fund was established in her name for the use of foreign students.

Another person like her was asked at the end of a long and illustrious service, "Do you not feel very satisfied with your life?" The reply was "No, I'll never be satisfied till I see the face of Jesus." Doctor Janet Alexander would have given the same reply.

She is satisfied now for she sees Him, face to face.

Janet Ballantyne White

LIST OF DECEASED RULING ELDERS

Name	Church	Yr. of Ordination
Catawba Presbytery		
D. D. Kennedy	Centennial	1976
James O. Wideman	Edwards Memorial	1974
Guy Castles	Hickory Grove	—
D. H. Jernigan	Lancaster First	1972
J. C. Marshall	Pleasant Hill	1979
Elton W. Cole	Rock Hill First	1962
C. Ray Wallace	Unity	1940
First Presbytery		
C. L. Black	Boyce Memorial	1979
Jackson L. Irvin	Concord	1948
Richard C. Broome	Glenwood	1965
Sam Brown	Huntersville	1962
Fred O. Sing	New Covenant	1961
Boyce H. Stinson	New Perth	1952
Lynn W. Hostetler	New Perth	1975
John P. Thomas	Pisgah	1941
John Hallyburton	Stony Point	1935
D. Glenn Kiser, Sr.	Tabernacle	1952
Sidney A. Armstrong	Tabernacle	1955
Florida Presbytery		
James Trent	Chapel-By-The-Sea	1974
Mississippi Valley Presbytery		
John H. Murray	Brighton	1953
Malcolm Milligan	Parkway Place	1948
E. F. Rutt	Parkway Place	1958
Second Presbytery		
James Beauford	Abbeville	1972
Gist Winn	Abbeville	1976
J. Todd McElroy	Doraville	1948
R. S. Ellis, Sr.	Due West	1954
R. L. Plaxico	Providence	1966
Lowry M. Wilson	Providence	1966
Tennessee-Alabama-Presbytery		
Hugh L. Conaway	Prosperity, Ala.	1958
Virginia Presbytery		
Ambrose F. Houseman	Ladd	1972
Roy F. Painter	Lauderdale	1944
Paul W. Sorrells, Sr.	Lauderdale	1925
H. H. Richie	Old Providence	1947
Palmer McCormick	Timber Ridge	1953

OFFICIAL ROLL OF SYNOD

**** Excused For All or Portion of Synod Meeting**

Catawba Presbytery

Ministers: Ray M. Alber (a**), James C. Barker, William L. Barron, C. Ronald Beard, J. Frank Beard (**), H. Max Bolin, James H. Boyce, J. G. Brawley, Sr., (a), J. Allen Derrick, R. Wayne Dickson, J. B. Hendrick, G. F. Johnson, Ray A. King (**), Curtis W. Medlin, William F. Mitchell, Forrest J. Musselman (**), Dwight L. Pearson, James H. Ragsdale, Robert J. Robinson, Forrest W. Sherrill (a), Guy H. Smith, Jr., Calvin W. Todd (**), Rabun M. Williams, R. Marshall Wilson, Jerry R. Wolff.

Elder-Representatives: Bethany (Eb Faulkner), Bethel (H. Paul Dove), Blacksburg (J. B. Quinn), Centennial (C. A. Rampey, Sr., #1, W. B. Todd, Sr., #2), Chester (T. DuRant Taylor), Clover (James Dickson), Eden Terrace (David A. Hawkins), Edgemoor (Robert L. Starnes), Edwards Memorial (Owens Baston), Faith (None), Hickory Grove (None), Hopewell (J. W. Weir), Lancaster First (L. D. Ogburn), Neely's Creek (Jack Glasscock, #1, Rudolph Orr #2), New Hope (Marion E. Stevenson), Oak Grove (None), Oak Ridge (Theron Hudson), Pleasant Hill (L. B. Cauthen), Rock Hill First (Melvin B. Cauthen, #1, W.W. Magum #1, Richard C. Lewis #2), Rogers Memorial (Harvey Thomas), Sharon (Frank Duncan, Lee Sherer), Sherwood Forest (E. M. Bowie, Bill Howell), Shiloh (Leslie M. Draffin), Smyrna (Charles Whitesides), Tirzah (Robert Sexton), Union (Rogers M. Reid), Unity (Aaron R. Thomas), White Oak (T. Johnston Patrick), York (Guy H. Smith, Sr.**).

First Presbytery

Ministers: L. M. Allison, Fred R. Archer, Jr., W. Harris Blair, Joe R. Blevins, A. C. Bridges, John L. Carson, Meredith L. Cavin, C. E. Edwards, R. B. Elliott, Jr., Charles B. Evans, Arthur A. Fischer, Walter P. Fleming, W. P. Grier, Gerald R. Hallman, John J. Hoeprich, Billy S. Howell, Jr. (a**), John S. Kimmons, Jr., L. P. Knox (**), W. C. Lauderdale, R. B. Leaptrott, C. Earl Linderman, William A. Macaulay (**), Clyde T. McCants, Bryant McLendon, J. W. McQuiston (a**), Charles L. Mitchell, Bob E. Murdock, H. E. Pressly, W. L. Pressly (a**), Lonnie L. Richardson, William A. Robfogel (**), E. Timothy Robinson, Harry T. Schutte, K. C. Seawright, Robert E. Sherer, P. L. Sherrill, Gregory C. Slater, Charles A. Steele, R. M. Wallace, Jr., Zeb C. Williams, Michael E. Woodard.

Elder-Representatives: Back Creek (J. W. Oliver), Boyce Memorial (John L. McGill), Burlington First (Henry Glosson), Chalmers Memorial (Cameron K. Chittenden), Charlotte First (Boyd H. Beard (a)), Coddle Creek (J.C. Wallace), Concord (Glenn Cochrane), Covenant (Harry Barkley(**), Craig Avenue (Kenneth Bigham), Crowder's Creek (William S. Best), Ebenezer (Frank Korbler), Elk Shoals (Atwell Alexander), First Union (Jack Kanipe), Garrison Memorial (None), Gastonia First (W. K. Philpot), Gilead (Tom Regans, Carl Beard, Ernest Long), Glenwood (J. Loyd Nance (a)), Huntersville (W. Mason Gibson), Idlewild (David Cathcart, Henry Bigham), Linden (Ray A. Baker, Sr.), Maupin Avenue (Sam Bradshaw), Mooresville (John C. Miller (a**)), New Amity (G. L. Donaldson), New Covenant (C. T. Hughes), New Perth (Carl G. Smith), New Sterling (David Sides, William Pressly), Pinecrest (Crawford Pearson), Pisgah (Nevette Kaylor #1, M. L. Pearson #2), Pressley Memorial (None), Prosperity (Theron Simmons, Bill Conrad, Donnie Beard), Saint Andrew (Terry Wallace), Sandy Plains (Doug Roach), Statesville First (A. B. Stradley #1, David Pressly #2), Stony Point (H. A. Day), Tabernacle (R. C. Bryson #1, J. L. Eppley #2), Westminster (None).

Florida Presbytery

Ministers: Leonard H. Bullock, Bob E. DeWitt, William H. Faires, Douglas G. Fleming, Wayne A. Frazier, Robert Ingram, Ted Jones, Alan Morrow, R. T. Nelson (a**), Grady R. Oates, Will W. Orr, Harold B. Probes, W. O. Ragsdale (a**), David M. Rockness, John M. Rogers, Jan Senneker, W. B. Sutherland, William H. Tyson.

Elder-Representatives: Avon Park (Steve Maxwell), Bartow (W. A. Read, Jr.), Chapel-By-The-Sea (Don Bullard), Covenant (George H. Mines), Lake Placid (Edward Smoak), Lake Wales (Thomas G. Shrefler #1, Clay A. Terry #2 (a)), New Hope (William R. Bland), Trinity (H. W. Peterson).

Mississippi Valley Presbytery

Ministers: John S. Banks, Charles S. Carroll, James Coad, III, John A. Coad, G. Webster Curry, Charles W. Echols (a**), William B. Everett, W. Nale Falls, Robert G. Herrmann, Bruce E. Hoyt, E. Stephen Irby, Gary Letchworth (a**), O. Neil McCarter, James D. McLurkin, Thomas G. Morris, Sr., Alton L. Roberts, J. C. Smith, Wayne E. Stanchfield, Charles Y. Todd, J. Roger Wade.

Elder-Representatives: Bethany (None), Brighton (F. M. Huffman), Covington (C.G. Mills), Ebenezer (Thomas H. Stewart) (**), Elsberry (None), Havana (None), Hickory Springs (None), Hopewell (None), Lawndale (None), Midlane Park (None), Mount Zion (None), New Albany (None), Parkway Place (Lloyd Matthews), Pottsville (None), Richland (Harry McCalla), Rives (None), Saint Paul (James New), Salem (A. M. McQuiston), Shady Grove (None), Sharon (None), Southwest (Mike Velez), Troy (Otis Berry (a**)), Westminster (Nathaniel Murry Whitten), Wood Avenue (None).

Second Presbytery

Ministers: Robert W. Ackerman (a**), Arthur M. Allan (**), Roy E. Beckham, William F. Blakely, E. L. Bland, William J. Boyd (a), S. Harry Cain, Conrad E. Cheatham, James T. Corbitt, Donald W. Elliott, Billy O. Fleming, Gary R. Fravel, Michael L. Garvey, E. Gettys (a**), Tony D. Grant, Paul L. Grier, W. C. Halliday, L. P. Kennerly, W. E. Kirkpatrick, P. Allen Larson (a), Joseph B. Lennon, Harold S. Mace, R. J. Marshburn, George W. McBane (a), J. B. McFerrin, R. R. McGregor (a), K. F. Morris, Gary L. Pierstorff, L. Thomas Richie, Gilbert Rowell, R. T. Ruble, William T. Sherer, J. P. Steele, F. T. White, Harry C. White, Charles W. Wilson.

Elder-Representative: Abbeville (Neil Steifle (a)), Bethel (None), Bethlehem (Paul Strawhorn), Cannons Creek (None), Cedar Springs (Paul Wells), Doraville (Rex Berner #1, James Tysinger #2), Due West (Lowry Ware), Ebenezer (Jack Hobbs), Generostee (None), Greenville (John M. Norris #1, Tom C. Perry #2), Greenwood (Roy Long), Grier Memorial (L. Frank Humbert), Highlands (H. Z. McConnell), Hopewell (Paul Wilson), Iva (W. S. Simpson), Louisville (R. M. Culvern), Lower Long Cane (None), Lyndon Grove (Dodd Vernon), McElroy Memorial (None), Mount Carmel (R. D. McDill), Newberry (Allen N. Crosson), Ora (Charles Hill, Milton Y. Blakely), Pressly Memorial (None), Providence (Marvin Turner), Spartanburg (C. W. Rainey), Troy (H. Ryan Deason), Tucker (None), White Oak (Lamon Rogers, Gene Chesnut), Woodruff (None), Wrens (Robert Whitaker), Young Memorial (Robert B. Ramsey).

Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery

Ministers: Robert P. Brawley, L. Calvin Draffin, Charles F. Edgar (**), James R. Fee, R. C. Kennedy (a**), Theodore L. Owens, Harold M. Pearson, Tommy L. Wilson (a**).

Elder-Representatives: Bethel (None), Camden (Hugh C. Dale), Cleveland Street (Paul K. Shannon), Fayetteville (D. A. Buchanan), Hopewell (James L. Patterson), Lincoln Memorial (None), Pressly Memorial (None), Prosperity, Alabama (R. Burns Sanderson), Prosperity, Tennessee (Eugene Renegar) (**).

Virginia Presbytery

Ministers: James M. Bell, Sr., Paul A. Campbell (a**), David Ellis, G. J. Gerard, Martin E. Gilbert (**), Mark B. Grier (**), W. M. Harris, Jr., Douglas O. Jones, R. S. Miles Jr., Troy L. Pritt (a**), A. K. Whitesides (a**), R. A. Whitesides.

Elder-Representatives: Ballston Center (Robert S. Trieble), Broad Creek (H. Carlton Whiteside), Ebenezer (John A. Hunter), Edgemont (B. F. G. Houff), Fairlea (None), Johnson's Creek (Alfred W. Paxton (a)), Ladd (Robert Morris) (**), Lauderdale (Albert Nicely), New Lebanon (None), Old Providence (Herman Richie), Spring Valley (None), Timber Ridge (None), Wildhurst (None).

OTHERS: MODERATOR, Elder Joe Patrick, Ministers who are missionaries not under care of a Presbytery: R. L. Brunson (a), P. G. Covone (a), R. Boyce Wilson.
NOTE: Several churches were represented by different Elder-Representatives at different times. Those are listed in series without a number. Where Elder-Representatives are numbered, two Elder-Representatives were authorized.

WSU PRESIDENT REPORT TO SYNOD

Good evening! It's my pleasure to be a guest at Synod for the purpose of bringing you the report of the Women's Synodical Union.

The Synodical has met all of the requests of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Our active membership has increased by 89 members for a total of 4835 members.

Our financial contributions have increased over $17,000 for a total of $257,241.99. This includes only funds which have passed through our Synodical Treasurer. This total does not reflect the donations given directly by individuals to specific causes.

The Synodical is responsible for writing and printing two handbooks. One is primarily for Synodical Executive Officers, Department Chairmen, and Committees; and one is primarily for Presbyterial Executive Officers, Department Chairmen, and Committees. These handbooks offer assistance in understanding the purposes of our work, the overall organizational structure, the way each part fits into the whole, our particular opportunities for service, and to suggest a basic outline and schedule for implementing our particular work. The handbooks are up-dated when necessary. It is not the purpose of these handbooks to limit creative ideas of officers, but to provide a framework of essential information. Our Publications Director distributes these handbooks.

The American Bible Society is supported by the Synodical. Each congregation is encouraged to have a representative who receives up to date information concerning needs and possible projects of the American Bible Society. Our Synodical Spiritual Life Department has greatly benefited from materials supplied by this organization.

Our work is continuing on the **History of the Woman's Work** which will be our contribution to the Bicentennial in 1982. This book is Volume VI in the set of six books to be published.

The Synodical supports the Historical Foundation in Montreat. Each congregation is encouraged to have at least one member of the congregation personally belong to the Foundation.

One of our special projects is to give a total of $90,000 ($30,000 each year for 3 years) to Church Extension to be used toward the purchase of a New Church Site.

The Women's Synodical Union has established a Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund. The purpose of this is to assist students who plan to finish medical school and practice medicine on the mission field. The scholarship fund is divided equally among those who qualify. At the present time we have two young men who are receiving this money. Anyone interested in this program should contact the Synodical World Mission Chairman.

All areas of World Missions are supported through our budget.

Two missionary ladies are financially supported by the Synodical. The primary source of this support is the Jubilee Birthday Offering.

Through our Christian Higher Education Chairman we strive to keep informed about Erskine College. We encourage our young people to visit and attend. Several local churches have special projects trying to meet the special needs of the college and students. We are cognizant of the fact enrollment is the name of the game. If Erskine College is filled to capacity with students, there will be no problem meeting the budget. At the present time we are operating in the "black" and it must stay that way.

The Synodical encourages every member to subscribe to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** magazine. We believe this is the best way to keep up with the news of our denomination.

We have an exciting first for this summer of 1980 — Bonclarken Camp for Exceptional Youth. This is a camp for our handicapped children.

There are numerous workshops held during the year to make items to sell at the Bonclarken Gift Shop. The profits are divided between Bonclarken and the Synodical for our projects.

Attendance at all functions in Bonclarken is encouraged — Youth Conferences and Retreats, Camps, Adult Bible Conference, Laymen's Weekend, and others. We hope to have a minimum of 500 registered for the Adult Bible Conference and Laymen's Weekend.

The John Bigham Award will be given to the church with the most people registered at the Adult Bible Conference and Laymen's Weekend.

First Presbytery will sponsor a presentation "Role of Women in the Church." It is imperative that it is understood that this presentation is from First Presbytery and independent of the Women's Synodical Union. The Women's Synodical Union does not, at this time, endorse any part of this presentation.

The Women's Synodical Union is working in unison and harmony to accomplish the goals of our Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and to do the Will of our Lord.

It has been a pleasure to have this opportunity to share with you some of the activities of the Women's Synodical Union.

Mrs. Atlee W. Davis
President
Women's Synodical Union

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1979

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members	Witness and Outreach	Prayer Emphasis Offering (Week of Prayer)	World Missions General and Specials	White Cross Offering	Jubilee Birthday Offering	Self-Denial Offering	Women's Synodical Union Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund	Retired Missionaries' Fund	Erskine College and Seminary	Christian Education	Bonclarkan	Dunlap Home	Thank Offering	Life Membership And Memorial Fund	Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine	Special Project	American Bible Society	Continent Funds-Synodical and Presbyterial	Miscellaneous	Total to Synodical Causes	Average Per Capita To Synodical Causes	Spent In Congregation	Grand Total	Grand Total Average Per Capita
Catawba	1,206	4 083 25	943 50	10 745 95	3.734 84	3 695 92	1.896 00	1 809 50	1 155 00	2.732 05	654 66	1 790 25	1.047 25	4 860 54	3.375 00	3.019 04	1 821 00	688 29	1,346 00	1,778 65	51 174 69	42 43	13.347 50	64 522 19	53 50
First	1,447	2 935 74	770 10	13 206 15	2 161 55	2.873 78	1 536 00	839 00	677 45	1,724 95	981 30	1 505 21	662 00	5 023 16	2 825 00	9 418 50	50 00	664 75	1 195 70	1,531 05	50.581 39	34 96	21 816 63	72.398 02	50 03
Florida	353	982 89	158 23	3 716 55	785 74	1 344 50	89 20	285 10	80 00	657 00	455 00	383 00	748 70	1 831 48	400 00		1.179 75	90 00	755 75	270 00	14.212 89	43 73	3.867 10	18.079 99	55 63
Mississippi Valley	461	856 90	369 50	4 932 10	1 835 70	1.271 55	884 65	160 00	193 00	648 00	287 00	431 24	167 50	2.681 01	875 00	885 50	145 00	193 50	1.014 78	88 81	17.920 74	38 87	3.572 84	21.493 58	46 62
Second	870	2.655 45	615 55	8 510 95	2 613 50	2 340 60	1.655 30	911 25	255 00	1.762 75	750 50	1.637 00	661 00	4 022 90	1 635 00		2 084 15	638 00	1.091 00	1.956 35	35.796 25	42 16	12.636 65	48.432 90	57 04
Tenn.-Alabama	160	365 00	133 00	1 384 50	1 114 50	587 73	280 15	95 00	112 50	308 05	52 50	143 00	22 00	713 55	700 00		150 00	122 00	324 70	151 40	6.759 58	42 24	1.020 86	7.780 44	48 63
Virginia	249	237 70	129 65	689 66	367 83	400 02	189 85	65 00	5 00	165 65	108 11	106 85	10 00	699 90	450 00		218 00	83 00	344 25	210 50	4 480 97	17 99	2.685 04	7.166 01	28 78
Totals	4,746	12 116 93	3.119 53	43 185 86	12 613 66	12 514 10	6.531 15	4 162 85	2.477 95	7.998 45	3.269 07	5.996 55	3.318 45	19.832 54	10 260 00	13 323 04	5.647 90	2 479 54	6.072 18	5 986 76	180.926 51	38 12	58.946 62	239.873 13	50 54

EDUCATIONAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1979

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members?	Total Number Subscriptions Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine?	Observe Day of Prayer and Self-Denial?	Present Program On Missions To Youth of Congregation?	Systematic Bible Study?	Prayer Emphasis Observed?	Local Outreach Project?	Family Living Project?	General Support of A Particular Child At Dunlap?	Dunlap General Fund and other Gifts?	Students Contacted For Erskine College?	Project For College Students In Local Congregation?	Youth Project?	Did Youth Attend Conferences and Retreats?	Sent Items To Bonclarkan Gift Shop?	Represented at Presbyterial, District or Presbyterial Work-Shop Bonclarkan Conference?	History Being Written?
Catawba	1,206	811	25	18	27	26	23	16	4	16	21	7	11	18	26	26	25
First	1,447	1.449	28	23	33	30	23	19	4	14	23	12	19	24	31	33	34
Florida	353	173	4	2	7	4	5	3	3	4	4	4	4	7	5	6	7
Mississippi Valley	461	336	19	15	19	19	16	17	0	2	7	2	8	9	16	17	17
Second	870	566	18	17	25	21	17	10	2	9	11	4	11	13	21	23	22
Tenn.-Alabama	160	144	5	2	9	8	8	5	0	3	5	3	2	3	7	7	9
Virginia	249	175	9	6	11	10	8	6	0	0	5	2	5	5	10	10	11
Totals	4,746	3.654	108	83	131	118	100	76	13	48	76	34	60	79	116	122	125

RETIREMENT PLAN

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

	For the Years Ended December 31, 1979	1978
Income from investments:		
Dividend and interest income	$ 87,433	$ 66,366
Realized net gain from sales, maturities or redemptions of investments:		
Proceeds		46,767
Cost		40,089
Net realized gain		6,678
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments:		
Unrealized loss at beginning of year	(74,671)	(48,167)
Unrealized loss at end of year	(41,964)	(74,671)
Unrealized gain (loss) during the year	32,707	(26,504)
Contributions;		
Churches	130,704	102,854
General Synod of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and Agencies	15,206	9,636
Income from Ola B. Hunter Trust	4,257	2,353
	150,167	114,843
	270,307	161,383
Benefits and expenses: —		
Benefits paid from trust	65,625	62,858
Plan expenses:		
Actuarial and accounting services	2,057	8,287
Trustee fees	6,329	6,171
Other	374	58
	74,385	77,374
Increase in net assets for the year	195,922	84,009
Net assets:		
At beginning of year	1,075,521	991,512
At end of year	$1,271,443	$1,075,521

RETIREMENT PLAN

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

	December 31, 1979	1978
Cash held by trustee	$ 628	$ 586
Contributions receivable from Plan Treasurer	10,362	15,176
Investments in securities, at market value (Notes 1 and 4):		
Commercial paper	147,000	75,000
Commingled funds	1,113,841	985,931
	1,260,841	1,060,931
Accrued income receivable	1,545	646
Less — Trustee fee payable	(1,933)	(1,818)
Net assets available for plan benefits	$1,271,443	$1,075,521

HANSEN, PEARSON & ASSOCIATES, P.A. Certified Public Accountants

Board of Trustees
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated

We have examined the combined balance sheet of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1979 and 1978, and the related combined statement of fund balance, statement of changes in capital, statements of revenues and expenditures of the various funds of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated for the years then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1979 and 1978, and the results of its operations and the changes in its fund balances for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis.

HANSEN, PEARSON & ASSOCIATES, P.A.
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
January 16, 1980

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
COMBINED BALANCE SHEET
ASSETS

	SEPTEMBER 30 1979	SEPTEMBER 30 1978
CURRENT ASSETS:		
Cash	$ 31,599	$ 22,581
Certificates of Deposit	37,390	—0—
Pledges Receivable	—0—	47,696
Less: Allowance for Doubtful Pledges	—0—	(47,696)
Accounts Receivable	4,027	576
Inventory	846	969
Interfund Loan Receivable from Building Fund	—0—	31,097
Prepaid Insurance	6,082	5,533
Loan — Hotel Project	—0—	1,226
Total Current Assets	$ 79,944	$ 61,982
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT		
Land	$ 223,330	$ 223,330
Lake	46,600	46,600
Furniture and Fixtures	126,997	122,247
Machinery and Equipment	199,612	192,719
Buildings and Improvements	1,225,057	1,207,149
Total	$1,821,596	$1,792,045
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	561,266	472,837
Property, Plant and Equipment — Net	$1,260,330	$1,319,208
OTHER ASSETS:		
Unallocated Pinecrest Estates Development Costs	$ 14,169	$ 45,534
Pinecrest Land	11,299	45,193
Total Other Assets	$ 25,468	$ 90,727
TOTAL ASSETS	$1,365,742	$1,471,917

LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH

	SEPTEMBER 30 1979	SEPTEMBER 30 1978
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Payroll Taxes Payable	$ 1,756	$ 1,563
Interfund Loan Payable to Operating Fund	—0—	31,097
Advance Deposits	50	100
Accounts Payable	2,717	7,326
Sales Tax Payable	815	939
Note Payable	—0—	40,000
Accrued Interest Payable	—0—	1,341
Deposits on Pinecrest Estates Lots	—0—	2,000
Deferred Income — Spring Planting	500	—0—
Total Current Liabilities	$ 5,838	$ 84,366
NET WORTH:		
Capital	$1,271,629	$ 915,121
Fund Balance	88,275	472,430
Total Net Worth	$1,359,904	$1,387,551
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH	$1,365,742	$1,471,917

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

	Operating Fund	Development Fund	Building Fund	Property, Plant and Equipment Fund
FUND BALANCE — OCTOBER 1, 1977	$25,892	$6,905	$(46,030)	$529,054
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)	14,740	(4,866)	18,976	(79,773)
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT) SEPTEMBER 30, 1978	$48,164	$2,039	$(27,054)	$449,281
EQUITY TRANSFER	(25,015)	(2,039)	27,054	(449,281)
ADJUSTED FUND BALANCE — SEPTEMBER 30, 1978	$23,149	$ —0—	$ —0—	$ —0—
EXCESS REVENUES	65,126	—0—	—0—	—0—
FUND BALANCE — SEPTEMBER 30, 1979	$88,275	$ —0—	$ —0—	$ —0—

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN CAPITAL

	Year Ended September 30 1979	Year Ended September 30 1978
BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	$ 915,121	$ 922,653
EQUITY TRANSFER	449,281	—0—
ADJUSTED BALANCE — OCTOBER 1, 1978	$1,364,402	$ 922,653
TRANSFER OF PINECREST LOT COSTS TO OPERATING FUND	—0—	(7,532)
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)	(92,773)	—0—
BALANCE AT END OF PERIOD	$1,271,629	$ 915,121

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
OPERATING FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

	Year Ended September 30 1979	1978
OPERATING REVENUES:		
Meals	$ 77,652	$ 73,368
Room Rent	56,986	59,065
Apartment and Cottage Rent	12,099	12,529
Convocation Hall and Kitchen Rent	1,650	—0—
Camp Income	3,403	—0—
Gift Shop and Canteen Income	8,598	6,989
Maintenance Fees	969	721
Road Fees	2,515	2,549
Water and Sewer Service	3,781	3,361
Garbage Collection	1,305	1,292
Sales Tax Refund	925	883
Interest	2,840	18
Telephone	522	183
Heat, Lights and Power	221	232
Grounds	2,049	1,728
Miscellaneous	2,043	2,675
Total Operating Revenues	$177,558	$165,593
OPERATING EXPENDITURES:		
Salaries—Administrative	$ 36,025	$ 35,483
—Housekeeping	20,226	14,285
—Maintenance	27,971	27,342
—Gift Shop	2,348	2,608
—Canteen	1,270	1,837
—Contract Labor and Other Salaries	2,550	1,342
Payroll Taxes	4,358	3,936
Retirement	1,347	900
Food and Catering	62,539	57,268
Supplies (Including Shop)	2,746	3,133
Office Expenses	1,418	1,385
Telephone and Telegraph	2,159	2,382
Heat, Lights, and Power	16,219	18,174
Water and Sewage	4,148	3,968
Staff Medical Expense	71	17
Repairs and Maintenance	7,562	6,006
Grounds	2,652	6,805
Auto, Truck and Tractor Expense	2,257	1,330
Promotional	2,352	1,796
Travel — Board of Directors	1,675	2,403
Laundry	2,746	2,903
Garbage Service	2,425	2,425
Camp Expenses	1,000	830
Insurance	12,909	12,192
Legal and Professional Fees	4,215	3,740
Employee Welfare	—0—	50
Taxes and Licenses	5,698	5,884
Dues and Subscriptions	70	160
Miscellaneous Expense	1,425	497
Patrol Service	120	120
Contributions	75	30
Purchase of Assets for Property, Plant and Equipment Fund	29,549	8,861
Total Operating Expenditures	$262,125	$230,092

	Year Ended September 30 1979	1978
EXCESS OPERATING EXPENDITURES	$(84,567)	$(64,499)
CONTRIBUTED REVENUES:		
General Synod	$ 42,242	$ 40,954
Women's Synodical Union	11,682	10,201
Gifts and Memorials	9,925	5,760
Supplemental Offerings	16,938	12,202
Pledge Receipts	7,400	—0—
Development Fund Subsidy	—0—	5,000
Transfer from Plant, Property and Equipment	33,894	—0—
Total Contributed Revenues	$122,081	$ 74,117
PINECREST DEVELOPMENT PROJECT:		
Pinecrest Estates Lot Sales	$114,007	$ 23,500
Less: Development Costs Attributable to Lots Sold	(42,507)	(9,505)
Interest Expense	(700)	(1,341)
Cost of Lots Sold	(33,894)	(7,532)
Commissions and Selling Expenses	(9,294)	—0—
Net Income from Pinecrest Project	$ 27,612	$ 5,122
EXCESS REVENUES	$ 65,126	$ 14,740

AUDITORS' OPINION

The Board of Trustees
Erskine College and Theological
Seminary

We have examined the balance sheet of Erskine College and Theological Seminary as of June 30, 1979 and the related statements of changes in fund balances and current fund revenues, expenditures and other changes for the year then ended. Our examinations were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, such financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College and Seminary at June 30, 1979 and the changes in fund balances and the current fund revenues, expenditures, and other changes for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Deloitte Haskins + Sells

September 20, 1979

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 1979 WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR 1978

-- ASSETS --	1979	1978
CURRENT FUNDS:		
Unrestricted:		
Cash	$ 16,259	$ 9,768
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1979 - $4,519; 1978 - $4,444)	70,285	75,209
Due from other funds	7,205	7,762
Inventories (Note 1)	71,328	60,795
Prepaid expenses	6,823	1,571
Unimproved real estate received as gifts	4,500	4,500
Total unrestricted	176,400	159,605
Restricted:		
Cash	103,037	71,339
Account receivable		500
Due from other funds	59	5,807
Total restricted	103,096	77,646
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS	$ 279,496	$ 237,251
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 72,944	$ 100,122
Accrued interest and accounts receivable	13,829	
Student loan notes receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1979 - $63,863; 1978 - $55,694)	826,199	820,282
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS	$ 912,972	$ 920,404
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 261	$ 110,740
Accrued interest purchased	2,716	2,694
Investments (Note 1 and 2)	4,362,750	4,092,096
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS	$4,365,727	$4,205,530
ANNUITY FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 659	$ 937
Investments	37,750	39,500
TOTAL ANNUITY FUNDS	$ 38,409	$ 40,437

-- LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES --	1979	1978
CURRENT FUNDS:		
Unrestricted:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	$ 140,175	$ 121,662
Notes payable to bank, short-term (Note 3)	150,000	146,949
Deposits and prepayments	34,913	40,399
Due to other funds		78
Deferred income (Note 5)	50,216	58,786
Fund balances (deficit)	(198,904)	(208,269)
Total unrestricted	176,400	159,605
Restricted:		
Due to other funds		550
Fund balances	103,096	77,096
Total restricted	103,096	77,646
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS	$ 279,496	$ 237,251
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:		
Accounts payable	$ 107	$ 17
Fund balances (Note 6)	912,865	920,387
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS	$ 912,972	$ 920,404
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:		
Overdraft in fiscal agent cash	$ 65,433	$ 21,320
Due to other funds	3,080	11,796
Fund balances	4,297,214	4,172,414
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS	$4,365,727	$4,205,530
ANNUITY FUNDS:		
Annuities payable	$ 24,107	$ 21,978
Fund balances (Note 1)	14,302	18,459
TOTAL ANNUITY FUNDS	$ 38,409	$ 40,437

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
BALANCE SHEET, ETC.

-- ASSETS --	1979	1978
PLANT FUNDS:		
Unexpended:		
Cash and short-term investments	$ 702,252	$ 361,200
Pledges receivable, less allowance for doubtful pledges (1979 - $121,856; 1978 - $74,665) (Note 1)	1,096,707	671,988
Accrued interest receivable	8,092	543
Real estate not used for plant purposes	62,046	62,046
Projects in progress	3,236	87,957
Total unexpended	1,872,333	1,183,734
Renewals and replacements:		
Cash	3,662	3,133
Investments	62,044	67,836
Total renewals and replacements	65,706	70,969
Invested in plant (Note 1):		
Grounds	346,148	322,230
Buildings	5,270,186	5,204,470
Equipment	2,077,215	1,923,202
Total invested in plant	7,693,549	7,449,902
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS	$9,631,588	$8,704,605

-- LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES --	1979	1978
PLANT FUNDS:		
Unexpended (Note 7):		
Notes payable (Note 3)	$ 23,817	$ 25,505
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	64	64
Due to other funds	4,184	1,145
Fund balance - Restricted	291,336	253,769
Fund balance - Unrestricted	1,552,932	903,251
Total fund balances	1,844,268	1,157,020
Total unexpended	1,872,333	1,183,734
Renewals and replacements - Fund balance	65,706	70,969
Invested in plant:		
Notes payable (Note 3)	23,847	6,270
Bonds payable (Note 4)	1,247,000	1,282,000
Fund balance	6,422,702	6,161,632
Total invested in plant	7,693,549	7,449,902
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS	$9,631,588	$8,704,605

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1979

	CURRENT FUNDS					PLANT FUNDS		
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	LOAN FUNDS	ENDOWMENT FUNDS	ANNUITY FUNDS	UNEXPENDED	RENEWALS AND REPLACEMENT	INVESTED IN PLANT
REVENUES AND ADDITIONS:								
Education and general	$2,279,811							
Auxiliary enterprises	992,375							
Private gifts and grants		$ 140,636	$ 1,000	$ 114,980	$ 723	$ 819,688		$ 26,604
Investment income		126,818	12,451	6,208		32,145	$ 4,537	
Interest on loans receivable			21,905					
U. S. Government advances and reimbursement for cancelled loans			5,802					
Expended for plant facilities (charged to current funds expenditures)								56,814
U. S. Government grant		40,223						
Rental income						2,672		
Total revenues and additions	3,272,186	307,677	41,158	121,188	723	854,505	4,537	83,418
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DEDUCTIONS:								
Educational and general expenditures	2,234,178	263,495						
Auxiliary enterprises expenditures	935,301	18,182						
Loan cancellations and write-offs			40,067					
Administrative and collection costs			10,045					
Realized losses on investments				1,268				
Repair of plant facilities							17,800	
Interest on indebtedness						1,731		39,403
Disposal of plant facilities								100
Transfer to current funds revenue						10,245		
Campaign expenditures						22,036		
Total expenditures and other deductions	3,169,479	281,677	50,112	1,268		34,012	17,800	39,503
TRANSFERS AMONG FUNDS - Additions (deductions):								
Matured annuity funds				4,880	(4,880)			
Principal and interest for plant facilities debt	(83,910)					2,446		81,464
Renewal and replacement	(8,000)						8,000	
Loan fund matching grant	(1,432)		1,432					
Completed projects						(135,691)		135,691
Total transfers	(93,342)		1,432	4,880	(4,880)	(133,245)	8,000	217,155
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) FOR THE YEAR	9,365	26,000	(7,522)	124,800	(4,157)	687,248	(5,263)	261,070
FUND BALANCES AT BEGINNING OF YEAR:								
As previously reported	(208,269)	77,096	920,387	4,172,414	40,436	1,157,020	70,969	6,161,632
Adjustments (Note 1)					(21,977)			
As adjusted	(208,269)	77,096	920,387	4,172,414	18,459	1,157,020	70,969	6,161,632
FUND BALANCES AT END OF YEAR	$ (198,904)	$ 103,096	$ 912,865	$4,297,214	$ 14,302	$1,844,268	$ 65,706	$6,422,702

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHANGES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1979

	1979 UNRESTRICTED	1979 RESTRICTED	1979 TOTAL	1978 TOTAL
REVENUES:				
Educational and general:				
Tuition and fees	$1,735,233		$1,735,233	$1,616,346
Government grants		$ 40,223	40,223	37,142
Gifts and private grants	366,792	63,891	430,683	438,924
Endowment income	149,093	177,563	326,656	235,317
Sales and services	12,397		12,397	14,417
Interest on temporary investments	8,737		8,737	4,568
Other sources	7,559		7,559	6,302
Total educational and general	2,279,811	281,677	2,561,488	2,353,016
Auxiliary enterprises	992,375		992,375	971,545
Total revenues	3,272,186	281,677	3,553,863	3,324,561
EXPENDITURES AND MANDATORY TRANSFERS:				
Educational and general:				
Instruction	1,052,544	43,944	1,096,488	1,023,616
Libraries	107,933	10,213	118,146	118,401
Operations and maintenance	297,090	8,915	306,005	243,409
General administrative	689,228	22,860	712,088	692,016
Student aid	87,383	177,563	264,946	212,014
Educational and general expenditures	2,234,178	263,495	2,497,673	2,289,456
Mandatory transfers for:				
Principal and interest	11,663		11,663	
Renewals and replacements	8,000		8,000	8,000
Loan fund matching grant	1,432		1,432	4,503
Total educational and general	2,255,273	263,495	2,518,768	2,301,959
Auxiliary enterprises:				
Expenditures	935,301	18,182	953,483	912,700
Mandatory transfers for principal and interest	72,247		72,247	68,230
Total auxiliary enterprises	1,007,548	18,182	1,025,730	980,930
Total expenditures and mandatory transfers	3,262,821	281,677	3,544,498	3,282,889
OTHER - Excess of restricted receipts over transfers to revenue		26,000	26,000	14,977
NET INCREASES IN FUND BALANCES	$ 9,365	$ 26,000	$ 35,365	$ 56,649

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SYNOD'S FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 1979

We are pleased to report that all obligations were paid. Voluntary Commitments including additional contributions and late payments totaled $596,842.19. This represents 100.27% of the total Voluntary Commitments pledged. Eight churches did not pay their commitments in full (two less than last year.)

We are not making a separate report on commitments and payments by individual churches since this data is contained in the statistical report of each presbytery.

The condensed report of the auditor will be submitted for printing in the Minutes of Synod. A copy of the formal audit will be filed with the Principal Clerk of Synod, a copy will be given to members of the Board of Stewardship, and a copy will be filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The audit includes detailed reports of the transactions of the Treasurer and of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

SPECIAL OFFERINGS AND DESIGNATED CAUSES RECEIVED 1979 — CHURCHES

American Bible Society	$ 6,392.18
Benevolent Fund	35,643.78
Bonclarken	12,905.01
Erskine Theological Seminary	17,427.05
Erskine College	13,345.72
One Great Hour of Sharing	26,849.73
Opportunity Fund	18,177.19
	$130,740.66

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone for their loyal support and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
W.M. Kennedy, Treasurer

AUDITOR'S REPORT
THE BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP
GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We have examined the balance sheets of the expendable and non-expendable funds of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as of December 31, 1979 and the related statements of support, revenue, expenses and changes in fund balances and of changes in financial position for the year then ended. Except as stated in the following paragraph, our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

A significant portion of the Synod's revenues are derived from contributions that, by their nature, are not susceptible to accounting control prior to collection and initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, it was impracticable to extend our examination beyond the receipts recorded.

In our opinion, except for the effects of any adjustments that might have resulted had the revenues referred to above been susceptible to satisfactory audit tests, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod at December 31, 1979 and the results of their operations and changes in their financial position for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination also comprehended the supplemental schedules listed in the accompanying table of contents for the year ended December 31, 1979. In our opinion, such supplemental schedules, when considered in relation to the basic financial statements, present fairly in all material respects the information shown therein.

Deloitte, Haskins & Sells
April 14, 1980

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1979

	EXPENDABLE FUND	NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS		
		PERMANENT FUND	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	TOTAL
ASSETS				
CASH	$153,626	$ 2,831	$ 4,739	$161,196
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	3,765			3,765
FUNDS ADVANCED TO PAKISTAN	33,647			33,647
INVESTMENTS	347,201	162,895	230,103	740,199
LAND	35,000			35,000
TOTAL ASSETS	$573,239	$165,726	$234,842	$973,807
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
LIABILITIES:				
Accounts payable	$ 22,882			$ 22,882
Deferred income - subscriptions (Note 1)	27,015			27,015
Note payable-demand (interest at 12%)	33,647			33,647
Total liabilities	83,544			83,544
FUND BALANCES:				
Restricted:				
Foreign missions	93,878	95,322		189,200
Church extension	79,700	51,465		131,165
Dunlap orphanage		18,939	$234,842	253,781
Miscellaneous	126,054			126,054
Unrestricted	190,063			190,063
Total fund balances	489,695	165,726	234,842	890,263
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	$573,239	$165,726	$234,842	$973,807

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENT OF SUPPORT, REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1979

	EXPENDABLE				NONEXPENDABLE			
	RESTRICTED			UNRESTRICTED				
	FOREIGN MISSIONS	CHURCH EXTENSION	MISCELLANEOUS	OPERATING	PERMANENT	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	ELIMINATIONS	TOTAL
SUPPORT AND REVENUE:								
Commitments by Presbyteries and Churches				$594,229				$ 594,229
Designated contributions:								
Foreign missions	$408,565							408,565
Church extension		$39,276						39,276
Christian education			$ 7,271					7,271
Other			135,619					135,619
Miscellaneous			29,267					29,267
A.P.R. magazine				30,406				30,406
Adult quarterly				16,368				16,368
Insurance premiums				91,986				91,986
Interest and dividends				24,028	$ 13,768	$ 434	$(13,768)	24,462
Transfers to restricted funds	(4,084)	(16,988)		21,072				
Transfers from restricted funds	105,701	30,000	110,357					246,058
Miscellaneous				284		234,408		234,692
Total support and revenue	510,182	52,288	282,514	778,373	13,768	234,842	(13,768)	1,858,199
EXPENSES:								
Foreign missions	510,182			157,347	7,918		(7,918)	667,529
Church extension		52,288		127,349	4,275		(4,275)	179,637
Christian education			42,667					42,667
Dunlap orphanage					1,575		(1,575)	
Bonclarken				42,738				42,738
Erskine College				118,363				118,363
General synod				50,957				50,957
Standing committees				18,186				18,186
A.R.P. church center			67,994					67,994
A.R.P. magazine				48,585				48,585
Adult quarterly				14,425				14,425
Insurance premiums				91,986				91,986
Other			171,853	36,192				208,045
Total expenses	510,182	52,288	282,514	706,128	13,768		(13,768)	1,551,112
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF SUPPORT AND REVENUE OVER EXPENSES				72,245		234,842		307,087
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	125,061	58,850	112,008	185,499	165,726			647,144
ADDITIONS TO FUND:								
Interest and dividends	470		4,218					4,688
Gifts and bequests	69,964	33,862	73,576					177,402
Transfers from unrestricted operating fund	4,084	16,988	35,125	(56,197)				
LESS TRANSFERS TO INCOME	(105,701)	(30,000)	(110,357)					(246,058)
OTHER TRANSFERS			11,484	(11,484)				
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	$ 93,878	$79,700	$126,054	$190,063	$165,726	$234,842		$ 890,263

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1979

	EXPENDABLE FUND	NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS		
		PERMANENT FUND	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	TOTAL
RESOURCES PROVIDED:				
Excess of support and revenue over expenses	$ 72,245		$234,842	$307,087
Increase in accounts payable	22,882			22,882
Increase in deferred income	7,603			7,603
Increase in note payable	14,576			14,576
Temporary investment matured	85,343	$29,997		115,340
Total resources provided	202,649	29,997	234,842	467,488
RESOURCES USED:				
Purchase of investments	140,000	30,300	230,103	400,403
Increase in accounts receivable and advances	5,343			5,343
Other	7,772			7,772
Transfers	56,197			56,197
Total resources used	209,312	30,300	230,103	469,715
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	$ (6,663)	$ (303)	$ 4,739	$ (2,227)

A CHARGE TO THE PASTORS AND CONGREGATIONS OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ON THE OCCASION OF THE COMMISSIONING OF EVALYN AND JIM COAD

Last night in the retiring Moderator's sermon, Clyde McCants reminded us of our marching orders as he preached on the text, the words of Jesus, "As the Father sent me into the world, so do I send you." The one whom we call Lord has sent us to serve and to practice the policy of self-denial.

Another aspect of our marching orders is that we are sent **into all the world** to do the job we have been given to do. It has been said that the theme of salvation runs like a scarlet thread throughout the Bible. One of the principal things the Bible says about salvation is that God meant for His salvation to be for the whole world. Throughout the Bible, we are confronted constantly with the divine missions' mandate.

Time permits the reading of only a few of the many significant missions' passages in the Bible.

The missions' note is sounded strongly and repeatedly in the Psalms — a part of God's word which has meant something special to our own denomination.

In Psalm 86:9-10, we read:

> All the nations thou hast made shall come and bow down before Thee, O Lord, and shall glorify thy name. For thou art great and doest wondrous things, thou alone art God.

In Psalm 67, we find one of the great missionary songs of the ages:

> May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that thy way may be known upon earth, thy saving power among all nations. Let the peoples praise thee, O God; let all the peoples praise thee!
>
> Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for thou dost judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth. Let the peoples praise thee, O God; let all the peoples praise thee!
>
> The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, has blessed us. God has blessed us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!

On the historic occasion of the dedication of the Temple, King Solomon made the missions' emphasis an important part of the prayer of dedication:

> [The temple was being built] that all the peoples of the earth may know God's name and fear Him . . ." (I Kings 8:34)

The Servant Songs found in Isaiah present the cause of World Missions clearly and strongly:

> He will bring forth justice to the nations . . .
> He will not fail or be discouraged till he has established justice in the earth.
> [He will be] a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. (Isa. 42:1, 4, 6-7)

The mandate for world missions was presented most clearly by the Master Himself on the occasion of His ascension. At this momentous moment in history Jesus said to the Apostles:

> It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has fixed by his own authority. But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria and to the end of the earth. (Acts 1:7-8)

It is clear that our marching orders include the command and commission to go into all the world and make known the good news of God and Jesus to all people.

In the light of this clear mandate, on this significant occasion, I charge the pastors and congregations of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to accept a challenge — the challenge to do more for world missions the coming year than you did last year.

Do more of the things we usually do in support of missions. **Pray more.** Pray specifically. Mention Evalyn and Jim Coad and our other missionaries by name. Pray for John Mariner. Pray for the World Mission Board. Give missions priority in the total prayer life of your congregation. **Give more.** Increase the voluntary commitment of your congregation; almost 25% of Synod's benevolent budget is allocated to world missions. Give more to the One Great Hour of Sharing Special Offering received on Easter Sunday. Give something extra to world missions.

Do something for world missions that you have never done before. There are so many things you can do. You can set up a world missions' committee; you can have a world missions' conference; you can organize a World Missions' Society; you can write missionaries on furlough to speak in your church; preachers can present the cause of world missions from the pulpit.

I charge the Synod to give careful and prayerful attention to the specific world missions' proposals made by the Special Committee on Priorities. I call attention to two of these specific proposals: (1) That Synod support the World Witness short-term goal of 29 ARP missionaries and (2) That each Presbytery request World Witness to conduct a missions' conference in its Presbytery for pastors, one Elder, one Deacon, the World Witness Chairman of the W.S.U., and a youth member of each church within the next year.

May the installation of Evalyn and Jim Coad impress anew upon our minds and hearts the Master's consuming desire that we his followers "go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that [He] has commanded."

If we are willing to carry out the commission, we have this promise, "Lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age."

L.M. Allison
(Given on June 3, 1980)

PRESBYTERY REPORTS AND STATISTICAL TABLES
January 1 - December 31, 1979

PRESBYTERY REPORTS

The information included herein is taken from the Presbytery Reports submitted to the Principal Clerk and from the Annual Statistical Reports submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The names of congregations, names of ministers, names of seminary students, and the names of elders lost by death appear elsewhere in the **Minutes of Synod.**

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Edwards Memorial, Faith, Hopewell, New Hope, First Lancaster, White Oak. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Dutch Fork ($12,480), Wando ($11,928). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** J. D. McLurkin. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** J. Frank Beard. **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificates:** Jerry Wright, C. Tom Fincher, James D. McLurkin. **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** A. C. Reed (New Hope and White Oak). **Number Active Elders:** 262. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Centennial (R. Wyndal Howard, Walter B. Todd, Sr.), Hickory Grove (Jamie Gamble, David Mitchell, Jr.), Hopewell (James Watt Weir), Neely's Creek (John T. Boyd, Carlyle Carter, Jack Glasscock), Smyrna (Carlyle McGill), Tirzah (David Adams, Lyle Burton), Unity (S. H. Carter). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 282. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 23. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 3.

FIRST PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Boyce Memorial, Chalmers Memorial, Elk Shoals, First Gastonia, Pressly Memorial, Prosperity, Saint Andrew, and Westminster. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Christ's Community ($6,781.60). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** John Kimmons (11-14-79), Harry Schutte (12-18-79), Zeb Williams (4-17-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificates:** Harry Cain (8-21-79). **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** H. Mac Wallace (Westminster). **Number Active Elders:** 332. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Back Creek (Hubert Helms, E. W. Hodges, III, J. B. Stroup, Sr.), Boyce Memorial (James Owens, Menzell Phifer), Covenant (Vaden Leon Matthews), Crowders Creek (William S. Best), First Union (David A. Bland), First Gastonia (Charles W. Pearson, Sr., William D. Philpot, J. Y. Todd, Jr.), Glenwood (R. W. Parker), Idlewild (David J. Cathcart), Mooresville (George H. Neill), New Sterling (Coite Deal, Dale Massey, Clyde Reese), Pinecrest (Jim Newman, Don Williams, Ray Ward), Pisgah (Robert Teague, Ed Pearson), Statesville First (George Armistead, Ralph Mullis, Ray Raymer), Tabernacle (Raymond Thomas). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 344. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 55. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 9.

FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: None. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Faith ($5,000.), Grace Presbyterian ($13,000). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Leonard H. Bullock (9-9-79), John M. Rogers (10-21-79). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** None. **Number Active Elders:** 77. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Avon Park (Cornelius Andreae, Robert Clawson), Chapel-by-the-Sea (Don Bullard, Howard Clifford), Lake Placid (John Burry, Floyd Wierda), Trinity (W. Wade Burley, Sr., David M. Dennis, Sr.). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** Covenant (Dr. George Kendricks). **Number Active Deacons:** 78. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 22. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 1.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Brighton, Elsberry, Ebenezer, Rives, Troy. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Greenview Heights ($4,666.66), Providence ($10,752.29). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** John A. Coad (6-5-79), James D. McLurkin (1-19-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificates:** None. **Ministers Not On Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Vernie Bartlett (Hickory Springs), James A. Ragsdale (Havana). **Number Active Elders:** 122. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Covington (A. J. Roy), Havana (Lewis O. D. Kealer), Parkway Place (Ralph S. Keheley), Richland (Floyd McCalla, Loraine McDaniel, Johnny Rountree), Southwest (Jon Atkins). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** 5. **Number Active Deacons:** 107. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 20. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 4.

SECOND PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Abbeville, Bethlehem, Cedar Springs, Due West, Generostee, Louisville, Lower Long Cane, Mount Carmel, Pressly Memorial, Troy, Tucker, Woodruff. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Grace ($4,520.81). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Billy O. Fleming (5-25-80), Gilbert Rowell (5-25-80). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** S. Harry Cain (8-21-79), L. Thomas Richie (4-22-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** J. Frank Beard (7-20-79), Robert S. Miles, Jr. (9-11-79), Gilbert Rowell (6-2-80). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Charles E. Edwards (Due West), L. M. Allison (Generostee), R. A. King (Lower Long Cane and Troy). **Number Active Elders:** 187. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Cannon's Creek-Prosperity (John Keister Willingham), Doraville (W. H. Eades, R. E. Heimbigner), Due West (R. S. Ellis, Jr.), Greenville (H. Elliott Batson), Grier Memorial (Lloyd Auten), Highlands (Cornelius A. Harmon), Newberry (J. Richard Lominick, Jr.), Spartanburg (Darrell Bond, William M. Smith), Young Memorial (Lewis Hopkins). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Active Deacons:** 170. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 29. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 4.

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: None. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** None. **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Calvin Draffin (5-27-79). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Phillip Messick (Hopewell), Hascal Bain (Lincoln). **Number Active Elders:** 60. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Bethel (Curtis Mitchell), Prosperity, Ala. (Russell B. Chisolm), Prosperity, Tn. (Erskine Jennings). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 48. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 9. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 4.

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Broad Creek, Spring Valley, Timber Ridge, Wildhurst. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Johnson's Creek ($300), Kingsborough ($3,000). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Robert S. Miles, Jr. (9-12-79), Robert A. Whitesides (1-1-80), David R. Ellis (6-2-80). **Ministers Lost By Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Robert W. Siemens (Ballston Center). **Number Active Elders:** 101. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Ballston Center (Alfred Haenel), Edgemont (Roger Wayne Ogden), Fairlea (Philip Vance), Kingsborough (Carmen Caraco, John Hoeprich, John Rogers), Lauderdale (James Arway Kirby, Jr.), Old Providence (Edwin Brooks). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 78. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 12. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 2.

STATISTICAL TABLES
January 1 — December 31, 1979

The annual statistical reports have been tabulated for printing in the Minutes of Synod, using information submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center as of December 31, 1979.

The following notes of explanation should be reyiewed prior to drawing conclusions from the statistical information:

1. Reports were not received from the following churches (indicated by **): Pressly Memorial, N.C.; Prosperity, N. C.; Rives; Cedar Springs; Lower Long Cane; Tucker; and Lincoln Memorial. The only data included for these churches are the last reported Total and Active Communicant Membership figures.

2. **RECEIPTS**

a. **Auxiliary Treasurers:** This column reflects receipts reported through the auxiliary organizations, i.e., church school, men's and women's organizations, and youth groups.

b. **Other Receipts:** This column reflects receipts through Bequests and Wills, Synod and Presbytery Supplements, Transfers from Savings, etc. These receipts are not a part of the regular tithes and offerings of the membership.

3. **AVERAGE PER CAPITA GIVING:** This reflects the average given by each ACTIVE COMMUNICANT MEMBER, excluding those funds reported as Other Receipts.

4. **DISBURSEMENTS**

Paid on Voluntary Commitment—No attempt was made to reconcile the amounts reported here and the total amount reported by Synod's auditor. These figures represent the totals reported in the Statistical Reports.

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERIES

	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Catawba.....	5,790	87	102	24	72	112	63	5,756	4,521	687	77	2,554	3,310	181	132	123	129	57	23	1,234	235	98	1,201
First.....	8,954	103	201	34	101	134	166	8,891	6,369	1,172	114	3,641	4,550	279	177	143	174	79	77	1,521	452	84	1,940
Florida.....	2,740	60	125	70	39	70	42	2,844	2,301	341	54	1,367	1,227	143	100	39	44	79	39	368	5	122	542
Mississippi Valley	2,804	39	51	16	37	62	131	2,680	1,941	263	46	987	1,705	125	54	40	34	23	10	496	132	46	595
Second.....	4,825	79	122	29	51	110	46	4,848	3,819	625	74	2,024	2,376	157	99	99	76	51	29	787	187	91	910
Tennessee-Alabama.	962	1	18	3	14	5	0	965	700	61	12	379	505	47	18	14	5	10	13	177	25	0	163
Virginia.....	2,573	10	18	7	31	40	8	2,529	1,598	322	22	1,201	1,191	65	50	23	7	7	41	329	0	0	882
TOTALS FOR 1979...	28,648	379	637	183	345	533	456	28,513	21,249	3,471	399	12,153	14,864	997	630	481	469	306	232	4,912	1,036	441	6,233
TOTALS FOR 1978...	28,329	403	658	268	320	498	196	28,644	21,531	3,495	0	0	15,472	908	546	410	453	216	140	4,631	1,266	495	5,523

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES							
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year
Catawba.....	$1,051,678	$ 74,096	$ 147,177	$ 16,028	$126,050	$337	$109,400	$1,524,429
First.....	1,480,717	74,679	250,800	50,607	97,243	336	187,048	2,141,094
Florida.....	625,433	82,554	215,727	22,349	33,994	442	37,862	1,017,919
Mississippi Valley	677,320	29,435	50,707	23,922	56,420	454	44,090	881,894
Second.....	915,235	41,953	233,436	16,587	75,982	393	217,323	1,500,516
Tennessee-Alabama.	145,614	9,562	15,299	5,161	17,343	328	36,767	229,746
Virginia.....	259,894	10,428	38,050	12,238	32,767	234	21,346	374,723
TOTALS FOR 1979...	$5,155,891	$322,707	$ 951,196	$146,892	$439,799	$361	$653,836	$7,670,321
TOTALS FOR 1978...	$4,812,974	$352,401	$ 949,348	$ 71,580	$391,240	$305	$663,453	$7,240,916

	DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES											
	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Catawba.....	$ 338,544	$157,346	$ 23,064	$ 268,992	$ 327,329	$12,666	$ 27,030	$148,649	$ 29,452	$ 48,661	$111,723	$ 25,253	$1,518,709
First.....	447,240	283,065	31,769	389,102	480,957	20,828	34,283	178,440	25,596	44,856	92,160	94,530	2,122,826
Florida.....	163,477	173,923	30,757	103,076	219,098	3,217	15,692	61,347	29,263	47,488	28,214	36,583	912,135
Mississippi Valley	254,479	68,163	8,956	144,580	203,742	4,679	18,117	49,119	14,947	36,870	46,576	16,500	866,728
Second.....	314,159	142,930	15,924	352,804	303,172	4,797	22,332	117,259	23,892	27,653	59,885	66,955	1,451,762
Tennessee-Alabama.	66,544	7,951	5,115	38,706	40,338	150	3,780	18,279	9,296	2,280	14,114	16,028	222,581
Virginia.....	88,935	34,027	4,900	61,049	81,988	7,343	8,176	23,846	3,320	10,884	27,750	28,589	380,807
TOTALS FOR 1979...	$1,673,378	$867,405	$120,485	$1,358,309	$1,656,624	$53,680	$129,410	$596,939	$135,766	$218,692	$380,422	$284,438	$7,475,548
TOTALS FOR 1978...	$1,570,133	$766,072	$181,735	$1,456,839	$1,423,697	$38,416	$ 96,110	$559,579	$145,482	$144,673	$323,090	$101,430	$6,807,256

Catawba Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, W. L. Barron	194	3	0	2	1	0	0	198	158	26	5	111	119	9	4	7	4	0	5	38	0	38	41
Bethel, J. R. Wolff	216	0	0	0	4	2	3	207	142	14	0	74	57	11	7	0	0	0	0	47	0	0	100
Blacksburg, R. M. Williams	106	4	1	2	2	0	0	111	68	11	2	35	45	3	4	5	4	0	0	11	0	20	23
Centennial, J. C. Barker	503	3	10	0	6	21	0	489	396	59	5	310	298	14	5	0	16	10	2	107	0	0	55
Chester, D. L. Pearson	310	6	11	0	9	4	0	314	230	44	3	121	178	10	7	11	13	0	0	85	35	0	98
Clover, C. W. Todd	417	0	0	1	5	3	0	410	296	43	1	210	213	0	0	12	6	0	0	91	0	0	58
Dutch Fork, J. F. Beard	31	0	3	0	0	3	4	27	9	4	0	7	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eden Terrace, W. L. Mitchell	55	6	2	0	0	0	0	63	46	8	4	29	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	25
Edgemoor, J. A. Derrick	135	4	3	0	0	1	0	141	111	18	3	88	87	13	9	6	4	0	0	38	0	0	47
Edwards Memorial, L. Hoogenboom, Clerk	63	0	0	1	1	5	3	55	49	14	1	27	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
Faith, R. A. Whitesides	127	4	2	0	0	6	3	124	74	41	0	21	77	15	5	11	0	0	0	20	15	0	40
Hickory Grove, R. M. Wilson	62	0	0	0	4	0	0	58	35	0	0	12	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
Horewell, W. W. McKown, Clerk	71	3	0	1	1	0	0	74	46	7	2	23	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0
Lancaster First, J. N. Blanks, Clerk	359	1	7	1	1	12	0	355	310	65	4	225	210	10	10	8	10	12	0	89	35	0	0
Neely's Creek, G. F. Johnson	516	9	14	4	3	9	5	526	446	49	8	185	384	18	19	13	11	8	7	108	0	0	137
New Hope, M. E. Stevenson, Clerk	32	0	0	0	1	1	0	30	18	12	0	7	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
Oak Grove, J. A. Derrick	37	0	0	0	0	1	0	36	17	6	0	14	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Oak Ridge, H. M. Bolin	109	0	0	0	1	6	3	99	72	13	2	51	57	0	3	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill, H. M. Bolin	132	1	1	3	3	1	0	133	96	8	2	40	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	24	0	0
Rock Hill First, R. J. Robinson	469	12	19	0	4	3	0	493	410	43	7	200	227	17	7	10	7	0	0	85	0	0	185
Rogers Memorial, F. J. Musselman	247	1	2	2	3	8	0	241	173	22	3	133	121	6	7	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	0
Sharon, J. H. Bowce	104	4	3	0	3	0	1	107	95	12	5	46	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0
Sherwood Forest, C. R. Beard	250	1	2	0	0	4	0	249	219	42	2	89	88	0	7	8	10	0	0	40	29	0	47
Shiloh, R. W. Dickson	222	1	6	0	0	4	0	225	180	28	2	77	137	7	5	0	9	7	0	55	38	0	73
Smyrna, R. M. Wilson	66	0	1	0	1	0	0	66	66	5	3	25	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0
Tirzah, C. W. Medlin	252	9	3	0	3	6	0	255	202	20	1	75	127	10	14	6	5	6	0	49	19	0	66
Union, J. A. Derrick	141	4	4	0	2	3	0	144	120	11	2	65	88	8	4	12	7	7	0	43	0	0	34
Unity, G. H. Smith, Jr.	342	5	2	5	7	6	1	340	284	49	5	163	249	24	15	14	8	7	9	82	40	40	90
Wando, R. A. Foster	16	0	1	1	0	0	0	18	10	2	0	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
White Oak, W. B. Patrick, Clerk	30	2	4	0	1	0	0	35	25	2	2	15	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
York, J. B. Hendrick	176	4	1	1	6	3	40	133	118	9	3	68	119	6	0	0	15	0	0	50	0	0	39
TOTALS	5,790	87	102	24	72	112	63	5,756	4,521	687	77	2,554	3,310	181	132	123	129	57	23	1,234	235	98	1,201

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Bethany.....	$ 34,422	$ 451	$ 0	$ 0	$ 2,110	$234	$ 0	$ 36,983	$ 11,855	$ 3,459	$ 0	$ 6,226	$ 5,272	$ 395	$ 864	$ 2,500	$ 294	$ 1,000	$ 2,110	$ 2,000	$ 35,975
Bethel.....	34,772	1,489	212	1,440	7,822	322	325	46,060	2,593	4,184	0	6,043	10,037	419	856	5,500	1,344	1,440	7,741	0	40,157
Blacksburg.....	17,779	1,845	9,442	0	2,713	468	23,000	54,799	10,284	1,680	0	34,129	0	0	710	2,400	1,865	0	2,773	0	53,841
Centennial.....	107,251	3,187	19,030	2,442	12,402	364	4,188	148,500	20,148	31,581	697	20,320	29,664	984	1,380	18,936	2,581	6,346	13,023	554	146,214
Chester.....	72,746	4,090	4,000	56	5,884	377	0	86,776	23,700	16,447	2,080	9,750	20,956	676	1,584	10,000	1,624	0	5,884	0	92,701
Clover.....	65,538	2,121	0	0	6,067	249	0	73,726	17,300	8,415	62	4,641	19,472	691	1,109	8,750	1,879	2,200	6,067	1,000	71,586
Dutch Fork.....	3,370	0	0	0	0	374	12,193	15,563	7,151	0	0	0	6,098	0	616	750	300	0	0	0	14,915
Eden Terrace.....	16,726	248	5,606	0	1,001	513	5,200	28,781	10,400	0	0	10,506	6,063	148	844	1,100	161	0	0	0	29,222
Edgemoor.....	21,004	1,758	509	0	3,177	238	0	26,448	6,101	1,080	0	692	11,005	248	461	3,400	1,099	0	2,840	0	26,926
Edwards Memorial..	23,031	170	0	406	315	488	34	23,956	10,110	0	0	3,679	6,638	121	893	0	114	3,203	383	0	25,141
Faith.....	22,970	589	648	0	3,264	371	3,700	31,171	13,866	1,820	24	3,401	6,899	283	888	960	433	60	3,393	0	32,027
Hickory Grove.....	7,984	576	0	0	1,021	274	0	9,581	4,980	370	0	0	2,590	138	476	1,603	516	0	1,021	0	11,694
Horeweil.....	10,451	633	8,361	1,000	1,761	483	1,964	24,170	0	4,456	60	16,447	1,807	222	0	1,000	442	1,000	1,756	4,865	32,055
Lancaster First...	70,717	2,122	0	8,862	14,904	312	2,626	99,231	8,899	15,030	0	0	22,078	949	1,522	10,901	1,628	11,584	11,352	2,626	86,569
Neely's Creek.....	77,893	32,379	31,891	0	10,892	343	0	153,055	19,560	16,607	11,254	35,384	26,751	625	1,440	12,976	2,728	17,546	8,768	0	153,639
New Hope.....	2,100	1,100	200	0	683	227	0	4,083	1,925	0	900	0	0	193	0	800	100	0	0	0	3,918
Oak Grove.....	5,612	721	0	0	3,715	591	0	10,048	2,340	0	0	0	1,504	299	187	825	471	0	2,759	0	8,385
Oak Ridge.....	22,089	310	2,879	260	533	362	0	26,071	6,533	1,252	260	11,347	8,883	164	225	1,900	275	0	416	0	31,255
Pleasant Hill.....	25,278	2,676	15,129	0	2,376	474	25,785	71,244	7,098	1,825	1,075	38,337	9,376	379	432	4,035	858	0	2,376	0	65,791
Rock Hill First...	84,110	4,586	2,012	0	9,981	246	7,550	108,239	22,410	20,678	1,794	8,450	25,176	1,171	1,662	12,702	2,200	0	9,476	0	105,719
Rogers Memorial...	52,600	1,175	2,376	0	2,628	340	0	58,779	13,953	10,101	495	6,514	22,042	347	1,097	4,000	646	3,000	2,616	1,158	65,969
Sharon.....	25,626	1,106	449	0	5,313	342	0	32,494	12,362	600	135	0	7,452	249	883	4,700	852	1,282	4,313	5,500	38,328
Sherwood Forest...	31,180	358	4,845	0	3,702	183	0	40,085	13,200	3,998	0	4,845	7,086	350	933	5,653	358	0	3,702	0	40,125
Shiloh.....	42,710	614	3,820	0	4,476	287	0	51,620	16,302	2,840	560	6,761	7,976	1,286	1,220	7,300	541	0	4,350	5,000	54,136
Smyrna.....	14,715	716	0	0	1,289	253	1,361	18,081	5,180	0	0	0	3,666	147	442	2,400	651	0	1,210	0	13,696
Tirzah.....	28,428	0	0	300	5,430	169	0	34,158	12,840	1,440	0	0	11,333	349	1,104	4,101	181	0	4,832	0	36,180
Union.....	22,083	1,526	0	0	3,749	228	330	27,688	7,200	0	1,103	0	7,563	528	572	2,650	685	0	0	0	20,301
Unity.....	59,929	3,830	27,616	0	5,098	340	0	96,473	17,181	5,389	2,265	27,616	21,305	783	1,530	11,357	1,206	0	5,098	2,550	96,280
Wando.....	3,602	68	1,397	1,262	0	633	20,983	27,312	18,735	0	0	575	4,111	0	2,248	0	68	0	0	0	25,737
White Oak.....	9,529	2,090	0	0	280	476	0	11,899	2,100	0	300	0	1,478	273	0	1,850	1,855	0	0	0	7,856
York.....	35,433	1,542	6,755	0	3,464	400	161	47,355	12,238	4,094	0	13,329	13,048	249	852	3,600	1,497	0	3,464	0	52,371
TOTALS.....	$1,051,678	$ 74,096	$ 147,177	$ 16,028	$126,050	$337	$109,400	$1,524,429	$ 338,544	$157,346	$ 23,064	$ 268,992	$ 327,329	$12,666	$ 27,030	$148,649	$ 29,452	$ 48,661	$111,723	$ 25,253	$1,518,709

First Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Back Creek, A. C. Bridges	371	9	8	0	4	8	2	374	264	50	4	117	196	9	6	8	9	11	8	64	40	0	161
Bowce Memorial, H. Davidson, Clerk	337	1	7	0	3	5	0	337	249	48	6	126	225	16	10	11	13	8	0	77	0	0	171
Burlington First, E. T. Robinson	283	0	12	5	4	8	0	288	154	31	1	150	243	12	12	0	0	0	0	56	26	0	110
Chalmers Memorial, R. Satterfield, Clerk	187	0	0	3	5	10	0	175	91	14	2	80	49	0	7	0	5	0	0	28	7	0	0
Charlotte First, P. L. Sherrill	134	0	0	0	2	2	40	90	47	4	0	35	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0
Christ Community, J. S. Kimmons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coddle Creek, J. C. Wallace, Clerk	294	2	0	0	3	4	3	286	160	23	2	75	179	0	0	0	0	0	10	48	0	0	0
Concord, G. R. Slater	123	1	3	1	2	0	0	126	72	16	2	46	60	5	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	24
Covenant, C. L. Mitchell	143	4	7	2	0	3	0	153	88	18	3	35	74	9	11	7	5	0	0	38	0	0	73
Crais Avenue, C. A. Steele	204	0	0	6	0	0	0	210	146	27	7	68	86	0	11	0	15	0	2	27	25	0	87
Crowders Creek, C. B. Evans	274	2	4	4	1	4	0	279	242	31	4	130	190	12	9	9	8	0	0	71	40	0	61
Ebenezer, J. L. Carson	303	2	10	1	1	12	11	292	238	64	4	140	227	16	10	7	7	0	0	57	0	0	0
Elk Shoals, C. E. Linderman	65	3	0	0	0	1	0	67	48	10	2	40	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
First Union, B. S. Howell, Jr.	272	0	2	0	1	5	0	268	150	18	1	35	78	7	9	0	0	0	0	102	14	12	29
Garrison Memorial, A. A. Fischer	92	2	2	0	0	0	15	81	77	7	2	30	7	0	0	2	5	3	0	12	0	0	0
Gastonia First, E. Hanna, Clerk	378	0	7	0	6	3	7	369	305	33	2	195	194	14	7	5	7	0	13	107	45	25	0
Gilead, W. A. Macaulay, Jr.	161	2	0	0	1	1	0	161	122	29	5	87	80	13	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	35
Glenwood, B. E. Murdock	522	3	3	0	1	3	75	449	343	41	5	130	170	17	0	0	0	0	8	58	0	17	82
Huntersville, M. L. Cavin	154	5	1	0	1	2	0	157	128	22	4	54	115	0	14	0	5	0	0	36	0	0	72
Idlewild, R. M. Wallace, Jr.	180	2	16	0	0	6	0	192	167	70	4	84	82	25	7	18	23	18	0	36	0	0	0
Linden, W. H. Blair	286	6	8	0	3	3	2	292	186	24	6	110	165	14	0	11	17	12	8	45	0	30	113
Maurin Avenue, J. R. Blevins	117	8	6	0	2	0	0	129	86	8	1	53	78	0	0	11	0	0	0	20	12	0	0
Mooresville, B. McLendon	208	0	3	0	3	0	0	208	181	14	3	81	108	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	0
New Amity, W. P. Flemins	128	0	8	0	1	10	0	125	60	10	0	55	67	10	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	39
New Covenant, L. L. Richardson	397	2	5	0	6	6	0	392	206	32	1	253	100	0	8	0	0	0	0	31	0	0	42
New Perth, R. E. Sherer	295	6	2	0	9	5	0	289	230	24	5	105	228	29	16	12	15	7	0	50	50	0	0
New Sterling, C. E. Linderman	326	0	28	0	2	5	0	347	228	49	4	191	159	20	0	10	11	0	0	42	0	0	84
Pinecrest, C. A. Reed	147	13	28	10	5	1	11	181	179	23	7	98	58	8	6	9	6	6	6	20	0	0	48
Pissah, R. B. Elliott, Jr.	446	7	10	1	7	5	0	452	418	123	7	229	257	7	11	12	15	7	9	99	68	0	168
Pressly Memorial, R. R. Rary, Clerk**	189	0	0	0	0	0	0	189	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prosperity, W. M. Lindley, Clerk**	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	145	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew, L. Fox, Clerk	161	1	0	0	0	4	0	158	125	21	1	54	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0
Sandy Plains, W. A. Robfogel	103	1	3	0	2	0	0	105	60	11	1	30	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	8
Statesville First, R. B. Leastrott	957	7	12	0	10	11	0	955	644	243	5	400	539	29	13	11	8	7	13	113	0	0	157
Stony Point, W. P. Flemins	35	4	0	0	2	0	0	37	31	7	0	15	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabernacle, H. E. Pressly	509	10	6	1	14	7	0	505	437	22	12	300	273	7	10	0	0	0	0	110	125	0	376
Westainster, J. R. Young, Clerk	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	22	5	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	8,954	103	201	34	101	134	166	8,891	6,369	1,172	114	3,641	4,550	279	177	143	174	79	77	1,521	452	84	1,940

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
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Back Creek.....	$ 69,447	$ 9,074	$ 5,145	$ 650	$ 7,171	$347	$ 4,238	$ 95,725	$ 17,009	$ 19,633	$ 6,063	$ 4,230	$ 19,422	$ 1,303	$ 1,175	$ 11,136	$ 2,779	$ 650	$ 6,878	$ 0	$ 90,278
Bowce Memorial....	44,691	1,373	29,832	0	6,302	330	0	82,198	11,307	2,890	0	29,832	15,757	275	1,056	7,750	1,373	825	5,045	157	76,267
Burlington First..	42,143	489	5,321	229	1,908	325	0	50,090	16,610	6,119	137	14,232	5,810	262	1,180	5,182	489	229	1,908	0	52,158
Chalmers Memorial.	15,989	281	0	10	1,863	199	6,592	24,735	0	4,847	120	0	28,991	100	640	1,700	161	0	1,983	0	38,542
Charlotte First...	11,144	186	0	0	1,302	269	0	12,632	5,482	0	0	0	4,963	0	384	315	186	0	1,302	0	12,632
Christ Community..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coddle Creek.....	29,075	784	3,500	1,534	338	220	0	35,231	12,873	0	339	2,750	13,345	698	890	4,200	711	886	751	0	37,443
Concord.....	21,858	225	0	10	1,436	327	2,533	26,062	11,982	1,120	0	2,142	7,781	268	962	3,424	208	400	273	0	28,560
Covenant.....	21,541	10,099	966	240	0	373	13,340	46,186	16,714	1,320	689	11,673	6,671	417	976	2,400	507	240	0	1,795	43,402
Craig Avenue.....	35,852	335	6,446	0	0	292	15,984	58,617	16,179	5,620	224	33,661	0	232	1,171	1,500	82	0	0	0	58,669
Crowders Creek....	74,796	521	0	0	4,236	329	3,112	82,665	18,158	3,929	0	9,595	26,626	1,080	1,152	8,700	521	4,376	3,268	797	78,202
Ebenezer.....	56,316	20,317	12,000	13,196	5,930	453	0	107,759	13,748	20,436	13,617	12,000	38,492	200	936	2,400	0	0	5,930	0	107,759
Elk Shoals.....	5,707	546	776	0	1,097	169	0	8,126	2,400	240	265	442	1,230	99	230	720	257	0	648	0	6,531
First Union.....	19,419	1,084	8,751	0	2,480	212	39,483	71,217	8,785	2,643	591	15,540	9,288	200	0	3,403	267	777	2,286	27,285	71,065
Garrison Memorial.	17,428	0	1,273	0	0	243	0	18,701	11,727	0	0	1,162	5,892	75	727	1,020	36	0	0	0	20,639
Gastonia First....	114,556	4,298	11,148	26,662	14,263	560	5,154	176,081	16,177	28,616	2,482	16,994	44,864	632	1,944	16,000	1,634	25,845	11,666	1,000	167,854
Gilead.....	24,521	751	2,017	0	2,639	245	17,042	46,970	11,625	0	425	19,059	6,453	270	691	2,200	256	0	2,566	0	43,545
Glenwood.....	45,370	1,951	3,091	0	0	147	1,037	51,449	16,207	9,651	0	4,030	17,956	1,000	985	3,467	1,405	0	0	0	54,701
Huntersville.....	30,062	5,660	5,138	75	2,275	338	0	43,210	11,416	3,875	0	5,055	10,149	275	765	4,200	1,185	0	2,275	0	39,195
Idlewild.....	44,382	115	8,692	0	0	318	0	53,189	23,703	7,960	0	10,063	10,081	300	1,360	1,500	115	0	0	0	55,082
Linden.....	43,184	1,205	16,888	359	2,204	343	2,334	66,174	15,456	9,813	664	17,349	7,362	874	1,349	6,500	428	586	2,204	0	62,585
Maupin Avenue.....	23,852	165	0	0	1,259	294	0	25,276	8,788	3,700	122	793	7,660	111	709	1,800	31	0	414	0	24,128
Mooresville.....	46,197	1,232	1,809	0	0	272	0	49,238	12,285	7,500	271	10,145	11,088	275	792	3,823	941	10	0	0	47,130
New Amity.....	22,626	0	0	0	0	377	0	22,626	10,818	0	0	0	7,811	50	501	2,200	166	0	0	0	21,546
New Covenant.....	37,754	7,137	400	996	2,593	237	3,929	52,809	15,578	9,686	0	2,149	14,345	868	1,152	5,700	537	1,029	2,593	0	53,637
New Perth.....	58,790	0	0	2,400	3,786	283	0	64,976	16,830	10,170	2,400	0	17,741	600	1,135	6,200	3,100	0	3,420	3,000	64,596
New Sterlings.....	45,063	859	2,517	550	3,238	229	0	52,227	16,995	3,805	250	8,213	13,823	500	1,248	6,500	609	550	2,546	5,000	60,039
Pinecrest.....	38,638	472	40,113	825	877	452	8,628	89,553	20,743	6,065	0	54,742	13,926	473	843	2,800	1,032	0	710	0	101,334
Pissah.....	96,633	1,634	49,958	354	18,015	399	2,365	168,959	19,883	29,373	215	53,434	28,041	1,132	1,344	12,000	1,297	5,176	16,556	0	168,451
Pressly Memorial..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prosperity.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew.....	26,682	210	0	0	520	219	2,210	29,622	0	4,512	0	4,625	10,606	455	1,448	3,200	210	0	0	0	25,056
Sandy Plains.....	21,035	870	8,311	2,517	1,718	574	395	34,846	10,895	830	496	7,886	6,461	232	825	1,400	374	1,977	1,437	0	32,813
Statesville First.	163,391	0	0	0	0	254	13,866	177,257	28,601	40,873	1,750	24,245	29,634	6,900	2,724	21,000	2,700	0	5,521	0	163,948
Stony Point.....	6,920	271	0	0	0	232	0	7,191	3,505	0	114	0	1,254	32	218	800	0	0	187	0	6,110
Tabernacle.....	123,243	2,535	26,708	0	9,793	371	6,641	168,920	22,361	37,469	535	13,061	35,808	620	2,771	23,250	1,999	1,300	9,793	20,496	169,463
Westainster.....	2,412	0	0	0	0	110	38,165	40,577	2,400	370	0	0	1,626	20	0	50	0	0	0	35,000	39,466
TOTALS.....	$1,480,717	$ 74,679	$ 250,800	$ 50,607	$ 97,243	$336	$187,048	$2,141,094	$ 447,240	$283,065	$ 31,769	$ 389,102	$ 480,957	$20,828	$ 34,283	$178,440	$ 25,596	$ 44,856	$ 92,160	$ 94,530	$2,122,826

Florida Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Avon Park, J. M. Rogers	234	1	7	6	7	8	34	199	199	8	2	119	138	19	19	0	0	0	7	32	0	0	83
Bartow, G. R. Oates	364	3	12	2	5	12	1	363	306	52	6	185	190	17	8	8	9	10	9	56	0	33	112
Chapel by the Sea, J. Senneker	237	18	13	0	5	5	7	251	244	30	7	133	126	11	15	11	10	4	6	25	0	0	29
Covenant, L. H. Bullock	488	5	15	2	5	16	0	489	288	51	2	185	143	22	13	20	12	7	4	153	0	0	93
Faith, W. A. Frazier	61	4	0	22	0	2	0	85	67	13	1	30	72	17	0	0	13	0	0	17	0	48	65
Grace, B. G. Flemins	0	1	11	14	0	2	0	24	24	6	2	10	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	25	0
Lake Placid, B. E. DeWitt	267	12	30	8	0	1	0	316	300	30	6	171	85	0	17	0	0	0	0	60	0	0	0
Lake Wales, D. M. Rockness	714	4	27	4	15	7	0	727	572	68	14	362	243	31	18	0	0	58	0	0	0	16	90
New Hope, W. B. Sutherland, Jr.	203	5	3	2	0	13	0	200	134	41	6	66	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70
Trinity, H. B. Probes	172	7	7	10	2	4	0	190	167	42	8	106	106	26	10	0	0	0	13	25	0	0	0
TOTALS	2,740	60	125	70	39	70	42	2,844	2,301	341	54	1,367	1,227	143	100	39	44	79	39	368	5	122	542

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Avon Park.....	$ 44,071	$ 4,874	$ 4,269	$ 0	$ 1,563	$275	$ 3,926	$ 58,703	$ 10,675	$ 8,011	$ 3,769	$ 8,300	$ 22,530	$ 0	$ 1,217	$ 5,000	$ 1,085	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 60,587
Bartow.....	104,408	23,820	50,392	1,054	8,765	616	315	188,754	21,704	36,089	0	7,594	49,545	78	2,915	17,460	867	1,054	8,765	5,000	151,071
Chapel by the Sea.	42,169	5,920	18,533	0	1,200	278	0	67,822	18,164	6,212	2,420	11,960	10,819	0	1,183	2,500	0	1,000	1,200	0	55,458
Covenant.....	116,144	6,695	6,202	0	2,811	458	2,963	134,815	9,548	47,013	138	5,532	39,046	2,510	1,633	3,025	124	20,849	1,224	0	130,642
Faith.....	33,856	1,584	0	441	990	550	10,113	46,984	16,834	1,249	230	9,375	11,851	235	1,008	960	0	1,641	0	1,100	44,483
Grace.....	11,023	1,113	0	470	0	525	13,000	25,606	14,644	0	0	0	6,728	100	756	400	960	0	0	0	23,588
Lake Placid.....	35,984	9,088	63,713	0	6,638	385	0	115,423	16,100	5,097	7,000	11,499	5,549	52	1,382	6,117	2,070	0	6,325	0	61,191
Lake Wales.....	139,174	21,885	61,668	20,384	11,044	444	7,000	261,155	22,845	63,066	11,931	33,392	40,372	168	3,509	19,035	23,000	22,269	9,500	20,135	269,222
New Hope.....	33,782	1,238	10,950	0	0	343	0	45,970	16,144	0	393	10,950	11,971	74	1,056	2,050	820	675	1,200	0	45,333
Trinity.....	64,822	6,337	0	0	983	432	545	72,687	16,819	7,186	4,876	4,474	20,687	0	1,033	4,800	337	0	0	10,348	70,560
TOTALS.....	$ 625,433	$ 82,554	$ 215,727	$ 22,349	$ 33,994	$442	$ 37,842	$1,017,919	$ 163,477	$173,923	$ 30,757	$ 103,076	$ 219,098	$ 3,217	$ 15,692	$ 61,347	$ 29,263	$ 47,498	$ 28,214	$ 36,583	$ 912,135

Mississippi Valley Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, A. L. Roberts	112	0	0	0	2	0	0	110	50	0	0	17	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Brighton, U. Haynes, Clerk	271	0	2	0	5	3	0	265	163	4	6	79	155	0	12	6	9	7	0	64	30	0	88
Covington, O. N. McCarter	82	1	2	0	0	1	2	82	68	2	1	40	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	12	0	0
Ebenezer, P. E. Saith, Clerk	95	0	0	0	1	0	0	94	45	1	0	24	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	31
Elsberry, W. M. Scott, Jr., Clerk	56	0	0	0	2	0	0	54	54	10	0	24	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenview Heights, J. A. Coad	14	4	5	1	0	0	0	24	23	5	1	12	37	1	4	1	2	4	2	12	0	3	0
Havana, J. D. Welch, Clerk	25	0	0	0	1	0	0	24	24	1	0	14	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Hickory Springs, W. L. Green, Clerk	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	18	0	0	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hopewell, A. L. Roberts	62	1	0	2	2	1	0	62	40	1	1	33	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
Lawndale, C. S. Carroll	217	2	3	0	1	3	91	127	127	41	1	53	127	18	17	0	0	0	0	36	0	0	26
Midlane Park, W. E. Stanchfield	98	0	1	1	0	1	0	99	99	3	0	60	42	16	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0
Mount Zion, J. Coad, III	59	0	0	0	0	1	0	58	36	2	0	17	37	15	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	23
New Albany, W. B. Everett	269	6	5	0	1	9	0	270	198	20	5	88	145	19	3	10	5	0	0	50	0	0	45
Parkway Place, R. Oates, Clerk	136	0	3	2	5	3	11	122	102	3	0	67	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	15	0	45
Pottsville, T. G. Morris	184	7	6	1	6	9	0	183	124	16	5	59	115	27	8	7	5	0	0	26	8	0	84
Providence, St. Charles, Mo.	9	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Richland, G. W. Curry	201	7	9	0	3	2	0	212	152	13	7	88	105	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	0
Rives, C. Crisser, Clerk**	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul, J. R. Wade	127	1	1	2	0	4	0	127	109	50	5	46	113	10	1	6	6	5	0	14	24	0	67
Salem, C. Y. Todd	230	6	2	4	1	0	0	241	206	35	3	96	185	16	9	10	7	7	8	30	25	43	105
Shady Grove, J. H. Daniel, Clerk	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	11	0	0	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon, B. E. Most	76	0	2	0	2	0	1	75	41	8	1	16	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0
Southwest, E. S. Irby	84	7	6	3	0	8	3	84	55	29	8	33	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0
Troy, O. C. Berry, Clerk	57	0	0	0	1	0	1	55	29	0	0	18	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0
Westainster, R. G. Herrmann	176	0	2	0	3	17	13	145	90	9	1	46	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	18	0	0
Wood Avenue, W. N. Falls	108	2	2	0	1	0	0	111	72	10	1	40	67	8	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	31
TOTALS	2,804	39	51	16	37	62	131	2,680	1,941	263	46	987	1,705	125	54	40	34	23	10	496	132	46	595

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support of Other Personnel	Local Benevolences	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Bethany.....	$ 10,095	$ 297	$ 0	$ 0	$ 1,966	$247	$ 0	$ 12,358	$ 6,000	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 5,084	$ 0	$ 384	$ 0	$ 297	$ 0	$ 460	$ 0	$ 12,225
Brighton.....	40,451	2,418	22,931	1,928	9,448	473	4,657	81,833	10,180	5,689	95	30,947	10,822	384	1,068	6,000	1,939	1,490	8,676	0	77,290
Covington.....	24,187	5,520	0	314	3,451	492	3,595	37,067	12,713	0	804	0	8,068	71	818	2,500	3,995	0	3,371	3,500	35,840
Ebenezer.....	7,087	955	697	0	1,448	226	0	10,187	3,690	0	489	0	3,241	45	0	1,200	421	224	984	0	10,294
Elsberry.....	18,056	0	0	0	838	350	0	18,894	6,413	1,935	0	0	4,273	0	269	900	213	2,130	0	0	16,133
Greenview Heights.	12,755	100	842	0	0	596	2,500	16,197	7,105	2,471	0	1,464	4,612	0	480	0	100	0	0	4,000	20,232
Havana.....	5,912	71	1,000	0	860	327	0	7,843	4,075	0	665	0	1,100	0	0	600	425	0	871	0	7,736
Hickory Springs...	3,613	0	1,120	0	437	287	0	5,170	1,570	0	0	1,532	940	27	0	550	115	0	281	0	5,015
Homewell.....	6,632	150	0	100	1,118	200	0	8,000	3,960	400	0	0	2,279	41	317	500	135	191	825	0	8,648
Lawndale.....	86,621	5,795	342	3,707	0	760	833	97,298	22,191	17,208	1,722	21,383	22,069	0	1,063	500	46	11,394	0	0	97,576
Midlane Park.....	27,815	1,906	1,700	456	914	331	272	33,063	14,359	1,991	1,361	1,372	10,461	0	1,045	2,400	327	466	0	0	33,782
Mount Zion.....	12,198	53	75	360	1,095	383	413	14,194	7,419	515	56	447	3,104	156	0	650	53	304	1,632	0	14,336
New Albany.....	88,095	1,780	0	0	2,257	465	4,500	96,632	15,000	11,927	1,097	32,260	24,996	437	1,320	0	683	2,400	0	0	90,120
Parkway Place.....	46,180	1,500	6,194	0	2,422	552	2,739	59,035	7,020	4,219	772	29,247	13,521	358	560	4,000	728	192	1,073	0	61,690
Pottsville.....	23,859	415	6,227	290	2,415	268	4,000	37,206	10,777	1,544	40	2,376	9,654	359	876	2,750	415	290	917	0	29,998
Providence.....	7,519	0	0	0	0	0	11,449	18,968	11,491	0	0	0	3,207	96	854	728	185	1,410	2,553	0	20,524
Richland.....	46,662	1,145	1,587	0	9,727	389	0	59,121	18,931	5,733	0	2,445	13,914	441	1,507	5,500	1,095	0	9,527	0	59,093
Rives.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul.....	43,657	652	4,381	0	453	451	0	49,143	14,878	0	0	12,148	12,646	600	1,144	2,255	0	1,500	453	0	45,624
Salem.....	46,108	1,795	0	9,100	7,240	312	2,983	67,226	16,915	4,500	530	5,196	14,418	1,188	1,296	7,800	1,265	5,700	5,286	0	64,094
Shady Grove.....	1,371	0	0	0	48	129	180	1,599	0	120	0	242	41	11	0	205	0	0	0	0	619
Sharon.....	14,807	640	0	150	2,535	442	0	18,132	11,799	1,020	0	0	3,642	165	940	1,061	640	0	2,437	0	21,704
Southwest.....	27,552	1,246	1,035	7,277	879	691	0	37,989	16,245	1,805	863	2,136	7,214	50	1,977	600	0	7,277	919	0	39,086
Troy.....	8,493	142	2,576	240	2,828	492	1,822	16,101	4,800	780	0	1,385	2,007	0	88	420	142	240	2,914	0	12,776
Westainster.....	47,115	2,375	0	0	2,669	580	0	52,159	13,691	6,306	316	0	15,077	250	1,075	5,800	1,394	1,662	2,487	9,000	57,058
Wood Avenue.....	20,480	480	0	0	1,372	310	4,147	26,479	13,257	0	146	0	7,352	0	1,036	2,200	334	0	910	0	25,235
TOTALS.....	$ 677,320	$ 29,435	$ 50,707	$ 23,922	$ 56,420	$454	$ 44,090	$ 881,894	$ 254,479	$ 68,163	$ 8,956	$ 144,580	$ 203,742	$ 4,679	$ 18,117	$ 49,119	$ 14,947	$ 36,870	$ 46,576	$ 16,500	$ 866,728

Second Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Abbeville, R. T. Ruble	66	0	0	0	2	0	0	64	54	0	0	22	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel, P. A. Larson	89	1	2	0	0	0	2	90	82	17	1	34	76	3	0	0	0	0	4	17	0	0	39
Bethlehem, R. H. Mundy, Clerk	58	6	5	0	0	0	0	69	54	7	2	25	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0
Cannon's Creek, G. L. Pierstorff	67	0	1	0	3	0	0	65	40	15	3	20	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	21
Cedar Springs, H. J. Tuck, Clerk**	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doraville, R. J. Marshburn	758	11	19	7	3	7	10	775	568	49	8	288	337	23	26	12	8	12	6	101	35	0	119
Due West, L. Ware, Clerk	317	14	6	3	3	10	0	327	285	55	2	177	219	17	9	10	9	0	0	115	40	30	98
Ebenezer, N. L. Garvey	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	30	18	0	10	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
Generostee, L. M. Allison	38	0	1	0	1	0	0	38	29	3	0	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grace, J. B. Lennon	61	0	0	5	0	0	14	52	44	1	0	16	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	8	0	0
Greenville, R. E. Beckham	624	8	28	8	9	37	0	622	570	70	17	250	270	16	12	15	12	10	8	97	50	0	126
Greenwood, D. W. Elliott	234	6	11	0	4	3	0	244	238	48	3	100	163	11	9	10	13	3	0	58	0	0	60
Grier Memorial, J. T. Corbitt	117	3	7	1	1	14	3	110	110	21	2	52	83	11	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	56
Highlands, S. H. Cain	258	4	8	0	3	10	0	257	155	53	2	155	137	14	0	0	0	0	0	30	20	0	45
Hopewell, C. E. Cheatham	105	0	1	0	0	2	0	104	50	0	0	32	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
Iva, W. E. Kirkpatrick	111	0	3	2	2	2	0	112	93	23	1	60	56	0	0	9	0	4	0	28	0	0	39
Louisville, K. F. Morris	150	4	4	0	1	0	16	141	108	19	5	86	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0
Lower Long Cane, R. A. Kins**	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyndon Grove, A. M. Allen	75	0	1	1	1	0	0	76	73	4	1	45	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	12	0	0
McElroy Memorial, T. D. Grant	127	0	0	0	2	0	0	125	91	21	3	41	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	11	0
Mount Carmel, J. B. McFerrin	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	1	0	4	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newberry, E. L. Bland	272	7	2	0	4	3	0	274	264	43	3	127	163	21	6	8	0	0	0	52	0	0	90
Ora, G. R. Travel	124	0	1	0	2	1	1	121	121	22	3	65	92	10	0	0	9	0	0	30	22	0	57
Pressly Memorial, W. M. Creswell, Sr., Clerk	37	1	0	0	0	0	0	38	33	0	0	30	21	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Providence, W. T. Sherer, III	127	0	1	0	2	2	0	124	91	29	2	52	78	7	5	5	4	8	4	28	0	11	19
Spartanburg, H. C. White	211	10	3	2	0	9	0	217	123	42	11	91	84	0	12	5	0	0	0	31	0	0	29
Troy, R. A. Kins	75	0	0	0	1	1	0	73	46	3	0	20	25	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	21	0
Tucker, T. Bishroom, Clerk**	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak, C. W. Wilson	179	2	6	0	2	1	0	184	140	18	3	86	137	11	11	11	6	9	7	32	0	0	50
Woodruff, G. S. Anderson, Clerk	14	0	0	0	1	0	0	13	13	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wrens, N. L. Garvey	69	0	5	0	4	1	0	69	50	19	0	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young Memorial, R. Ramsey, Clerk	236	2	7	0	0	7	0	238	144	20	2	82	62	13	9	10	10	5	0	43	0	18	62
TOTALS	4,875	79	122	29	51	110	46	4,848	3,819	625	74	2,024	2,376	157	99	99	76	51	29	787	187	91	910

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Abbeville.....	$ 7,800	$ 655	$ 0	$ 0	$ 408	$164	$ 0	$ 8,863	$ 3,375	$ 1,970	$ 200	$ 0	$ 1,730	$ 58	$ 201	$ 1,550	$ 455	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 9,539
Bethel.....	23,323	672	1,214	0	2,116	333	11,127	38,452	11,250	1,625	0	13,219	6,507	82	1,114	2,456	671	0	2,272	0	39,196
Bethlehem.....	10,347	130	0	0	1,411	220	0	11,888	4,790	780	0	500	1,780	47	628	100	125	0	1,215	0	9,965
Cannon's Creek....	18,279	0	1,475	0	549	508	12,594	32,897	9,472	689	0	20,592	786	64	1,079	600	20	0	185	0	33,487
Cedar Springs.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doraville.....	98,344	4,163	15,994	325	4,391	217	732	123,949	22,167	29,535	0	13,985	25,708	576	1,467	16,000	3,818	5,739	4,121	0	123,116
Due West.....	68,337	7,400	1,757	0	8,928	303	0	86,422	13,869	14,768	2,967	0	36,144	724	651	11,916	4,007	3,210	0	0	88,256
Ebenezer.....	6,553	100	0	0	42	223	5,000	11,695	4,518	0	0	0	7,486	90	0	725	75	73	0	0	12,967
Generostee.....	2,638	250	0	0	513	117	1,774	5,175	2,940	0	0	0	423	15	0	850	250	0	0	0	4,478
Grace.....	13,995	347	400	0	0	335	4,739	19,481	9,675	0	102	5,806	2,185	11	369	450	215	0	0	0	18,813
Greenville.....	143,180	5,852	57,425	0	10,560	381	101,470	318,487	24,452	34,968	2,798	104,953	40,342	570	1,768	23,245	3,054	1,000	11,315	66,450	314,915
Greenwood.....	52,948	5,047	72,765	258	5,510	574	2,513	139,041	17,748	8,874	0	78,547	20,026	0	1,296	9,108	1,047	0	5,139	0	141,785
Grier Memorial....	48,280	1,592	17,907	2,401	796	645	53,162	124,138	21,641	2,942	2,122	22,567	9,043	0	1,522	1,860	645	5,821	0	0	68,163
Highlands.....	55,400	2,920	7,743	0	8,323	480	0	74,386	19,712	14,092	1,000	13,707	12,788	327	1,248	5,000	1,791	0	7,869	0	77,534
Honewell.....	15,867	185	0	1,410	2,553	400	0	20,015	11,991	0	0	0	3,207	96	854	728	185	1,410	2,553	0	21,024
Iva.....	22,746	214	21,454	0	2,773	507	0	47,187	10,173	1,080	0	21,454	8,862	88	680	2,200	214	300	3,213	0	48,264
Louisville.....	34,476	474	670	228	3,877	368	9,300	49,025	4,300	0	0	7,599	29,090	110	803	4,800	474	0	3,877	0	51,053
Lower Long Cane...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyndon Grove.....	21,742	1,171	4,321	0	1,096	388	0	28,330	11,791	2,110	280	4,932	6,256	83	960	1,380	128	0	823	0	28,743
McElroy Memorial..	30,406	423	0	0	0	339	0	30,829	12,000	2,931	0	0	12,413	240	1,035	4,000	423	0	0	0	33,042
Mount Carmel.....	1,608	160	0	0	120	172	0	1,888	1,200	0	0	0	202	30	0	206	130	0	120	0	1,888
Newberry.....	42,186	2,025	11,792	0	6,647	237	5,917	68,567	16,644	5,610	5,446	10,442	12,630	480	1,056	7,470	1,455	0	5,528	505	67,266
Ora.....	32,958	2,153	3,330	3,605	4,356	383	6,704	53,106	11,859	1,520	667	13,329	10,686	211	998	5,265	1,348	3,040	3,049	0	51,972
Pressly Memorial..	5,837	300	0	0	435	199	293	6,865	2,435	0	0	0	2,043	32	0	720	300	0	0	0	5,530
Providence.....	26,480	691	4,315	6,960	2,525	450	0	40,971	15,000	0	0	4,315	9,655	219	1,175	4,200	561	6,960	1,098	0	43,183
Spartanburg.....	36,490	1,195	8,388	1,300	5,256	428	1,498	54,127	14,054	8,298	0	11,386	10,851	166	912	4,800	1,195	0	5,396	0	57,058
Troy.....	6,540	75	0	0	462	154	0	7,077	2,130	0	90	0	5,218	90	0	550	75	0	0	0	8,153
Tucker.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak.....	23,762	2,423	510	0	1,880	204	0	28,575	10,888	600	252	670	12,627	129	804	1,980	687	0	0	0	28,637
Woodruff.....	1,378	100	0	0	0	114	0	1,478	1,120	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	100	100	0	0	1,420
Wrens.....	11,661	100	300	100	0	243	500	12,661	10,615	0	0	0	0	0	560	600	100	0	100	0	11,975
Young Memorial....	51,674	1,136	1,676	0	455	382	0	54,941	12,350	10,538	0	4,801	14,484	159	1,152	4,500	344	0	2,012	0	50,340
TOTALS.....	$ 915,235	$ 41,953	$ 233,436	$ 16,587	$ 75,982	$393	$217,323	$1,500,516	$ 314,159	$142,930	$ 15,924	$ 352,804	$ 303,172	$ 4,797	$ 22,332	$117,259	$ 23,892	$ 27,653	$ 59,885	$ 66,955	$1,451,762

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		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethel, R. P. Brawley	54	0	1	0	2	0	0	53	48	3	1	20	55	0	0	0	0	3	1	21	0	0	0
Camden, R. P. Brawley	108	1	3	0	1	0	0	111	101	18	3	40	85	12	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	24
Cleveland Street, L. C. Draffin	96	0	12	0	1	1	0	106	92	6	5	61	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0
Fayetteville, J. R. Fee	229	0	1	3	3	2	0	228	170	22	0	128	130	10	7	7	0	0	0	29	25	0	60
Horewell, J. L. Patterson, Clerk	28	0	0	0	1	0	0	27	17	4	1	7	23	12	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Lincoln Memorial, J. B. Hayes, Clerk**	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	107	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pressly Memorial, T. L. Owens	113	0	1	0	0	0	0	114	54	0	0	45	23	0	5	0	0	2	0	18	0	0	0
Prosperity, Ala., R. P. Brawley	54	0	0	0	2	2	0	50	50	0	0	17	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Prosperity, Tn., C. F. Edsar	173	0	0	0	4	0	0	169	108	8	2	61	111	13	6	7	5	5	12	36	0	0	79
TOTALS	962	1	18	3	14	5	0	965	700	61	12	379	505	47	18	14	5	10	13	177	25	0	163

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Bethel.....	$ 12,970	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 3,325	$339	$ 0	$ 16,295	$ 5,600	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 4,971	$ 0	$ 274	$ 2,125	$ 1,020	$ 0	$ 3,276	$ 0	$ 17,266
Camden.....	15,794	2,285	10,500	0	1,100	294	6,108	35,787	7,176	2,222	800	17,055	5,801	0	501	3,761	1,485	0	1,100	0	39,901
Cleveland Street..	31,143	2,064	60	477	2,242	391	16,027	52,013	9,295	2,350	1,068	0	8,835	20	597	1,000	996	477	1,830	16,028	42,496
Fayetteville.....	42,864	3,201	1,939	1,284	5,323	321	13,982	68,593	15,616	3,054	0	20,180	11,399	60	1,125	7,128	3,201	1,284	5,405	0	68,452
Horewell.....	5,331	1,500	2,800	3,400	846	816	0	13,877	5,000	0	3,200	0	2,674	0	0	780	1,500	200	0	0	13,354
Lincoln Memorial..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pressly Memorial..	11,524	0	0	0	500	223	0	12,024	9,000	0	0	0	1,500	0	0	300	0	200	175	0	11,175
Prosperity.....	5,421	0	0	0	1,262	134	650	7,333	2,675	325	47	1,471	1,007	30	146	1,075	582	119	0	0	7,477
Prosperity.....	20,567	512	0	0	2,745	221	0	23,824	12,182	0	0	0	4,151	40	1,137	2,110	512	0	2,328	0	22,460
TOTALS.....	$ 145,614	$ 9,562	$ 15,299	$ 5,161	$ 17,343	$328	$ 36,767	$ 229,746	$ 66,544	$ 7,951	$ 5,115	$ 38,706	$ 40,338	$ 150	$ 3,780	$ 18,279	$ 9,296	$ 2,280	$ 14,114	$ 16,028	$ 222,581

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	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Ballston Center, R. S. Trieble, Clerk.....	122	2	0	0	1	0	0	123	105	10	0	50	94	0	15	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	146
Broad Creek, No Clerk.....	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	30	2	0	85	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebenezer, R. S. Miles, Jr.....	277	0	1	0	1	1	0	276	195	25	2	75	130	0	0	0	0	0	25	23	0	0	105
Edsemont, W. M. Harris, Jr.....	318	2	2	2	4	4	1	315	235	16	4	165	155	12	10	6	0	0	0	46	0	0	115
Fairlea, T. L. Pritt.....	117	0	0	3	1	0	5	114	95	15	0	49	82	7	0	6	0	0	0	36	0	0	0
Johnson Creek, A. Paxton, Clerk.....	137	0	4	0	0	2	0	139	77	37	0	30	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	70
Kingsborough, G. J. Gerard.....	57	0	2	2	1	8	2	50	32	28	1	33	57	0	7	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	46
Ladd, M. E. Gilbert.....	114	0	0	0	1	0	0	113	55	13	1	40	44	6	0	5	7	7	4	20	0	0	57
Lauderdale, B. McCulloush, Clerk.....	550	0	3	0	10	16	0	527	334	63	1	465	182	10	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	159
New Lebanon, T. L. Pritt.....	81	0	0	0	0	0	0	81	35	5	2	15	32	10	0	6	0	0	0	8	0	0	53
Old Providence, J. M. Bell, Sr.....	411	5	5	0	8	4	0	409	278	81	10	130	216	20	18	0	0	0	12	50	0	0	85
Spring Valley, J. H. Dixon, Clerk.....	9	0	0	0	1	2	0	6	6	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
Timber Ridge, C. D. McGuffin, Clerk.....	186	0	0	0	3	3	0	180	79	17	0	45	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0
Wildhurst, H. A. Mays, Clerk.....	67	1	1	0	0	0	0	69	42	10	1	15	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	46
TOTALS.....	2,573	10	18	7	31	40	8	2,529	1,598	322	22	1,201	1,191	65	50	23	7	7	41	329	0	0	882

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Ballston Center...	$ 28,559	$ 1,537	$ 0	$ 8,052	$ 3,167	$393	$ 212	$ 41,527	$ 6,048	$ 9,999	$ 0	$ 0	$ 13,941	$ 600	$ 288	$ 2,300	$ 0	$ 5,152	$ 3,167	$ 0	$ 41,495
Broad Creek.....	4,861	0	1,080	0	0	198	99	6,040	2,450	0	100	0	1,726	0	0	725	0	0	1,559	0	6,560
Ebenezer.....	19,968	100	100	0	2,365	116	450	22,983	9,709	5,100	0	195	1,138	403	845	1,185	0	0	2,365	0	20,940
Edgemont.....	49,557	537	17,998	4,140	1,721	315	2,783	76,736	21,320	7,456	197	20,707	13,761	1,200	1,360	3,800	337	4,051	1,721	4,582	80,492
Fairlea.....	22,936	192	0	0	5,577	302	56	28,761	10,446	1,520	155	2,300	7,788	600	768	2,000	37	0	1,198	0	26,812
Johnson Creek.....	12,362	186	0	46	2,562	197	300	15,456	0	600	237	0	9,044	250	640	750	229	46	1,293	2,000	15,089
Kingsborough.....	11,256	1,618	4,641	0	192	553	7,150	24,857	13,892	0	670	3,213	5,007	400	933	550	0	150	330	0	25,145
Ladd.....	7,466	151	0	0	0	138	0	7,617	1,820	0	0	1,011	3,958	500	205	550	151	0	0	0	8,195
Lauderdale.....	30,679	271	5,594	0	4,578	123	9,189	50,311	0	4,480	95	19,447	12,466	800	916	2,000	176	0	3,985	9,540	53,905
New Lebanon.....	8,618	0	1,316	0	756	305	0	10,690	4,200	445	00	1,959	200		230	600	0	0	0	0	7,634
Old Providence....	44,742	5,406	6,530	0	10,141	240	420	67,239	16,050	1,847	3,253	6,530	7,287	2,100	1,056	7,500	2,153	1,300	10,748	0	59,824
Spring Valley.....	126	185	0	0	45	59	110	466	0	0	110	0	272	0	0	31	75	0	45	0	533
Timber Ridge.....	7,043	112	791	0	855	111	367	9,168	3,000	520	83	0	1,768	-250	295	900	29	185	585	9,000	16,615
Wildhurst.....	11,721	133	0	0	808	301	210	12,872	0	2,060	0	5,687	3,632	240	640	955	133	0	754	3,467	17,568
TOTALS.....	$ 259,894	$ 10,428	$ 38,050	$ 12,238	$ 32,767	$234	$ 21,346	$ 374,723	$ 88,935	$ 34,027	$ 4,900	$ 61,049	$ 81,988	$ 7,343	$ 8,176	$ 23,846	$ 3,320	$ 10,884	$ 27,750	$ 28,589	$ 380,807

RULES OF PROCEDURE

1. The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall meet annually on the first Monday of June at 7:30 o'clock P.M. At the opening service, the retiring Moderator will present a sermon, or if he is a ruling elder, will present an appropriate address. This service will include the celebration of the Lord's Supper and the Constitution of the Synod with prayer. The Synod will then adjourn for the night.

2. All business sessions will be opened with a period of worship.

3. Following the period of worship each morning, the minutes of the preceding day's sessions shall be read for approval. The minutes of the final day's session(s) shall be read for approval immediately prior to the final adjournment.

4. TUESDAY MORNING: (a) The Roll prepared in accordance with the Rules of Order will be constituted by the Principal Clerk immediately following the opening period of worship. (b) Unfinished business shall follow the constituting of the roll. (c) After disposition of the unfinished business, the Retiring Moderator shall present to the Synod the Moderator-Elect, who shall present the Vice-Moderator and announce his committees for the current meeting. (d) There shall be a Call for Reports from the Boards and Committees and for Memorials from Presbyteries. The Reports of the Boards, unless there is a request for reading, shall be referred without reading to the appropriate Moderator's Committees. The Memorials from presbyteries, after having been read to the General Synod, will be referred to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials. Presbytery Reports shall be referred to a Moderator's Committee. The Reports of the Committees shall be considered by the Synod as a whole, unless referred by the Moderator to a Moderator's Committee. (e) The budget of the General Synod shall be presented for adoption at this first business session of the Meeting of the General Synod. Once adopted, the budget allocations approved therein supersede budget requests included in individual reports, if different.

5. TUESDAY AFTERNOON: Tuesday afternoon shall normally be left open for the meeting of Moderator's Committees.

6. WEDNESDAY MORNING: At 9:30 A.M. the Order of the Day shall be nominations for Moderator. Each nominee for the office shall previously have assured his nominator of his willingness to serve if elected. Nominating speeches and the seconding speeches are to be limited to five minutes each with only one seconding speech per nomination. Each Nominee shall be prepared to make a brief statement (not more than five minutes) to the General Synod immediately following the completion of the nominations which should be an expression of his willingness to serve if elected and his aspirations for the future of the denomination. The floor is open each year for the nomination of teaching or ruling elders.

7. WEDNESDAY EVENING: (a) On Wednesday evening, Fraternal Delegates shall be recognized to be followed by a program sponsored by the Committee on Inter-Church Relations. Presentation of the American Bible Society, The Lord's Day Alliance, and similar organizations approved by Synod, shall be left to the Committee on Inter-Church Relations as to time, place, and procedure. (b) At 9:30 P.M., the order of the day will be the election of a Moderator from those nominated in the Morning Session.

8. THURSDAY MORNING: On Thursday morning a Vice-Moderator Elect shall be elected by Synod. The Moderator-Elect shall be allowed to submit a name in nomination.

9. Upon request, Boards and Committees of The General Synod and the Woman's Synodical Union shall be given program time for special presentations. Additionally, the program will include a memorial service.

10. The hours for the opening of all sessions of the Synod, except for the opening session, shall be designated by the Committee to Plan Synod's Program.

11. The annual meeting shall be concluded by Friday noon.

12. GENERAL: The reports of all boards and standing committees shall be concise, and shall be typewritten, and in triplicate. The reports shall be marked "Official Copy", carefully edited for errors in phraseology, grammar, and spelling; and must be filed with the Bill Clerk prior to the first item of new business. The reports of all Moderator's Committees shall conform to the above format for reports of boards and committees. When a report is open for consideration, the chairman shall have the right to open and close the discussion, and no member shall speak more than twice nor longer than ten minutes, unless given permission by the Synod. The narrative portion of the

report shall be read only as an aid for discussion when needed. Normal procedure will be to read orally only the recommendations of the committee.

13. FRATERNAL DELEGATES: Fraternal delegates, from bodies with which we are in mutual fraternal relationship, will be granted seats to the delegate section of our General Synod, non-voting privileges on the floor, and acceptance into Moderator's Committees of their choice, on an advisory basis only.

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Bible Mastery Month, Begin Study of I John	January
Bonclarken Day, Special Offering for Bonclarken	January 25
Presbytery and Local Church Offerings	February
Special Offering for A.R.P. Foundation	March 8
Easter	April 19
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering for World Witness	April 19
Mother's Day	May 10
Erskine College Day and Erskine Student Day Special Offering for Erskine College	May 10
Meeting of General Synod	June 1-5
Youth Conferences	June 15-20 June 22-27
Independence Day	July 4
Music Conference	July 13-17
Adult Conferences	August 3-7
Lay Ministry Weekend	August 8-9
Promotion Day	August 30
Rally Day	September 6
Erskine Theological Seminary Day, Special Offering for Erskine Theological Seminary	September 20
Voluntary Commitment Month	October
World Wide Communion Day	October 4
Special Offering for American Bible Society	October 4
Meeting of Woman's Synodical Union	October 7-8
Lay Ministry Day	October 11
The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Promotion Day	November 1
Thanksgiving Day	November 26
Special Offering for Church Extension	November 29
Christmas Benevolent Offering	December
Bible Sabbath	December 6
Christmas Sabbath	December 20
Christmas	December 25
Church Year Ends	December 31

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Flat Rock, North Carolina
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PROCEEDINGS
BONCLARKEN, FLAT ROCK, NORTH CAROLINA
JUNE 8-11, 1981

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1981

The 177th meeting of the General Synod began on Monday, June 8, 1981, with a season of fellowship and a shared meal.

Prior to the constitution of the Synod with prayer, the Retiring Moderator, Mr. Joe H. Patrick, addressed the Synod and guests assembled for the service of Holy Communion. A psalm of praise, "The Praises of Heaven and Earth," was sung.

The retiring Vice-Moderator, Mr. C. E. Linderman, read from The Scripture, I Thessalonians 1:1-5, and spoke to the Synod on the subject of "God Examines Our Church."

Special music was presented by Mr. Bill Hoyt of Columbia Bible College, who earlier had led the program of music during the meal and fellowship. Mr. Hoyt sang "Love Grew Where the Blood Fell."

The Sacrament of Holy Communion was celebrated by Mr. Linderman and Mr. D. W. Elliott.

A Psalm of Unity, "Christian Unity," was sung following the sacrament, and a silent prayer for unity was observed.

The Opening Session of the 177th General Synod was closed with the Benediction by Mr. Elliott.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1981 — 9:00 A.M.

The Opening Worship Service, "The Sovereignty of God," was led by Mr. R. J. Marshburn. Following the devotional service, Mrs. Mary Ann McDowell, Chairman of the Board of Bonclarken, welcomed the General Synod to Bonclarken.

The Principal Clerk declared the roll to be constituted and a quorum to be present, and made the announcement of the Presbyteries' vote on the amendments to the "Rules of Order" and "Form of Government."

Amendment #3 to "Rules of Order"
Voting — 228
Voting YES For Approval — 222
Voting NO Against Approval — 3
Voting ABSTAIN — 3

Amendment #3 to "Form of Government"
Voting — 232
Voting YES For Approval — 212
Voting NO Against Approval — 19
Voting ABSTAIN — 1

The Clerk moved that other items of unfinished business be postponed to that portion of the meeting when they naturally occur. The motion carried.

The Retiring Moderator, J. H. Patrick, presented his report to the General Synod.

The Moderator-Elect was then presented to the Synod by Mr. Patrick. The Vice-Moderator escorted Mr. W. W. Orr to the lecturn, where the Shield of the Moderator was exchanged. Mr. Orr then presented a special Moderator's Bible to Mr. Patrick.

A motion carried that the Report of the Moderator be received as information and printed in the Minutes of Synod.

REPORT OF MODERATOR

Fathers and Brethren:

First let me express to you my sincere appreciation for the privilege of serving as your Moderator. It is with deep humility that I thank you for this privilege and opportunity that has been mine. With help and cooperation from many people we have experienced a good year. The year has truly been a learning experience for me and I am grateful for your patience with me.

As your Moderator I have accepted all invitations to speak and bring greetings on behalf of the General Synod, except where there was a conflict. The appearances include an address at Laymen's Weekend; an address at Woman's Synodical Union; an address at the formal opening of Erskine College and Erskine Seminary; the "moving" into the new sanctuary at Grier Memorial Church; homecoming at the Hopewell ARP Church at Covington, Georgia; the dedication service at Grier Memorial Church; the ground-breaking service for a new educational building at White Oak, Georgia; the homecoming service at Centennial Church in Columbia; the Old Brick Church service in Fairfield County; the meeting of Florida Presbytery; the meeting of Catawba Presbytery Elders; the 85th Anniversary of Rock Hill Church; the dedication and organization of Faith A. R. Presbyterian Church in Merritt Island, Florida; a reception for three new Seminary Professors at Erskine Seminary; the dedication of new educational building at White Oak ARP Church, Moreland, Georgia; the Men's Club of the Due West ARP Church; and homecoming at Concord ARP Church, Concord, N.C. It was my privilege to fill the pulpit at my home church at Greenwood, S.C., on Laity Day. As a climax to the year, I arrived 30 minutes late for ground-breaking at Dutch Fork Mission in Irmo.

Due to influenza I did not attend, as planned, the Service of Intercession and Holy Communion at the National Presbyterian Church, Washington, D.C., for the convening of the United States Congress in January, 1981. I attended part of the American Bible Society 1980 National Advisory Council at Star Lake in New Jersey.

It has also been my privilege to attend various meetings of boards and committees of our denomination. Our denomination is blessed with capable, interested leadership in a complexity of expertise and experience. At several meetings of boards and committees I attended, every member was present.

The Executive Board has met on two occasions. It was an exciting experience to see the chairmen of the several boards and committees work harmoniously while reporting, projecting, and planning the work of the Synod. The Executive Board as now constituted has improved the communication between Boards and Agencies of the General Synod so that there is better understanding generally of Synods work and mission.

Although not directly related to my duties as Moderator, it has been my privilege to serve on several committees of great importance to the General Synod. I served as Erskine College Board of Trustees representative on the Steering Committee of the Self-Study for Renewal of Accreditation now in progress at Erskine College. I have been impressed with the caliber and dedication of the members of the faculty and administration involved in this important phase of the work of the institution.

I have served as Chairman of a committee to provide funds for our Bicentennial celebration. This quiet, low-key effort has raised almost enough funds for the composition and presentation of the Bicentennial music and has provided us an opportunity to thank our musicians for their part in the worship services of our denomination. This kind of careful preparation will do much to set the tone for the Bicentennial in 1982.

Finally, I am serving as Chairman of the Erskine College Presidential Search Committee. Stan Bell's death was a great shock to us and we are now faced with the necessity of filling the position of President of Erskine College. The Search Committee is comprised of six board members. All of these members except the President of the Alumni Association are Elders of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The Committee has been especially concerned with developing a profile of the next president which is consistent with the best Associate Reformed Presbyterian tradition. To that end, the Committee has conscientiously sought the opinion of Associate Reformed Presbyterians. The Committee would appreciate the continued earnest prayers of the General Synod.

In closing, I would like to express my gratitude to the Reverend Earl Linderman, our Vice-Moderator; the officers of General Synod; the Chairmen of all Boards and Committees; the Director, Ed Hogan, and staff, of the A. R. Presbyterian Center; and all others who have contributed, in any capacity, to the success of this past year. I am sure that all who were involved will join me in giving God the credit and glory for all that has been accomplished.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church has a challenging future. This one-hundred and seventy-seventh meeting of the General Synod will deal with important issues that will affect the future of our church. The hallmark of this Synod should be prayer.

Prayer for each other,
Prayer for the people we represent in the churches,
And Prayer especially for our new Moderator.

As we look to the Bicentennial year, 1982, we will capture the spirit of the year if we fathom God's plan and will for us as a denomination and are obedient to that vision. My prayer is that we, as children of God, will diligently "ask that we may receive, seek that we may find, and knock, that the door will be opened to us. For everyone who asks will receive and anyone who seeks will find, and the door will be opened to him who knocks." Matthew 7:7 & 8. We thank God for His promises and His faithfulness in keeping His promises to us.

Mr. Orr then gave special recognition to Mr. Ed Hogan, Director of the ARP Center, and Mr. A. C. Bridges, Leader of Synod's Music.

The Vice-Moderator, Mr. G. C. Slater, was presented to the Synod by Mr. Orr. Mr. Slater presented the program and its additions. The program was adopted.

Mr. Orr made several announcements and introduced to the Synod Dr. Lyn Cheshire, Dr. Merwyn Johnson, Professor Guy Oliver, Mr. Lee Logan, and Mr. Ben Johnston.

The appointments to the Moderator's Committees were made and approved by the Synod.

Mr. Orr then introduced the following guests of the Synod.

RES: Dr. Paul Schrotenboer.
WARC: Dr. Keith Nickle
Synod of Mexico: Obed Rodriguez
PCA: Rev. John Nevil
RPCES: Elder Joel Belz
ABS: Mr. Jim Gabrielson
LDA: Dr. C. Grier Davis

Montreat Foundation: Dr. Jerrold Brooks.

The reports for reference were called.

The representatives of the fraternal bodies were invited to sit with the delegates of Synod and granted the privilege of the floor and attendance at committee meetings.

Mr. Jim Gabrielson addressed the Synod on behalf of the American Bible Society.

Dr. C. G. Davis addressed the Synod on behalf of the Lord's Day Alliance.

Mr. R. A. Whitesides was called to the lecturn and introduced members of the Church of the Atonement of Silver Spring, MD. The congregation was transferred to Virginia Presbytery by the National Capital Union Presbytery of the United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America and the Presbyterian Church of the United States. Mr. Art Stetson, Mr. Yancey Garner, Mr. James Miller, and Mr. Sam Schoolfield were introduced. Mr. Miller spoke to the Synod, giving information about the congregation.

The Moderator introduced the new ministers of our denomination to the Synod, followed by the introduction of students under the care of the Presbyteries.

Mrs. Atlee Davis presented the address of the President of Woman's Synodical Union. A motion carried that the address be received as information and printed in the Appendix of the Minutes of Synod.

Dr. Jerrold Lee Brooks, Executive Secretary of the Historical Foundation at Montreat, NC, addressed the Synod on behalf of the Foundation.

Mr. J. L. Carson presented the 1982 Budget of the General Synod on behalf of the Board of Stewardship, which was adopted as presented, following discussion.

RECOMMENDED ALLOCATION OF SYNOD'S UNRESTRICTED INCOME FOR BUDGET YEAR 1982

The Board of Stewardship has reviewed the proposed budgets of Synod's boards and committees and in particular their requests for funds from Synod's unrestricted income. The attached recommended allocation of Synod's projected unrestricted income for 1982 reflects no significant deviations in the percentages of allocations to Synod's major boards, except as noted below:

a. There is a proposed one percentage point increase (from 20.80% to 21.80%) in the allocation to Church Extension, reflecting the action of the General Synod in 1981 as reflected in the Report of the Committee on Priorities: "That as a long range goal Synod, in allocating its total resources, give equal priority to the needs of Church Extension and World Witness (Foreign Missions)." (Page 215, 1981 **Minutes of Synod.**) The percentage level for World Witness remained at 24.63%. The percentage increase for Church Extension was made possible by a percentage level decrease in administrative areas such as the ARP Center, **Minutes of Synod,** typesetting of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian**, etc.

b. The percentage level for Christian Education decreased because of a reduced budget for typesetting of the **Adult Quarterly.** Otherwise, its support level would have remained at the 1981 level.

The General Synod should carefully review the budgets of the individual agencies as submitted with the Reports to Synod.

A breakdown of the "Estimate of Other Income" is submitted as information. The entries under "Budget" reflect anticipated receipts through the General Synod Treasurer's books.

Budgeted Unrestricted Income for 1982

Voluntary Commitment	$ 783,214
Unrestricted Interest and Gifts	35,000
Unrestricted Gift, ARP Foundation, Inc.	10,000
Anticipated Unused Funds from Prior Years	18,276
Total Budgeted Unrestricted Income for 1982	$ 846,490

Estimate of Other Income

	Designated Income From Synod Sources		Direct and Non-Synod Income	
Agency	**Budget**	**Non-Budget**	**Budget**	**Non-Budget**
Annuities and Relief				
Retirement Plan Fund	-	150,000	-	111,803
Widow's Benefit Fund	-	27,325	-	-
Group Insurance Premiums	-	125,000	-	-
Christmas Benevolent Offering	35,000	-	-	-
A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.				
Special Offering (Capital)	5,000	-	-	-
Interest on Investments	-	-	-	17,000
Bonclarken				
WSU	14,000	-	-	-
Individual Gifts and Memorials	-	-	-	5,000
Chapel Offering	-	-	-	2,500
Special Offering	15,000	-	-	-
Food and Room Rental	-	-	-	194,270
Homeowner Fees	-	-	-	15,900
Gift Shop	-	-	-	13,375
Other	-	-	-	8,200
Christian Education				
WSU	6,000	-	-	-
Subscriptions	14,000	-	4,000	-
Conference Registration	4,500	-	-	-
Other	2,200	-	-	-
Church Extension				
Direct Support	5,620	-	-	-
Special Offering	28,000	-	-	-
WSU	45,000	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	4,500	70,000
Other	1,300	-	-	-
Erskine College and Seminary				
Special Offering	25,000	-	-	-
WSU	27,689	-	-	-
Permanent Endowment	-	-	-	305,650
Living Endowment	-	-	-	215,000
Student and Related/Other	-	-	-	3,825,067
SC Foundation of Independent Colleges	-	-	-	37,000
Corportate and Foundation Gifts	-	-	-	47,000

Agency	Designated Income From Synod Sources Budget	Designated Income From Synod Sources Non-Budget	Direct and Non-Synod Income Budget	Direct and Non-Synod Income Non-Budget
US Government Grant	-	-	-	80,013
Executive Board of Synod				
Synod Registration	1,375	-	-	-
Board of Publications				
WSU	500	-	-	-
Advertising	-	-	1,200	-
Subscriptions	41,425	-	-	-
Other	500	-	-	-
Plan Book	500	-	-	-
World Witness				
Direct Support				
Churches	229,235	-	-	-
WSU	25,805	-	-	-
Other	-	-	3,000	-
Investment Income	-	-	7,000	-
Special Offering	25,000	-	-	-
Designated Gifts				
Churches	90,135	-	-	-
WSU	31,000	-	-	-
Undesignated Gifts				
WSU	20,000	-	-	-
Other	11,000	-	-	-
Adoption Program	14,000	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	820,000
Lay Ministry				
Adult Bible Conference	2,000	-	-	-
Worship				
Conference Registration	4,500	-	-	-
Concert Collection	250	-	-	-
American Bible Society				
Special Offering	6,368	-	-	-
ARP Center Facility				
Rent	-	-	-	32,918
Income on Investments	-	-	-	3,485
Other	-	-	-	25
TOTAL	$ 731,902	$ 302,235	$ 19,700	$ 6,706,907

	From Synod's Unrestricted Income					Information				
						Additonal Anticipated Designated Income				Anticipated Total Income Ministry
						Synod Sources		Direct & Non-Synod Sources		
	1981 Approved Allocation	1981 %of Total	1982 Requested Amount	1982 Recommended Amount	1982 %of Total	Budget	Non-Budget	Budget	Non-Budget	
Annuities and Relief	1,250	.17	2,000	1,500	.18	35,000	302,325	-	111,803	450,628
ARP Foundation	1,000	.13	3,000	3,000	.35	5,000	-	-	17,000	25,000
Bonclarken										
Supplement	48,947	6.49	54,000	54,937	6.49	29,000	-	-	239,245	323,182
Camp-Bonclarken	1,000	.13	-	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Income Replacement	-	-	10,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Christian Education										
General Operating	54,529	7.23	63,554	60,651	7.16	12,700	-	-	-	73,351
Quarterly	-	-	-	-	-	14,000	-	4,000	-	18,000
Church Extension	156,865	20.80	200,500	184,535	21.80	79,920	-	4,500	70,000	338,955
Erskine College and Seminary										
General Operating	120,833	16.02	145,000	135,608	16.02	52,689	-	-	4,509,730	4,698,027
Synod Scholarships	17,695	2.35	20,349	19,893	2.35	-	-	-	-	19,893
ARP Student Union	100	.01	500	500	.06	-	-	-	-	500
Executive Board of Synod										
Board Travel and Expense	1,500	.20	1,000	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Emphasis Committee	600	.08	1,000	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Synod Meeting Expense	-	-	375	375	.04	1,375	-	-	-	1,750
Offices of Synod										
Moderator	2,000	.27	2,000	2,000	.24	-	-	-	-	2,000
Moderator-Elect	-	-	500	500	.06	-	-	-	-	500
Principal Clerk	2,100	.28	2,100	2,100	.25	-	-	-	-	2,100
Reading Clerk	100	.01	100	100	.01	-	-	-	-	100
Bill Clerk	100	.01	100	100	.01	-	-	-	-	100
Treasurer's Office	9,879	1.31	10,662	10,662	1.26	-	-	-	-	10,662
Minutes of Synod	7,000	.93	7,000	6,427	.76	-	-	-	-	6,427
ARP Center Agency	81,268	10.78	86,999	85,344	10.08	-	-	-	-	85,344
ARP Center Facility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,428	36,428
Publications										
Board Travel and Expense	1,500	.20	1,500	1,500	.18	-	-	-	-	1,500
Plan Book and Prayer Calendar	510	.07	891	671	.08	500	-	-	-	1,171

	From Synod's Unrestricted Income					Information				
						Additonal Anticipated Designated Income				Anticipated Total Income Ministry
						Synod Sources		Direct & Non-Synod Sources		
	1981 Approved Allocation	1981 %of Total	1982 Requested Amount	1982 Recommended Amount	1982 %of Total	Budget	Non-Budget	Budget	Non-Budget	
The ARP Supplement	20,514	2.72	24,235	21,647	2.56	42,425	-	1,200	-	65,272
Stewardship										
Board Travel and Expense	2,500	.33	2,500	2,500	.30	-	-	-	-	2,500
Promotion	1,000	.13	1,000	500	.06	-	-	-	-	500
Audit	3,000	.40	3,000	2,500	.30	-	-	-	-	2,500
World Witness	185,795	24.63	285,885	208,490	24.63	446,175	-	10,000	820,000	1,484,665
Ecclesiastical Commission	1,000	.13	1,000	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Historical Concerns										
Committee Expenses	150	.02	400	400	.05	-	-	-	-	400
Historical Foundation	500	.07	1,000	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Archivist Honorarium	-	-	250	250	.03	-	-	-	-	250
Inter-Chruch Relations										
Committee Expenses	3,770	.50	4,930	4,250	.50	-	-	-	-	4,250
Mexico—Pakistan Delegates	-	-	3,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lay Ministry										
Committee Expenses	1,000	.13	1,200	1,000	.12	-	-	-	-	1,000
Adult Conference	2,500	.33	3,400	3,400	.40	2,000	-	-	-	5,400
Director of Lay Ministry	2,200	.29	2,200	2,200	.26	-	-	-	-	2,200
Minister and His Work										
Committee Expenses	375	.05	2,350	1,900	.22	-	-	-	-	1,900
Tax Guides	125	.02	150	150	.01	-	-	-	-	150
Presbyterian Council	2,500	.33	2,500	2,500	.30	-	-	-	-	2,500
Ministry to Senior Citizens	1,000	.13	1,750	1,750	.21	-	-	-	-	1,750
Nominations	1,800	.24	1,800	1,800	.21	-	-	-	-	1,800
Theological and Social Concerns	750	.10	750	750	.09	-	-	-	-	750
Worship	4,000	.53	5,000	5,000	.59	4,750	-	-	-	9,750
Bicentennial Anniversary	600	.08	600	600	.06	-	-	-	-	600
Computer Services	4,350	.58	4,500	4,500	.53	-	-	-	-	4,500
Synod's Contingency	6,000	.79	5,000	5,000	.59	-	-	-	-	5,000
American Bible Society	-	-	-	-	-	6,368	-	-	-	6,368
TOTALS	754,205	100%	971,530	846,490	100%	731,902	302,325	19,700	5,804,206	7,704,623

Synod then rose to sing one verse of "My Jesus I Love Thee."

The Reading Clerk read to the General Synod the Memorials from the Presbyteries prior to their submission to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials.

The "Reference from Mississippi Valley Presbytery" was submitted to a special committee consisting of those member of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs present at the Synod.

Mr. Carson recognized, by presentation of Certificates of Appreciation, churches which reached the Voluntary Commitment goal for 1980. The names of churches are included in the Report of the Board of Stewardship.

A motion was presented with regard to the Israeli attack on the Iraqui Nuclear Station and the Moderator led in a prayer for this world situation.

The report of the Committee on Historical Concerns was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORICAL CONCERNS

Fathers and Brethren:

The committee has become reactivated this year under the leadership of Mr. John Bigham. We continue to review the duties of the committee and are exploring ways to aid and encourage the church in collecting, preserving and communicating her history.

We note some items of interest and importance discussed by the committee:

1. We join whole-heartedly with the Bicentennial Anniversary Committee in encouraging all ARP's to get involved in our celebration next year, not just at the synod level but in presbyteries and local churches. We ask that those responsible for various activities gather and send materials to the McCain Library, Erskine College, so that we will have a good record of our big year.

2. A large part of the past work of this committee had to do with our significant involvement in the Historical Foundation of the Presbyterian and Reformed Churches located at Montreat, N. C. We believe we should be even more serious about this ministry.

a. Our official Minutes are on deposit at the Historical Foundation with copies also located at Erskine. Sessions, presbyteries, and agencies need to be more diligent to place non-current records at the Foundation. Records of the Diaconate, congregational meetings, Treasurer's reports, collected papers of ministers, elders, and leaders, etc., should also be included.

b. Some individuals have made generous contributions to the fund to construct the addition to the existing building. The committee shares the concern of come of these people that we have neglected to do what we could and should to help support the Foundation. Our budget request this year reflects our hope that we can raise the level of our support. In addition, we strongly encourage individuals and churches to join the Foundation supporters and keep up with this work through the **News** that will be sent to you.

c. Dr. Jerrold L. Brooks, Executive Director of the Historical Foundation, will address the Synod this year. Please be sure to hear him and speak with him while he is at Bonclarken. He has a great interest in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and wants to cooperate in every way to enable the Foundation to serve the church better. With the new facilities we have great opportunity to expand archival and manuscript holdings.

3. The committee is planning to promote its work better through **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** We especially want to encourage sessions to form Historical Committees to coordinate congregation-wide efforts to collect historical materials and use them in the on-going work of the church. We plan to help churches develop oral history projects. We are receptive to what is being done and want to share good ideas with the whole church.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. We recommend the following budget for 1982:

a. The Historical Foundation	$1,000
b. Coordinator of ARP Materials at McCain Library	250
c. Committee Expenses	400
Total	$1,650

2. We recommend that the **Manual of Authorities and Duties**, Committee on Historical Concerns be amended:

a. Line 5, Duties—strike "and/or at the A.R.P. Center."

b. Add under duties: "To appoint a Coordinator of A.R.P. Materials at McCain Library, Erskine College." This will enable the committee to carry out its mandated work as outlined in the **Manual**.

c. Membership—At Large: Change to six members.

d. Terms of Service: Change to six years. (Those chosen starting in 1982 would serve six-year terms.)

e. Membership—Advisory: Add Director of A.R.P. Center.

Respectfully submitted,
John A. Bigham, Chairman

The report of the Committee on Lay Ministry was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAY MINISTRY

The Committee met twice during the past year. Programs for the 1981 Adult Conference were reviewed and approved. Four Mini-Workshops will be sponsored by the Committee during the 1981 Adult Conference. Special efforts to involve Laity in Lay Ministry Day were approved. Attendance at all Adult Conferences was encouraged. The Talent File is up to date and being used.

The Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That the 1981 Assistant Adult Conference Director be Reverend Robert B. Elliott and that Reverend Elliott be Director in 1982 and 1983.
2. That the Director of Lay Ministry be Mr. John Bigham.
3. That the Budget for Lay Ministry be as follows:

Salary of Director of Lay Ministry	$1,200
Expense of Director	1,000
Conference Expense	4,650
Committee Expenses	1,200

4. That October 11, 1981, be Lay Ministry Day throughout Synod and that the topic be "Enlisted in Service."
5. That ample time be given for the presentation of this report on the floor of Synod.

Roy A. Baker, Sr.
Chairman

The report of the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY TO SENIOR CITIZENS

Our committee met twice, with 100% attendance and active participation. Being a new standing committee of the Synod, we need a listing in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties.** Informally we were asked to prepare a proposal for insertion into that manual. This we have done, as attached. One of our recommendations is that this statement be adopted. Thus, it should be studied with a view to agreeing that it be adopted or proposing changes.

Since there are two such distinct aspects to this committee's work we will distinguish them clearly in our report.

Ministry in Congregations to Individual Personal and Spiritual Needs.

Two concrete efforts at promotion along this line by our committee were reported last year: the inauguration of Silver Threads in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and the publication and distribution of a leaflet giving suggestions for use in local churches. One of the main ideas of Silver Threads was to promote the exchange of reports by different congregations and individuals of activities, programs, etc., which are proving helpful among the elderly.

This year some of our committee expressed disappointment that little of such reporting has been taking place. Likewise, we have received little indication of the usefulness of the leaflets that went out. Others on the committee pointed out that Silver Threads is still relatively new and that it takes prodding to get people to write in and report things, even when they are successful. Our decision is to continue this feature, subject to the approval of the Editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** However, it is obvious that the cooperation of our pastors, sessions, and people needs to be strongly elicited. A program of some group or the work of some individual that is helpful to the elderly in one congregation needs to be shared with the rest of us. A choice way to do so is through Silver Threads.

One perfect example can be given, while at the same time allowing us to report (to the Synod) a highly successful new "happening." At Bonclarken, on the week-end of October 31-November 2, 1980, there was held the first ARP "Senior Adult" Retreat. It was not a product of our committee's work. It was not Synod-wide. It was planned by and for First Presbytery, with Mr. Henry Bigham as Director. Some 75 people, ages 55 and over (one was almost 90), from 12 of First Presbytery's 37 churches were there. Besides reporting and commending it, the point to be made is that the news of this truly successful venture was reported in Silver Threads in January, 1981. Plans are being made for another such retreat October 16-18, 1981, and there has been tentative talk of a Synod-wide one.

Reports of such activities on the part of congregations and individuals will make Silver Threads what it is intended to be. We hope our people will try some of the suggestions from the leaflet or some ideas of their own and then report those activities for the benefit of others.

Progress in Providing Housing for the Elderly

Our committee is most happy to be able to report the accomplishments of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., as set up by the Catawba, First, and Second Presbyteries. We arranged for them to have space for an exhibit in Synodical Hall. Their report, which they are making to the Synod through our committee, is attatched

Our Committee is also pleased with the progress being made toward establishing the Due West Retirement Center. Their Board is in the midst of its crucial promotional effort. They are seeking (1) residents who will advance $15,000 to $40,000 or so to build their own living units in the complex and (2) donors who will make substantial gifts toward the building of the common areas—dining hall, kitchen, lounge, etc. Offers went out in March to all our churches within 150-200 miles of Due West to meet with groups in those congregations during April or May. An advertisement in the May issue of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** invites any reader to write for information.

Thus, this Board, like the ARP Home, Inc., is seeking to give members of our denomination early notice of the opportunity offered. Indications are that there will be no difficulty filling such facilities if the general public is invited, but the first thought of the Due West group has been to satisfy what they perceived to be a need among our own people. It should be noted that, while the Due West Center does not have a nursing unit of its own, in case of need its members will have "top of the list" access, through a written agreement, to the nearby Abbeville Nursing Home—a well recognized private facility providing Intermediate and Skilled Nursing Care.

Our committee has made arrangements for the Due West Retirement Center to have an exhibit in Synodical Hall, also.

Our committee made some suggestions as to procedure to a group in the Mississippi Valley Presbytery who are anxious to have the Dunlap Orphanage property remodeled for use as a retirement home if such use is allowed by the Court. Although our committee is very much interested in such a proposal, we thought it best for us not to make specific moves in that direction until the Dunlap Board has received word from the Court as to the possibilities that exist. However, we want to express the hope that no action will be taken to do anything else with the property without full consideration of the retirement home idea.

The budget request for 1982 for the Committe on Ministry to Senior Citizens is as follows:

Committee expense	$	1,250
Printing and mailing		500
Total	$	1,750

Recommendations

1. That the proposed statement for the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** applying to this committee be adopted.
2. That congregations encourage all possible efforts to minister to the elderly in their communities and that they share their experiences with others through **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
3. That congregations cooperate with the efforts of the boards of our groups promoting housing for the elderly toward informing all our people of the opportunities being offered and the needs existing.
4. That the proposed budget for 1982 for this committee be adopted as presented by the Board of Stewardship.

Respectfully Submitted
G. G. Parkinson

MANUAL OF AUTHORITIES AND DUTIES

Membership:	At Large	Eight members (one from each Presbytery and one from a list submitted by the Woman's Synodical Union (WSU) and with no more that five of the same sex).
	Ex-officio	One representative from the Board of Annuities and Relief.
Terms of Service:		Four Years.
Stated Meetings:		At least twice a year.
Organization:		Chariman, Vice-chairman, and Secretary.
Authority:		The committee is authorized to use all possible means, within the bounds of the regulations and procedures of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and the bounds of the section below, to (1) supply inspiration

and instruction to help congregations and individuals carry out their ministry to the elderly on the personal and individual level, wherever they live; (2) help with the provision of housing and health care for the elderly in some form by our denomination; and (3) bring to the Synod information and proposals concerning congregational, presbytery-wide, or Synod-wide ministry to the elderly.

Duties: (1) To be responsible, in cooperation with the Editor and so long as it is desired, for the production of material for a page or section in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterina,** targeted toward the elderly;
(2) To promote and assist with retreats or conferences for senior citizens;
(3) To visit congregations, on request, to promote ministry to the elderly (by workshops, for example);
(4) To cooperate with efforts connected with our church to provide housing and/or health care for the elderly by helping with publicity and promotion in all possible ways and to report to the Synod concerning them if they are not Synod-wide projects having no direct access to the Synod;
(5) To have its representatives prepared to report to their respective bodies concerning the work of the committee;
(6) To make an annual report to the Synod, including in it the submission of a budget request for the following year.

Report of the Board of Directors of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc.

During 1980 our Board continued its efforts to obtain loans from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to construct two apartment buildings for housing the elderly and handicapped. Applications were made for construction on the two sites on which the Board was able to get options—one in Belmont, N.C., and the other in Spartanburg, S.C.

Several meetings of the Board were held, and additionally the officers and/or committees of the Board met often with our architect and our consultant, making several trips to the HUD offices in Greensboro, N.C., and Columbia, S.C. In the latter part of 1980 word was received of the approval of a 40-year loan to the Board in the amount of $2,991,700 for construction at the Belmont site of a 100-unit apartment building. The application for Spartanburg was not approved but the Board was encouraged to submit another such application for 1981, upon which a committee continues to work.

Since a rather full description of the Belmont home plans has been printed in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** (April issue), we will not give that here. However, because so much continues to happen since the loan approval came through, we would like to report on matters through March, 1981, and there may be points of interest and importance to report verbally at the meeting of the Synod if there is opportunity to do so.

In January, 1981, the preliminary plans of our architect were approved by the Board. At their March meetings the three sponsoring presbyteries (Catawba, First, and Second) approved a special offering to be taken during the summer in their congregations for this work. While the apartments are to be funded by the government loan, a minimum of $10,000, and preferably ½ of 1% of the loan (which would be just under $15,000) is expected from us by HUD. Also, the Board has some expenses, which the members have been bearing themselves, largely, since only a few congregations and individuals have taken the initiative to send in voluntary contributions. This last is not said in any critical sense, for the Board has been quite hesitant about publicizing its needs lest it act

counter to the Synod's policy about soliciting funds. Thus, we are most grateful to those who have already made contributions and now to the three sponsoring presbyteries for their response to our need for some sort of appeal for the relatively small financial backing we need for this $3,000,000 project. An average of a little over $1.00 per active member in these presbyteries would meet our needs.

There are a few other things we should be sure the whole Synod understands.

At the end of the 40 year payment period the property will belong to the sponsoring organization. If the Synod should by any chance wish to pay off the mortgage earlier it could gain title to the property then.

The possibility of using the home will be open to people throughout our Synod and not simply to those in the three sponsoring presbyteries. In fact, the government loan will mean, of course, that the home is not restricted to ARP's either, even if we wished it to be. The advantage our people will have is in the advance knowledge they will have—and thus the opportunity to make early application. Letters of inquiry and application should be sent to the chairman of the Admissions Committee, **Mr. W. Bruce Wright, P.O. Box 11797, Charlotte, N.C. 28220.**

Lastly, it should be made clear to all that this facility is strictly a retirement home. It is without nursing facilities. Possibly in the future our Church may be led to consider the addition of such facilities; but there is no such project at present.

The report of the Committee on Worship was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WORSHIP

The Committee on Worship submits the following report of our activities on behalf of the denomination.

With the agreement of this committee the **Prayer Calendar** will be combined with the devotional guide to be developed by Synod's Committee on Emphasis for 1982. This will be done on a trial basis. Our sincere thanks to Dr. J. Calvin Smith for his willingness to edit the **Prayer Calendar** for the past several years.

The Psalm/Hymn of the Month which appears in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** continues to be prepared by Reverend A. C. Bridges.

The Worship Conference scheduled for February 1981 was cancelled due to the death of M. Stanyarne Bell. Plans for a conference in 1982 will be made jointly with Erskine Theological Seminary.

The 1980 Bonclarken Music Conference brought 276 participants to the grounds with 28 A.R.P. Churches represented. The 1981 conference will be held July 13-17 with Dr. Robert Edgerton of Winthrop College, Mrs. Helen Kemp of Westminster Choir College, and Mr. John Yarrington of Dallas, Texas as clinicians. Mr. Terry Mann of Lake Wales is the conference director.

Current approved books of praise in the A.R.P. denomination are as follows: **THE PSALTER HYMNAL, BIBLE SONGS HYMNAL, THE PSALTER, BIBLE SONGS, SONGS FOR CHRISTIAN WORSHIP, YOUNG PEOPLE'S PRAISE, THE HYMNBOOK, TRINITY HYMNAL,** and **PSALTER HYMNAL** of the Christian Reformed Church.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the attached budget for 1981 be approved.
2. That congregations consider using the Psalm/Hymn of the Month as published in the **Plan Book** and in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** as a means of learning new hymns and psalms.
3. That appreciation be extended to Reverend A. C. Bridges for his efforts in preparing the Psalm/Hymn of the Month.
4. That ministers and sessions encourage participation in the Bonclarken Music Con-

ference and that local churches consider paying the expenses of their choir director and/or organist.

Respectfully submitted,
Betty Hunt, Chairman

Budget 1982

Music Conference	
Adult Director	$600
Youth Director	600
Primary/Junior Director	600
Accompanists (3)	450
Recreation Director	100
Crafts Director	100
Crafts Expenses	150
Recreation Expenses	100
Lifeguard	50
Board and Travel for Staff	4,000
Music for Conference	3,000
Underwriting Recording	300
Publicity and Mailing	400
Worship Conference (Erskine Theological Seminary)	400
Prayer Calendar Honorarium	50
Committee	
Travel Expenses	800
Miscellaneous	200
TOTAL	$11,900
Requested from Synod	$ 5,000

The report of the Special Committee on Bicentennial Anniversary was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

Celebration Synod, June 14-17, 1982, at Erskine, Due West, S.C.
All things are now/about ready. COME to the af-FAIR!

I. **CELEBRATE TO COMMEMORATE**—Remember, recall the days of yore. This has to do with books No. 1 and No. 2., **Lathan** (1782-1882) and **The Centennial of 1903** that relate our first hundred years. They tell of our glorious past and the stalwart people who were our forebears of the faith. Few in number, with limited resources they laid great foundations for our institutions.
NOTE: For 2 years now our people have been reading these two books, and we stand in awe as to how our forebears kept the flickering flame of faith aglow.

II. **CELEBRATE TO CO-LABOR-ATE**—Labor is the stress here. Others have labored and we all have benefited from their efforts. Evaluate, see if they attained their goals. Are we the living repositories of their attainments? Now is the time for our sacrifices to join their outlays. The extent to which their churches became their all in all! So built they the wall, for the people had minds, hands together to do the work.

Volume No. 3, our history from 1882 to 1982, by Ware, Gettys, and King, and Volume No. 6, the **History of the Woman's Synodical Union** 1915 to 1982, relates the story of our second century of service. This vine which we believe "was

planted by God's Mighty Hand still bears fruit."
NOTE: Volumes No. 3 and No. 6 are now under contract with the printers and plans are to distribute them in December.

III. **CELEBRATE TO COOPERATE! OPERATE AS A UNIT** is the word here. The main challenge of diversity is to unite the various elements—Peter, John, Thomas, Paul—into one striking force for the Kingdom. Only the Holy Spirit did it, could do it again, can do it now.

With a new song as the inspiration to our hearts and the Bicentennial Supplement (Our Dream Book) as our guide, as one unit we pray God's continued mercies upon us into the third century.

NOTE: The composition of **Our New Song** by Dr. Alec Wyton, is on schedule, and initial copies will be in the hands of our committees by September. This will allow ample time for the gathering of the Bicentennial Choir and Musicians for the premier performance the opening day of the Celebrating Synod at Erskine, June 14-17, 1982. The Bicentennial Supplement **Our Dream of the Future Book** is on schedule and will be out in mid 1982.

Recommendations

1. That Synod formally O.K. the contract signed by the chairman of the Board of Stewardship with the Delmar Co. of Charlotte, N.C. for printing Volume No. 3 and Volume No. 6 of the "Set of Six."
2. That Synod allow this to be the initial report from this committee. The other part of the report to be given Thursday morning, so that further announcements relative to the "Celebration Synod in '82" might be made.
3. That the Bicentennial Celebration year begin with the calendar month January 1, 1982, and that the Bicentennial Synod, June 14-17, 1982 be the Synod highlight, giving special impetus to all Celebrations.
4. That, in conjunction with Erskine, we encourage as many as can to join the Heritage Tour to Scotland, Ireland, etc. lands of our forefathers. Please see the folders in the display, or of the Christian Education Department of Erskine.
5. Two books of the "Set of Six" are available at our display or from the press by Christmas. Good Santa Claus gifts!
6. That $1,000.00 be budgeted for this committee for 1982.
7. Special thanks to the many who are helping lay the groundwork for a GREAT CELEBRATION.

Respectfully,
Paul L.Sherrill, Chairman

The report of the Special Committee to Draft a Position Paper on "The Biblical Basis for Missions" was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO DRAFT A POSITION PAPER ON "THE BIBLICAL BASIS FOR MISSIONS"

This committee held three meetings after individual work was done on this subject, and after consultation with the Executive Secretary of World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions.

Our position paper follows:

THE BIBLICAL BASIS FOR MISSIONS

The concept of missions begins with God and is revealed to man in the Scriptures. The Bible, itself being divinely inspired, has the power to accomplish God's purpose . . ."it shall accomplish that which I purpose and prosper in the thing for which I sent it"(Isaiah 55:11). And the truth of the Scriptures is one of the strongest weapons to be used in the spiritual warfare involved in missionary endeavor.

The basis for missions is Biblical from Genesis to Revelation. The covenant which God established with Abraham (Genesis 12:2,3) was intended to bless all the families of

the earth. The final invitation which is extended in Revelation (Revelation 22:17) is given to all who will respond.

The mandate for missions was given clearly by the risen Christ when he said to the disciples, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age" (Matthew 28:19-20).

It is a matter of great urgency that the entire Church devote itself wholeheartedly to the carrying out of the missionary task—2.7 billion of the world's population (1981) have not yet heard the gospel. Given this vast multitude still to be evangelized, we should envision the time when missionaries should flow ever more freely from and to all six continents in a spirit of humble service. And special attention should be given to the cooperation of younger churches in missionary efforts (Acts 13:1-3). All churches should be asking God and themselves what they should be doing, both to reach their own area and to send missionaries to other parts of the world. The goal should be that by all available means at the earliest possible time that every person will have the opportunity to hear, to understand and to receive the good news.

The gospel does not presuppose the superiority of any culture to another, but evaluates all cultures according to its own criteria of truth and righteousness, and insists on moral absolutes in every culture. In every nation and culture there should be an effective training program for pastors and laymen in doctrine, discipleship, evangelism, nurture and service. This training program should not rely on any sterotyped methodology, but should be developed by creative local initiatives, according to Biblical standards.

The one living, eternal God, the Creator and Lord of the universe, the God who made Himself known as God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit, has been calling out from the world a people for Himself, and sending His people back into the world to be His servants and witnesses.

Jesus Christ is unique: "And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved" (Acts 4:12).

The book of Acts reveals an enormous amount of information as well as principles to follow in mission work. For example, the truth that complete reliance upon the guidance and power of the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential to the success of the missionary effort is clearly seen in these words: "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them" (Acts 13:1-3). Another essential for success in missions is the use of prayer—illustrated throughout the book of Acts. Missionary work broke into the non-Jewish world in connection with the prayers of two men on the same day—Peter in Joppa and Cornelius, a Roman citizen, in Caesarea. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church cannot be successful in missions if she pays little attention to her prayer life and refuses to avail herself of the power of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus Christ sends (John 20:21) all of His redeemed people into all the world as the Father sent Him. World evangelism requires the whole Church to take the whole gospel to the whole world. The Church is at the very center of God's cosmic purpose and is His appointed means of spreading the gospel. In order to be successful in missions, the Church must be a united, loving, caring and supporting community. "...and the Lord added to their number day by day those that were being saved" (Acts 2:47).

The Church's message is the message of God's love in Christ for lost sinners. "The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ came into the world to save sinners" (I Timothy 1:15).

Missions is a comprehensive work including preaching, teaching, and healing. It is ministry to body, mind, and spirit. "Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons" (Matthew 10:8).

Reconciliation and freedom are more and more the concern of people in today's world, but they were God's will for society long before they became man's quest; for God loves the good and hates the evil wherever these are found. ". . . cease to do evil, learn to do good, seek justice, correct oppression; defend the fatherless, plead for the widow" (Isaiah 1:16-17).

The Bible is very clear about the return of Christ. The consummation of God's redemption will be accomplished by Jesus Christ our Lord at His return, and not by the

human construction of a Utopia on earth. And until His return, the Church is to occupy herself in the fulfilling of His commission to "go and make disciples of all nations."

Respectfully submitted,
THE COMMITTEE
L. M. Allison
W. C. Halliday
R. A. Whitesides, Chairman
E. R. Young

NOTE: In preparing this statement, frequent use was made of John Stott's exposition and commentary on the "Lausanne Covenant," which grew out of the International Congress on World Evangelization, Lausanne, Switzerland, 1974. His booklet is No. 3 of the Lausanne Occasional Papers. It would be a good study guide for congregations or other groups in the church who desire to engage in an in-depth study on the subject of missions.

A motion carried to amend the program by scheduling the Report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials as the first item of business following devotionals on Wednesday at 1:30 P.M.

The Report of Synod's Treasurer was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SYNOD'S FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 1980

We are pleased to report that all obligations were paid. Voluntary Commitments including additional contributions and late payments totaled $651,609.78. This represents 99.35% of the total Voluntary Commitments pledged. Five churches did not pay their commitments in full (three less than last year.)

We are not making a separate report on commitments and payments by individual churches since this data is contained in the statistical report of each presbytery.

A statement of the auditor's opinion and balance sheets will be submitted for printing in **The Minutes of Synod.** A copy of the formal audit will be filed with the Principal Clerk of Synod, a copy has been given to members of the Board of Stewardship, and a copy will be filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The audit includes detailed reports of the transactions of the Treasurer and of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

SPECIAL OFFERINGS AND DESIGNATED CAUSES
RECEIVED 1980—CHURCHES

American Bible Society	$ 6,367.63
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.	3,786.27
Benevolent Fund	46,247.35
Bonclarken	13,270.69
Erskine Theological Seminary	22,493.26
Erskine College	9,290.13
One Great Hour of Sharing	24,191.10
Opportunity Fund	26,653.40
	$152,299.83

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone for their loyal support and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
W. M. Kennedy, Treasurer

The Moderator recognized the continuing support of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Younts by the singing of "Jesus Loves Me, This I Know."

The morning session was recessed with the Benediction by Mr. W. M. Pittendreigh.

TUESDAY, June 9 — 7:00 P.M.

The evening worship service, "The Centrality of the Living Word," was led by Mr. K. C. Seawright.

The presentation for the evening session began with that of the Board of Christian Education. Mr. D. L. Pearson began by introducing Mr. Pete Rodgers, father of Nancy Rogers, one of our "Camp Joy" campers who spoke on the meaning of Camp Joy for those connected with it.

Mr. J. B. Hendrick, the new Director of Christian Education, was introduced to the Synod, and spoke concerning his work.

A new audio-visual program for use in local churches as a denominational promotion tool was presented to the Synod.

World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions'. presentation was introduced by Mr. John Mariner and featured Mr. James Coad, Jr., who spoke to the Synod on his work in Mexico this past year; Margaret E. White, who spoke concerning the work in Pakistan; and Prbo. (Rev.) Obed Rodriguez, the fraternal delegate from the Synod of Mexico, who presented the state of the Church in Mexico.

The presentation of the Board of Annuities and Relief was made by Mr. W. B. Sutherland, and featured Mrs. J. H. McFerrin and Mr. W. H. Blair who spoke on the work of this Board.

The Memorial Service for deceased Elders was led by Mr. G. C. Slater. The beginning part of the service was led by Mr. C. B. Todd who spoke concerning the 39 Ruling Elders who died this past year, and presented the names and churches of that group. Psalm 27 was read responsively from the Bible Songs Book. Mr. Slater noted our loss of missionaries and national church workers, and presented a tribute to Mr. A. M. Allan. The service closed with the singing of Hymnbook #425 and a prayer.

Synod then entered business. A motion carried that the address of Prbo. Obed Rodriguez be printed in the Appendix of the Minutes of Synod.

The report of the Special Committee to Meet with the Board of Trustees of Erskine College was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO MEET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ERSKINE COLLEGE AND TO CONSIDER CERTAIN SPECIFIED ITEMS IN CONNECTION WITH THE ERSKINE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

The Special Committee appointed by the 1980 General Synod in reference to studying and considering matters pertaining to the Erskine Theological Seminary (1980 **Minutes of Synod,** p. 216) met with representatives of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College as directed and had a lengthy and instructive conference in regard to the operation of the Erskine Theological Seminary under the Board of Trustees of Erskine College.

Subsequent to the meeting with the representatives of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, the Special Committee met again to further consider the items that had been referred to it by the 1980 General Synod.

After a full discussion of the Seminary and its operation, a majority of the Special Committee was of the opinion that (1) considerable progress had been made since the

meeting of Synod in 1980 toward restoring the Seminary "to its righful and prominent position in the life of the church assuring that the Seminary intends to express the will of the General Synod in the training of its ministers and that the Seminary is now committed to provide qualified leadership and direction which will generate loyalty to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the standards of the A.R.P. Church, and the authority of the scriptures;" (2) that it is economically unsound at this time to consider the relocation of the Seminary; (3) that it appears there is no need at this time for a separate Board of Trustees for the Seminary; (4) that the Seminary is receiving careful attention by the Board of Trustees of Erskine College through a special Seminary Committee composed of members of the larger Board.

The Special Committee recommends that Synod take no further action, at this time, on the question submitted to the Special Committee for consideration.

The findings of the Special Committee and recommendations to Synod were not unanimously approved, especially in regard to the question as to whether or not the Seminary should be placed under a separate Board of Trustees. There was a minority view expressed contrary to the action of the majority.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. Boswell, Chairman

The report of the Minister and His Work Committee was presented and adopted.

THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK COMMITTEE

The Committee met in Due West, South Carolina, in April of this year with all Presbyteries represented by the chairman of the Presbytery Committee on the Minister and His Work. A general discussion was held on matters of mutual interest and concern to all Presbyteries. One of the discussions centered around Presbytery procedures for calling ministers and Presbytery Manual of Procedures.

The Committee also took note of the work of the Chaplains serving from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Chruch. At present the following men are serving as Chaplains:

Lt. Fred R. Archer, CHC, United States Navy
Chaplain (Maj.) John S. Banks, United States Army
Chaplain William J. Boyd, MacDougall Youth Correction Center
Chaplain (LTC) James M. Craig, United States Army
Chaplain Charles W. Echols, Jr., Capt., USAF
Chaplain Douglas O. Jones, Col, USAF
Chaplain Lee P. Kennerly, Erskine College
Cdr. Robert B. Luebke, CHC, United States Navy
Cdr. Charles S. Rimmer, CHC, United States Navy
Chaplain Intern—Robert W. Ackerman, Crawford W. Long Hospital

Three items of business were referred to the committee for action.

The committee recommends the following:

Executive Board Referral

1. That a special orientation for new ministers be conducted each year with emphasis placed upon the work of the Boards and Agencies of the General Synod and with special emphasis on the procedures outlined for the General Synod Meeting. This meeting to be arranged by the Director of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center and the Principal Clerk of Synod.

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2. That the statement adopted by Synod from a memorial from First Presbytery in 1976 be sent to all Presbytery clerks for inclusion in the Presbytery Policy Manuals. **Minutes of Synod,** 1976, p. 260.

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3. That the Minister and His Work Committee continue to send out each year Form ORA 7004.

New Business

4. That a brief statement of faith be included with the submission of the Synod Personnel Data Forms by ministers in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and by ministers outside of this denomination who submit the form.

5. That W. C. Lauderdale be appointed as our representative to the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel for the term to end 1984.

6. That the report of the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel be received as information and printed in the **Minutes of Synod.** (Attached)

7. That procedures be followed to amend the **Form of Government**, page 205, Chapter XIII, C-1—to include at the end of the second sentence "Military Chaplains, active or retired."

8. That the budget for the Committee be adopted.

Committee Travel	$2,085.00
Expenses:	
Xerox	65.00
Postage	100.00
Telephone	75.00
Miscellaneous	25.00
Tax Guides	150.00
Presbyterian Council	2,500.00
	$4,685.00

Respectfully submitted,
Don Elliott, Chariman

THE PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL FOR CHAPLAINS AND MILITARY PERSONNEL ANNUAL REPORT—1980

The Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel represents five denominations of the Presbyterian family in all matters relating to their chaplains and church members serving in the Armed Forces and to the chaplains in the Veterans Administration Medical Centers. The Council is charged with the responsibility of procurement, endorsement, and ecclesiastical support and supervision of its chaplains. It also represents the Churches to the government in matters pertaining to the chaplains and church members serving in the military and Veterans Administration hospitals.

Council membership is composed of twenty-seven elected representatives, including the Stated or Principal Clerks from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the Presbyterian Church in the United States, and the United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America. The offices for the Council are located on the grounds of the National Presbyterian Church and Center, 4125 Nebraska Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016.

On 31 December 1980 there were 480 chaplains serving full-time or part-time in the Armed Forces and Veterans Administration and an additional 91 with the Civil Air Patrol. On active military duty are 229: 89 Army, 67 Navy, 44 Air Force, and 29 serving full-time in the Veterans Administration chaplaincy. In the National Guard and Reserve Components of the military are 251 Presbyterian chaplains.

The Council has no difficulty filling the commitments for Active Duty. Twenty-four candidates applied for the chaplaincies of the military, and 17 were granted Ecclesiastical endorsement. Placed on Active Duty were 2 Army, 3 Navy, and 3 Air Force. There are opportunities for ministry within the National Guard and the Reserve Components. Clergy may serve as chaplains while continuing their civilian ministry. This provides an outreach for churches into the community to persons who are frequently unchurched. Since 75% of the Armed Forces personnel are 24 years of age or younger, it also provides a significant contact with the youth of the community. Clergy persons interested in this ministry should contact the council office for information. Twenty-eight Presbyterian chaplains represent minority racial or ethnic groups along with two women chaplains serving in the Army and two in the Air Force.

In order to strengthen the relationship between chaplains and the parent denominations, the Council:

1. Sponsored a retreat for all Presbyterian chaplains and service personnel in Europe at the Armed Forces Retreat Center, Berchtesgaden, Germany the first week of May. Retreatmaster was Dr. William Carl, III, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia.

2. Sponsored a retreat for chaplains and their families located east of the Mississippi River in July at Grove City College. Retreatmasters were Dr. William Oglesby, Union Theological Seminary, Dr. Bruce Thielemann, Grove City College, and Dr. James Andrews, Stated Clerk of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.

3. Provided opportunity for the staff to visit chaplains at the location of their ministry. Not only does this afford the staff the opportunity to view personally the chaplain's ministry, but it provides the occasion to confer with military commanders and commanding officers on the work and assignment of the chaplain. It accentuates the unique relationship of the chaplain among military personnel and in their responsibility to the church as well as to the government, and visibly testifies to the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration of the ongoing concern of the church for the ministry of its clergy. While chaplains always are related to the parent judicatory, the staff of the Council ministers in a pastoral role when professional, personal, or domestic problems arise.

The Council is involved in various ecumenical activities with similar agencies of other denominations and faith groups. Council members and staff persons serve on the General Commission on Chaplains and Armed Forces Personnel, the Conference of Ecclesiastical Endorsing Agents for the Armed Forces, the Endorsers Conference for the Veterans Administration Chaplaincy, and the National Council of Churches' Committee on Ministry to Service Personnel in East Asia. Close liaison is also maintained with the Armed Forces Chaplains Board, the Chiefs of Chaplains of the various services, and with the Chief of Chaplains of the Veterans Administration.

The Council recongnizes that the life of the service person in uniform today is a lonely life. It urges congregations to maintain contact with their church members when away from home and to encourage their presence at the Presbyterian Retreat in Europe. To assist congregations in interpreting their role of concern and support of service people, the Council will provide upon request the pamphlet, "The Congregation's Guide for Service to Military Personnel."

The Council expresses its appreciation to the participating denominations for their support. This enables the Council to provide for the military and veteran communities qualified pastors of the church to engage in the far-reaching mission of the church. We cherish your prayers that the ministry which is provided to Presbyterian personnel and to all service men and women and veterans shall be the most effective ministry that the church can provide.

A motion carried that the Presbyteries be overtured to amend the **Form of Government**, p. 205, Ch. XII, C-1, to include at the end of the second sentence, "Military Chaplains, active or retired," the vote to be "Yea" or "Nay."

The report of the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns was presented, amended as follows, and adopted as amended:

Paragraph 3, following the sentence ending ". . . unborn child." add the following sentence: "Therefore, in all instances, one should seek to preserve the life of the unborn child."

Paragraph 4, change the end of the sentence from "including the vexing abortion problem" to read "including the avoidance of sexual immorality and abortion."

Paragraph 5, change the word "instruct" to the word "ask."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THEOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL CONCERNS

The committee met in three different sessions in order to review the abortion issue in

accordance with a directive from Synod. Mississippi Valley's Presbytery memorial was used as reference and several papers were submitted for discussion. A summary of these studies is presented in the following paragraphs.

We believe the Scriptures clearly and plainly testify to the infinite worth of human life by virtue of man having been created in the image and likeness of God, and that decisions about life and death are God's prerogatives and not man's, and that even in the case of rare exceptions such as judgments by medical personnel about highly technical medical problems, human judgment should always stand in submission to the divine judgment and wisdom of God.

We also believe that the Scriptures point up a unique relationship between God and Creator and the unborn child. And, therefore, regarding the divine mysteries of the conception and development of human life, we dare make no other inference than the conclusion that it is not for men basically to be the determiners of life and death, even for the unborn child. (**Amended.** See Proceedings above.)

And finally, in light of the growing secular trend to deal with these matters in terms of non-biblical perspectives, we recommend that Synod emphasize and implement means for teaching and preaching in such a way that our people, especially the young, be instilled with basic scriptural norms to help in withstanding the peculiar stresses and temptations of the day, including the vexing abortion problem. (**Amended.** See Proceedings above.)

We also recommend that Synod instruct the Board of Christian Education to provide suitable materials and bibliography on this subject as an aid for pastors, parents, and children; and also to provide suggestions for Christian sex education programs for local churches, as well as help for parents to develop programs of instruction within their homes. (**Amended.** See Proceedings above.)

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. F. Kuykendall, Chairman
Tunis Romein, Secretary

The report of the Moderator's Committee on the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc., was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.

The committee met at 1:30 p.m., June 9, 1981.

The Report of the Board of Directors' (Index #3) was read as well as the addendum thereto.

The motion was made to adopt both parts as submitted. A second was made to this motion. During the discussion, Chairman of the Board, Mr. Ashburn, spoke on the need for information on the Foundation, and the need for persons to present to our churches the work of the Foundation. There will be a promotional effort by this Foundation in the near future.

Mr. H. S. Mace recommended we extend to the Foundation our appreciation for their work. By general consent, this was included with the original motion, which was voted upon and passed unanimously.

REPORT OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.

The Board of the Foundation met during the year at its regularly scheduled meetings, with the annual meeting being held at the A.R.P. Center, Greenville, S. C., on May 1, 1981.

Officers of the Foundation for 1980-1981 were James P. Ashburn, Chairman; Mrs. Sarah McCullough, Vice-Chairman; and R. T. Nelson, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer.

At the annual meeting, James P. Ashburn was reelected as Chairman, R. C. Bryson was elected Vice-Chairman, and Welch M. Bostick, Jr., was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

The board voted to give the General Synod an unrestricted gift of $10,000.00 to be applied as a non-designated contribution toward the 1982 denominational budget. The 1981 and 1982 budgets of the Foundation are attached.

The board amended Article II, Section 2 of its Bylaws by adding a new sentence at the end of that section's third sentence, which new sentence shall provide as follows: "Additionally, the Moderator of the General Synod shall serve as an Advisory Member of the Board."

The board was pleased to accept for investment and distribution an additional $36,000 gift to the Widow's Benefit Fund currently being administered by the Foundation.

Response to Foundation Day, held Sunday, March 8, 1981, was gratifying. The total 1980 offering was $3,786.27. With about fifty churches reporting, the 1981 offering totals $4,661.01. All funds received through the offering become a part of the Foundation's permanent investment.

The board accepted the resignations of Mr. Richard J. Roderman and Reverend Wayne E. Stanchfield and requested that the Committee on Nominations recommend replacements to the General Synod. It is hoped that appointments to the Foundation will be made of individuals with financial and investment abilities.

In order to stay abreast of current developments in the field of charitable giving, the board participated with Erskine College in a day-long seminar on deferred giving and other charitable gifts.

The Foundation's permanent funds now total $173,022, and the return on investment for the past year was approximately 10.32%. A Summary of Transactions for the Foundation Account is attached. Accounting statements are submitted quarterly by the agent and copies are filed at the A.R.P. Center in Greenville, S.C.

The Foundation has voted to seek membership in the Evangelical Council on Financial Accountability, preferrably under the umbrella of the General Synod.

The Foundation concurs with the recommendation of the Board of Stewardship concerning the Foundation being the agency of Synod entrusted with the investment of endowment-type funds. The Foundation will submit investment guidelines with its official report to Synod.

Recommendations:

1. That March 14, 1982 be designated as Foundation Day and that the Church Calendar be so marked.
2. That the amendment to Article II, Section 2 of the Foundation's Bylaws be approved.
3. That all other activities of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,
James P. Ashburn, Chairman

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
Budget

	1981	1982
Income		
Allocation from Synod	$ 1,000	$ 3,000
Special Offering for Capital Purposes	4,500	5,000
Interest on Investments	17,000	17,000
	$ 22,500	$ 25,000
Expenditures		
Commission to Fiscal Agent	$ 500	$ 1,000
Board Travel and Expense	3,000	3,000

Brochures and Promotion	1,000	1,000
Benevolence		
Unrestricted Gift to Synod	10,000	10,000
Addition to Principal	4,500	5,000
Reserve for Other Benevolences	1,000	5,500
Special Services To Foundation	2,500	-
	$ 22,500	$ 25,000

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
Summary of Transactions
Foundation Account

Cumulative Gifts to January 1, 1980	$ 166,660.95
Gifts—Current Year	3,640.27
Total Gifts To December 31, 1980	$ 170,301.22
Cumulative Cash Balance	2,721.61
Total Gifts and Cash	$ 173,022.83
NCNB Trust. A/C Balances:	
Income Cash	$ 21.60
Principal Cash	61.32
Investments—At Cost	172,939.91
Total Assets	$ 173,022.83
Income	
Interest	$ 11,832.43
Dividends and Collective Funds	5,365.43
Total Income	$ 17,197.86
Expenses	
Distributions	$ 12,500.00
Custodial Fees	200.00
Board Meeting Expense	2,528.07
Promotion	751.58
Total Expenses	$ 15,979.65
Cash Balance for Year	$ 1,218.21

ADDENDUM REPORT TO SYNOD
A.R.P. FOUNDATION, INC.

Pursuant to the last paragraph of the Foundation's Report To Synod, the investment guidelines proposed by the Foundation for Synod's investment-type assets are as follows:

1. The type funds under discussion here are "Trust Funds" for various denominational purposes ranging in amount from less than $10,000 or so to considerably in excess of $100,000. Some of the trust funds are permanent, in that only the income from the fund may be used for denominational purposes. Others are temporary, in that no distribution whatsoever is to be made from the funds until certain decisions are made.

2. There will be established at least two separate investment funds. One of these funds will be invested in long term investments (more than one year). Other funds will be established as needed. Each fund will have its own accounting system.

3. The individual trusts now being handled by Synod's treasurer will then be contributed to the new investment funds. Each of the funds will be assigned a "unit value" based on the value of the assets that are contributed to the particular fund.

4. As each fund earns income, the income will be divided among the outstanding units of the fund.

For example, let us suppose that investment fund "A" has been created and that we contribute to that fund the following separate trusts now being handled by Synod's treasurer:

Names of the Fund	Principal Amount	Units
1. The XYZ trust of which all income is to be distributed for the Pakistan mission	$25,000	25
2. The ABC trust of which all income is to be distributed to a certain project	10,000	10
3. The DEF trust of which all income is to be accumulated pending certain decisions being made by Synod	65,000	65

Thus, the total value of the "A" fund will be $100,000. If the fund earns $10,000 of income during an accounting period, income will be allocated as follows:

Name	Income to be Allocated To Individual Fund
XYZ	$2,500
ABC	1,000
DEF	6,500

5. This is a system that has been in use for trust and scholarship funds at Erskine for a number of years. It is reported that the Erskine system works very smoothly, and is submitted that a similar system, organized and administered by the Director, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, who now administers the Erskine Fund, will likewise run smoothly.

6. The Foundation cannot, of course, guarantee any specific rate of return on investments.

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PRESBYTERY RECORDS AND REPORTS

The Committee on Presbytery Records and Reports met on June 9, 1981, in Synodical Hall at Bonclarken. Most members were present.

The Committee considered the work of the Presbyteries as reflected in their Records and Reports.

We recommend:

1. That the Reports of the Presbyteries be received as information and printed in the Appendix of the **Minutes of Synod.**
2. That the minutes of Catawba, First, Second, and Virginia Presbyteries be found proper and in order.
3. That Tennesse-Alabama, Florida, and Mississippi Valley Presbyteries be reminded to submit the minutes of their Presbyteries for examination.

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Publications was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Publications was read and discussed.

Recommendations

(1) We recommend that Recommendation One (1) be approved.

(2) We recommend that Recommendation Two (2) be approved with the understanding that this action be taken through the normal processes of the Committee on Nominations.

(3) We recommend that Recommendations Three (3) and Four (4) be approved.

(4) We recommend that The General Synod express its appreciation to the Board of Publications and to Mr. Ben Johnston, editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterain** magazine for the fine work they are doing.

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLICATONS

The Board of Publications met in September 1980 and in March 1981 to consider and act upon the work committed to it by the General Synod. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Board has had the cooperation and support of Ben Johnston, Editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian**, and Ed Hogan, Director of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

Executive Committee

The Executive Committee, composed of the officers of the Board, continued to meet between regular Board meetings to oversee various publishing activities.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian

The Board reports the following significant actions concerning the magazine, **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian:**

1. Typesetting and layout of the magazine is now being done at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, utilizing the Compugraphic 7300 photo-typesetting unit purchased by the General Synod. Monies previously budgeted for typesetting of the magazine will be applied to this operation. These costs will not increase through budget year 1984.

2. The Board approved a rate increase for subscriptions beginning in 1982. Individual subscriptions will be increased from $7.50 to $10.00; the Church Club rate (each active family) will be increased from $6.00 to $7.50; and individual subscriptions for senior citizens (age 65 and over) will remain at $7.50. The substantial increase was approved so that there would not be a need to add some increase each year.

3. Synod's Emphasis Committee has adopted a plan which would expand the **Prayer Calendar** into a full devotional publication for 1982. The Board has offered the Emphasis Committee the use of the magazine to provide the devotionals each month to a guaranteed group of subscribers. The Emphasis Committee would be expected to pay $7,000 for the preparation and printing.

4. Feasibility of bulk distribution of the publication to Erskine is being explored.

5. A study of space allocation for all the various agencies of Synod is to be undertaken by the Board.

Other Action of the Board

1. The Board has approved the election of officers in March, rather than in September, so that new members coming on the Board in July of the previous year may be considerd for offices.

2. Election of officers for July 1, 1981 to June 30, 1982:

Chairman: Charles R. Sanders Jr.
Vice Chairman: William A. Deaton
Secretary: Mrs. Ed (Betty) Wills

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the following changes to the Policy Manual of the Board of Publications be approved:

a. In Section entitled "Membership":

(1) In line 1, change "Eleven (11)" to "fifteen (15)."

(2) In line 2, change "Eight (8)" to "Twelve (12)."

(3) Add the following paragraph:

"Members who miss two consecutive meetings of the board, except for extenuating circumstances, shall be asked to resign from the board, and Synod's Committee on Nominations will be requested to recommend a replacement to the General Synod."

b. In Section "Organization," item 4, "officers," add the following sentence: "Officers shall be elected annually at the semi-annual meeting which preceeds the annual meeting of Synod to begin their terms of service July 1."

c. In Section "Organization," line 4.a. "Chairperson," delete first sentence.

2. That Synod permit the Committee on Nominations to appoint a new member to replace any member having missed two consecutive Board meetings, the request to be made by the Chairman at his discretion, considering circumstances. (**See Moderator's Committee Report.**)

3. That the Board's budget be approved as submitted.

4. That all other actions of the Board reported herein be sustained.

Respectfully,
Charles R. Sanders Jr., Chairman

BUDGET — 1982

INCOME

From General Synod		
Board Travel & Exp.	$	1,500
Plan Book & Prayer Calendar		891
Magazine Supplement		24,235
Additional Supplement		-0-
Sell of Plan Book & Prayer Calendar		500
Miscellaneous Income		500
Advertising Income		1,200
Subscriptions		41,425
	$	70,251

EXPENDITURES

Board Travel & Expense	$	1,500
Plan Book & Prayer Calendar		
Typesetting		924
Printing & Mailing		2,845
Editor		
Salary		23,353
Travel & Expenses		1,500
Insurance		1,270
Retirement		1,868
Employer Tax		1,553
Printing & Publishing		
Running Charge		15,059
Mailing Charge		1,040
Miscellaneous		1,980
Typesetting		10,848
Labels & Postage		2,500
Materials & Supplies		1,250

Office Expense	1,000
Rent	1,020
Contingency	1,000
	$ 70,251

A motion carried to adjourn and following announcements, Synod adjourned with prayer by the Moderator.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1981 — 9:00 A.M.

The opening worship service was led by Mr. T. G. Morris on the subject of "The Enabling Power of the Holy Spirit."

The Moderator introduced Mr. Ed Hogan, Director of the ARP Center, who in turn introduced the staff located at the ARP Center: Shirley Estes, Mary Wasson, Cheryl Fudge, and Ruth D'Avingnon, secretaries of the ARP Center; Beth Sanders, Administrative Assistant to the Office of Christian Education; Mr. Bill Kennedy, Treasurer of Synod's Funds; Mr. John Mariner, Director of World Witness; Joanna Thomas and Judy Hall, secretaries in World Witness; Mr. W. C. Lauderdale, Director of Church Extension; Mr. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education; and Mr. Ben Johnston, Editor of **The ARP.** Pages for Synod, Cindy Macaulay, Paul Bell, Buffie Adams, Michelle Faulkenberry, Nat Whitten, Robert Sanderson, and Mark Boone were introduced.

The Acting Director of Bonclarken, Mr. Joe Marston, was presented, and introduced his secretary, Mrs. Vivian Jones.

The Minutes of the previous sessions were read and adopted.

The Moderator requested that appreciation to Frances Sanders, Director of Camp Joy, and apologies to Rev. An be placed in the minutes.

Synod then began the nominating process for the office of Moderator. Mr. R. J. Marshburn placed in nomination the name of Mr. C. A. Boswell. Mr. C. E. Edwards spoke in second to the nomination. Mr. G. R. Oates made a seconding speech. Mr. Edwards apologized for his extra seconding speech after instruction by the Moderator.

Mr. Boswell and his wife were presented to the Synod. A motion then carried that the nominations cease and that Mr. Boswell be accepted by acclaimation. The Moderator-Elect then addressed the Synod as to his hopes and plans.

The presentation of the Committee on Lay Ministry was given by Mr. J. A. Bigham and Mr. G. H. Smith, Jr.

The report and supplemental report of the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs was presented.

The proceedings were set aside so that Mr. Charles Younts could be recognized by a standing round of applause by the Synod.

The Synod returned to discussion of the report of the Judiciary Commission and a motion carried to reopen discussion on Item 3. The report was amended as follows and adopted as amended:

1. In that the Commission has done the work on the matter, and to have it clearly understood both by our churches and other judicatories, Item #1 is adopted as a clear understanding of this section of our **Form of Government.**

2. Item No. 3,2,(b) was amended to read: "That applicants for an associate church membership may be received by a certificate of good standing from the congregation to which they belong."

3. Item No. 5 was adopted as the will of Synod.

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS

The Commission recommends:

1. That the Executive Board be authorized to secure an insurance policy which would protect officers and employees of the General Synod, including the members of any Commission of the General Synod against liability if the cost of such insurance is not prohibitive, then a coverage of $1,000,000.

2. That the Board of Publications seriously consider incorporating and securing an insurance policy protecting its members and the editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**

3. Officers elected for next year are:
   James T. Corbitt, Chairman
   Richard Lewis, Secretary.

Clarence Boswell, Chairman

REPORT OF THE ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS

The Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs presents its report and recommendations to the 1981 General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as follows:

1. The Commission was asked by the Moderator of the Mississippi Valley Presbytery to review the section "Withdrawal of Congregations and Church" (**F.O.G.**, p. 175) and Chapter XII, B, 2, e, (**F.O.G.**, p. 201) to determine how the "Withdrawal of Congregations" section applies, if at all, to a Presbytery's authority to transfer a congregation. In other words, is the two-year period binding in every case, or can a church be dismissed to a specific denomination immediately on request?

The Manual of Authorities and Duties of the Officers and Agencies of the General Synod outlines the authority of this Commission, with certain enumerated exceptions "to examine, consider and conclude business designated by the General Synod. The decisions of the Ecclesiastical Commission are to be reported to the appointing court." Therefore, since this question had not been "designated" by the General Synod, the Commission was of the opinion it could not give an official answer to the question, but in the spirit of being helpful it approved an unofficial answer as follows:

> The authority given to the Presbytery under Chapter XII, B,2,e, must be exercised in accordance with provisions of the **Form of Government** dealing with that particular subject. The provisions on page 175, **F.O.G.** setting forth the procedure to be followed before a congregation is dismissed to another denomination must be strictly construed and strictly followed.
>
> Presbytery has no authority to approve withdrawal until after the procedure has been fully followed which will involve a minimum of two years.

2. The Commission unofficially advised the Moderator of a session composed of a Moderator and two ruling elders that based on **Robert's Rules of Order—Revised**—it was not necessary in a session of this size, unless there is some particular by-law to the contrary adopted by the session or congregation, for an elder "to wait for recognition by the chair before speaking or making a motion, nor for a motion to have a second; * * * nor does the chairman leave the chair when making a motion or discussing a question. The formalities necessary in order to transact business in a large assembly would hinder business in so small a body."

That in order to avoid the necessity of the Moderator making or seconding motions the question of electing a third ruling elder should be seriously considered by his congregation.

3. The Commission was asked to study and recommend in reference to the question of amending "**The Standards, Book of Government**, Chapter V to include affiliate members as an accepted form of membership." 1981 **Minutes** p. 279.

The Commission found that especially in college communities or a community where winter or summer visitors were prevalent or where termporary residents were located on account of their work it would be advantageous if the **Form of Government** contained a provision for an affiliate (associate) membership. Therefore, the Commission recommends:

1. That in accordance with the "Regulations Governing Amendments" C, 1, Ch. XI, p. 201, **F.O.G.**, the **Form of Government** be amended to include associate members as an accepted form of membership.

2. That the amendment be made to read as follows:

(a) An associate church member is one who expects to reside in the area of the church for a limited time or expects to make extended periodic visits to such area and does not want to transfer his or her church membership from their home church, but wants to be a part of the visiting church communicant membership while temporarily residing in that area.

(b) That applicants for an associate church membership may be received by following the applicable procedure of (1) receiving individuals into communicant church membership by profession of faith or (2) by reaffirmation of faith or (3) by a certificate of good standing from the congregation to which they belong. (**Amended.** See Proceedings.)

(c) Assoicate members' names shall be entered into the records of the session; be appropriately presented to the congregation; shall have the rights, privileges and duties of regular communicant church members when residing in the area of the church except they shall not have the right to vote in congregational meetings nor the right to hold office in the congregation or church.

(d) That the first paragraph of the amendment, if approved, be identified as paragraph 3a under Section A, Chapter V; that prior to the second paragraph a heading be placed reading "4. Associate members" and second paragraph follow as paragraph 4(a) under Section C, Chapter V, and paragraph (3) be identified as 4(b) under said Section C, Chapter V.

4. The matter concerning the Uniform Procedures for Calling, Transferring and Installing Ministers was recommitted for review and report in 1981. (**Minutes** 1980, p. 282).

The Commission found that there are substantial differences between the proposed procedure and the **Form of Government.** A comparison of the proposed Uniform Procedure for Calling, Transferring and Installing Ministers with the procedure in our **Form of Government** is shown as follows:

Proposed Procedure	**Form of Government**
1	Chapter X, E, 6 p. 195
2	Nothing in the **Form of Government** requiring such an act.
3	Nothing in the **Form of Government** requiring such an action. It gives great influence to a Presbytery Committee.
4	Nothing in the **Form of Government** now requires this.
4 A,B,C,D	These sections are dealt with in Chapter X, D, p. 191 and G, p. 197 and are different from the proposed procedure.
4 D note	Chapter X, E, 1, p. 195.
5 - 7	Chapter X, E, 7, p. 195.

8	Chapter X, E, **10**, p. 196.
9	Nothing in the **Form of Government.**
10	Nothing specifically stated.
11	Chapter X, G, p. 197 covers same area, but is different from the proposed procedure.
12 - 14	Chapter X, E, **11**, p. 196 with much more detail in the proposed procedure on function of Minister and His Work Committee.
15	Chapter X, E, **12** p. 196 but not same as in the proposed procedure.
16	This material covered in Chapter X, D, **2a** with differences.
17	Nothing in the **Form of Government.**

It will be observed that most of the differences involve the function of the Presbytery's committee on the Minister and His Work (the current **Form of Government** does not even mention the Presbytery's committee on the Minister and His Work). The proposed procedure attempts to detail matters that are now left to each Presbytery's discretion under Chapter XVI of the **Form of Government** (concerning matters unprovided for).

As a result of the study made, the Commission concludes that:

1. The proposed procedure deals with an area already provided for in the **Form of Government** (Chapter X; D, E, and G).

2. The proposed procedure is different from the procedure in our present **Form of Government.**

3. The proposed procedure, if adopted, would impose upon all Presbyteries a very detailed procedure for calling ministers that would be different from the one used by many of the Presbyteries. If adopted, such procedure would usurp the Presbyteries' constitutional rights under Chapter XVI of the **Form of Government**.

Therefore, the Commission recommends that:

1. At the present time the General Synod refuse to adopt the proposed uniform procedure for calling, transferring and installing ministers as submitted, and

2. If those desiring such a porposed uniform procedure for calling, transferring and installing ministers care to pursue the matter further, that they submit such a procedure to Synod as a proposed Constitutional Amendment to Chapter X, Section E of the **Form of Government.**

5. A study was made concerning (1) the extent of the authority of the Executive Board with regard to the actions of Presbyteries; and (2) the whole area of the subject of "Transfer of Jurisdiction" in the **Book of Discipline** as requested by the General Synod (1979 **Minutes**, p. 64) and time for study extended (1980 **Minutes**, p. 282).

HISTORY OF THE CREATION OF THE "EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD":

At the 1974 Meeting of Synod, the report of the Special Committee to Edit Authorities and Duties contained the following recommendation (See page 649 Section B, **Minutes of Synod** 1974).

1. "That Synod create a new board to be called the "Executive Board of Synod."

Explanation: This board would include the Moderator (Chairman). Vice-Moderator, Immediate past Moderator, Moderator-Elect, Treasurer, Principal, Bills and Reading Clerks and the Chairperson of the other Boards of Synod. The Executive Board would act in behalf of the General Synod when it is not in session and *would assume the duties of the present Executive, Central, Program, Necrology, Publications and Communications Committees.*" (Emphasis added.)

The 1975 **Minutes of Synod** includes a report of the Executive Board (See pages 49, 60, 83).

The 1976 **Minutes of Synod** lists the President of the Synodical YPCU as an additional member of the Executive Board and specifies as Advisory Members the

Moderator of each Presbytery.

It was determined that the matter referred to this Commission is composed of two parts:

(1) General

(2) Specific.

General: In researching this matter, the Commission was unable to locate any report or information for any specific authority given to the Executive Board with regards to actions of Presbyteries except the very general authority in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** under "Authority."

"The Executive Board of the General Synod is the agency empowered to carry out the work of the General Synod in the interim period between meetings of Synod." It will be noted that in stating the purpose and power of the Executive Board the General Synod made no reference to the Presbyteries, and the Commission found no recorded statement that would bear any light on the question of, "What was the intent of Synod?" Secondly, the Commission sought to ask and seek an answer to the question, "What actions of Presbytery are to be considered?"

The Commission is of the opinion that as now worded the Executive Board of the General Synod has no authority to over-ride or act on any Presbytery matter; that if it is the intent of the Synod to grant such authority to the Executive Board, such powers should be specifically enumerated in an action outlining the powers given to and the authority granted the Executive Board.

In studying, as the Commission was directed to do, the whole area of the subject of "Transfer of Jurisdiction in the **Book of Discipline**" the Commission found and would like to call Synod's attention to the fact that Transfer of Jurisdiction is dealt with in Chapter X of the **Book of Discipline**, and in addition to the introduction there are five sections in the chapter as follows:

1. Review
2. Reference
3. Appeals
4. Complaints
5. Declinature

Transfer of jurisdiction to a higher court is provided in order to remedy, in an orderly way, wrongs that may have been done. Decisions of all church courts, with the exception of the highest are subject to investigation by a higher court.

In reviewing the procedures for redress, it is to be noted that a **REVIEW** may be conducted by a committee of the court and that the report of the committee shall be made at the meeting at which it was appointed. No reference is made of a committee in the other procedures for the redress. The Commission is of the opinion that such a committee of the court must be a special committee appointed for that purpose by such court.

In view of the inclusion of a committee for procedures under **REVIEW** and the absence of a committee from other procedures for redress the Commission is of the opinion that the hearings for redress are to be made by the full court with the exception of **REVIEW**.

The Commission is of the further opinion, however, that others than the full court could collect data and/or prepare reports for submission to the court to become a part of the hearing.

In submitting this part of the Commission's report to the Synod it is hoped that the questions intended by the Synod when it directed the Commission to make a study concerning (1) the extent of the authority of the Executive Board with regard to actions of Presbyteries, and (2) whole area of the subject of "Transfer of Jurisdiction in the **Book of Discipline**" have been answered.

6. The Board of Church Extension in session June 6, 1980 adopted a motion as follows:

> "The A-5 from the Job Description **Synod Mission Advisor** be referred to the Executive Board of Synod for their referral to Synod's Committee on Judiciary Affairs for a ruling as to whether the Board has authority to do this."

Item A-5 referred to reads:

"When the Board feels that conditions of a field warrant it, they can send the Mission Advisor to any field that is being funded by Synod, notifying the Presbytery of their action and their reasoning."

Mr. Hogan for the Moderator of Synod and Chairman of the Executive Board of Synod requested the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs by letter dated January 29, 1981, to consider the request of the Board of Church Extension.

After due consideration, the Commission is of the opinion that the primary authority "to establish and direct mission work within the bounds of a Presbytery" is vested in such Presbytery (see section B (o), Chapter XII of the **Form of Government**). The Board of Church Extension is without authority, if a Presbytery objects, to send a "Mission Advisor" into a Presbytery where the mission is located, however, such Board can send a "Mission Advisor" with permission of the Presbytery involved.

7. A matter of disposition of church property upon the withdrawal or dissolution was referred to this Commission for study in order to determine if the **Form of Government** needs to be clarified.

It is the Commission's understanding that this question has perhaps been raised on account of the litigation had in the case of **R. W. Jones, Sr., et al., petitioners. v. Charles T. Wolf, et al.,** 443 U.S. 595, 61, L ED 2d 775, 99 S Ct. 3020 (Macon, Georgia Church Case).

The Commission is of the opinion that absent from state Statute controlling this question, that (1) inasmuch as our present **Form of Government** deals specifically with the question of the disposition of church property in the case of withdrawal (**F.O.G.** Ch. III, p. 173-175 inc.) the First Amendment to the United States Constitution would require a court to give deference to the presbyterial action in following the provisions set forth in the **Form of Government**; that (2) under such circumstances, it is highly probable that if a local congregation withdraws without complying with the withdrawal procedures set forth in the **Form of Government** that the property would not follow the congregation. However, in order to strengthen this position the Commission advises that the **Form of Government** be amended by adding another paragraph under the subject "Withdrawal of Congregations and Church Property:" p. 175 of the **Form of Government** reading as follows:

> If a local congregation does not comply with the withdrawal procedures set forth above, then that congregation shall forfeit all of its right, title, and interest in and to its property to the Presbytery within which it is located.

8. The question of Synod considering amending the **Standards, Book of Government,** Chapter X, Section C, to include a Statement on Students of Theology was referred to this committee for study and recommendations.

It is the opinion of the Commission that the question concerning a student of theology has already been answered in Chapter X, paragraph D, 1A, page 191 of the **Form of Government.**

9. The question as to whether and to what extent liability insurance should be provided for the Officers and/or Board members of Synod has been under study and consideration, but the question being as complex as it is, the Commission is not yet ready to make a report, but hopes to make a supplemental report by the time Synod meets in June 1981 in order to answer this question.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. Boswell, Chairman

The report of the Moderator's Committee on World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON WORLD WITNESS, THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Your Moderator's Committee on World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions met and a quorum was declared. The meeting was opened in prayer led by Rev. Bill Tyson. Dr. L. M. Allison, Mr. John Mariner, Rev. Boyce Wilson, Rev. Obed Rodriguez, Joanna Thomas and Judy Hall were present representing World Witness and were prepared to answer any questions.

Mr. Mariner shared his deep appreciation for the increasing interest and growing support that the churches of the Synod have shown for missions in the recent years. However, Mr. Mariner shared his equal concern for the very small number of willing candidates for mission work from our denomination.

Your committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That recommendations Nos. 1-3 of the Board's report be adopted as presented.
2. That recommendation No. 4 be amended and adopted with the following addition: "To help implement this, Synod asks churches to explore the development of a church-wide World Witness emphasis in each local church, and encourage the Board of World Witness to communicate with pastors and clerks of sessions to try to arrange an opportunity to explore the challenge and opportunity to understand the critical place of the local church in the task of World Witness.
3. That recommendation No. 5 be adopted as presented.
4. That recommendation No. 6, the comprehensive Budget of the Board's Report be adopted as amended by Synod's Report of the Board of Stewardship as adopted by Synod.
5. That the General Synod express its appreciation to the Board of World Witness and its employees.
6. Upon adoption of the Moderator's Committee Report, the Synod have prayer for Dr. and Mrs. E. Gettys, Janet White, and Dr. and Mrs. Halliday, with praise and thanksgiving for the lives and ministries of Dr. Helen Sharp, Frances Pressly Hamilton, and Pastor John.

The meeting was then closed in prayer by Dr. Roy Beckham.

REPORT OF WORLD WITNESS: THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Introduction

II Corinthians 5:17-20

"Therefore, if any one is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has passed away, behold the new has come. All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliaton; that is, God was in Christ reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. So we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. *We beseech you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God."*

World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions, acknowledges with thanksgiving and praise the continued blessing of our Lord and God on the work God is doing through our Board and its representatives overseas. We give to God the honor and glory for the many who have come to know Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour during this past year, for the many who have grown in grace and discipleship, and for new churches which have begun both in Mexico and in Pakistan.

The Board Of World Witness recognizes with sincere appreciation the significant encouragement and financial support received from the General Synod, received from the voluntary commitments of individual ARP churches and the additional voluntary commitment grant given by Synod's Board of Stewardship, and the encouragement and financial support received from the Woman's Synodical Union and individuals during the past year. The volunteer help from the Greenville ARP Church and other ARP churches during the past year has been a tremendous help in the promotion of the work of World Witness.

In Memoriam

The Board of World Witness recognizes the death during the past year of three of its retired employees. Frances Pressly Hamilton (Mrs. B. L., Sr.), a retired missionary to Pakistan; Pastor John retired senior pastor of the Pakistan Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, and Dr. Helen Sharp, retired medical missionary to Pakistan. Appropriate memorial statements will be included in the appendix of the Minutes of the 1981 meeting of the General Synod.

The Fields

Mexico

During the past year, since the meeting of the General Synod in 1980, the existing programs of the Mexican Mission of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church have continued. In the fall of 1980, the new Huastecan Bible School in Valles, Mexico, under the supervision of Pat Covone was opened. Currently, eleven students are studying in this program which will prepare them for lay evangelistic ministry in the Huastecan Indian area or for entry into the seminary of the Synod of Mexico. During the summer of 1981, the students will be laboring in the Huastecan field helping to open up and establish new areas of church planting ministry. During the winter of 1981, a distinctively ARP Bible Correspondence School ministry was begun under the supervision of Jim and Evalyn Coad and Sarah Pressly. A good number of students are already enrolled in the Bible Correspondence School program.

During the past year, Jim and Evalyn Coad, having completed language study, and having been commissioned as missionaries of the ARP Church, began their work in Mexico. Jan Kok, a short-term missionary, assisted with the work in Rio Verde. She completed her assignment in March 1981, and World Witness sincerely expressed its appreciation to her for her help and service. In January 1981, Sarah Pressly returned to Mexico for a short-term assignment to develop the Bible Correspondence School ministry.

Pakistan

The past year has continued to be a year of political and civil unrest in Pakistan. The government of Pakistan has done a good job in maintaining law and order and there has been no threat to the safety of our missionaries.

During the past year all of the programs of the Pakistan Mission of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church have continued without interruption. No new programs have been instituted during the past year.

In June 1980, Tina Franks went to Pakistan for a one year short-term assignment as a nursing instructor in the Nancy Fulwood Hospital School of Nursing. Her assignment terminates in June 1981. In November 1980, David and Julaine Harding, having received their entry visas, went to Pakistan to begin language study prior to assignment at the Nancy Fulwood Hospital; and in March 1981, Kenneth and Jerri Lotze were commissioned as missionaries to Pakistan. At this writing visas have not yet been received. Ken completed his studies at Erskine Theological Seminary and was ordained by the Florida Presbytery in March.

Both in Mexico and Pakistan high inflation rates, more than double the inflation rate of the United States, have presented severe limitations upon the funding of the work. In both countries a substantial use of World Witness funds is the subsidy of salaries of national workers. At the present time more than 400 national workers receive partial or full support from World Witness. The strong support of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination has been an encouragement in enabling us to provide for salary increases to these national workers.

The Board of World Witness

During the past year, the Board of World Witness has held three regularly scheduled meetings, and the various committees of the Board have met as required for continuity in the work. During the meetings the business of the Board was conducted and a prayerful concern was exercised for all of the missionaries and national workers. During the year the executive secretary has spoken at local church meetings, held workshops on "Setting the Missions Identity and Organizing a Missions Program in the Local Church," visited college campuses and, in general, has promoted the work of the Board. The executive secretary has also visited the fields to counsel with the missionaries, evaluate current programs, meet with representatives of the Synods of Mexico and Pakistan in furtherance of our policy of open communication and coordination of our work, and has attended the annual business meetings of the Missions.

John M. Alexander, Jr. has been elected as chairperson of the Board of World

Witness and Emma Echols as vice-chairperson of the Board of World Witness for the term of office commencing 1 July 1981.

Peggy Murdock has been commissioned by World Witness to prepare historical documents on the work of World Witness in Mexico and Pakistan for inclusion in the Bicentennial materials being prepared for 1982.

The Board of World Witness has reviewed the report of the Special Committee on Priorities included in the Minutes of the 1980 meeting of the General Synod. The Board of World Witness responds to each of the five recommendations of the Special Committee on Priorities as follows:

F.1 The Board of World Witness *concurs* with Synod's recommendation in support of the Board of World Witness' short-term goal of 29 ARP missionaries.

F.2 The Board of World Witness *commends* Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary in their continuing efforts in developing a curriculum which will prepare people for world missions service.

F.3 The Board of World Witness *concurs* with Synod's recommendation that unless there is a change in the world situation, that priority be given to strengthening of our present fields over creation of an eventual third field.

F.4 The Board of World Witness *instructed* its executive secretary to send a letter to each presbytery reminding it of Item F.4 and offering the services of World Witness in conducting a mission conference in each presbytery as recommended in Item F.4.

F.5 The Board of World Witness *concurs* with this item of the Priorities Committee report recognizing that a primary need of the General Synod in our denomination is for committed Christians in the pulpits and on the mission fields, and for pastors to present the call of the ministry.

In February 1981, the Fifth Annual Foreign Missions Conference was held at Erskine Seminary with Dr. G. Thompson Brown as the speaker. World Witness co-sponsors this event with Erskine Theological Seminary.

Inter-Synod Relations

The Board of World Witness expresses to the General Synod the Board's deep interest in the concept of an International Synod and the Board awaits with interest the actions of the Inter-Synod Committee of the Synod of Mexico and the actions of the Executive Committee of the Synod of Pakistan.

Budget

The Proposed Budget of World Witness for the 1982 calendar year is as follows:

1982 WORLD WITNESS U.S. BUDGET—WORKSHEET
DRAFT—JAN 1981

Budgeted Income		
Voluntary Commitments		$285,885
Interest Income		
Restricted Funds	$ 6,000	
Harper Mem. Fund	1,000	7,000
General Specials		
WSU (Anticipated)	20,000	
Churches and Individuals	11,000	31,000
Direct Support		
ARP Churches	229,235	
WSU (Anticipated)	25,805	
Other	3,000	258,040
Special Offerings		
One Great Hour of Sharing		25,000
Restricted Specials		
WSU (Anticipated)	31,000	

Adopt Program Mexico	7,000	
Pakistan	7,000	
Churches & Individuals	90,135	135,135
TOTAL		$ 742,060

Expense Summary

Synod Budget	$337,885
Direct Support	248,040
Other Budgeted Expenses	146,135
Reserve Funds	-0-
TOTAL	$742,060

EXPENDITURES

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
I. MEXICO			
A. Salaries			
1. R. L. Brunson		$ 11,890	$ 11,890
2. P. G. Covone		13,590	13,590
3. D. Rodriguez		11,790	11,790
4. R. B. Wilson		11,090	11,090
5. J. Coad, Jr.		10,690	10,690
6. Sarah Pressly		7,815	7,815
B. Child Allowance			
1. R. L. Brunson		2,900	2,900
2. P. G. Covone		1,500	1,500
3. R. B. Wilson		1,100	1,100
C. Maintenance & Rent			
1. Valles Mission Home	$ 780	1,500	2,280
2. Sara Flores Home	720		720
3. Janie Love Home	720		720
4. N. E. Pressly Clinic	4,550		4,550
5. Nurses Home	3,450		3,450
6. Rio Verde Mission Home	780	1,500	2,280
7. Rio Verde Students Home	1,800		1,800
8. Rio Verde Camp Building	360		360
9. Taxes, Tamsan	1,200		1,200
10. Rent—R. B. Wilson	1,500	1,500	3,000
11. Rent—J. Coad, Jr.	1,000	1,500	2,500
12. Rent—Sarah Pressly	-	1,500	1,500
D. Itineration			
1. All Fields	2,000	6,000	9,000
E. Car Insurance & Taxes			
1. R. L. Brunson		450	450
2. P. G. Covone		450	450
3. R. B. Wilson		450	450
4. J. Coad, Jr.		450	450
5. Sarah Pressly		450	450

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
F. Work and Workers			
1. White Cross, 3 Districts	-		6,000
2. Workers, Rio Verde District ..	11,350		12,500
3. Workers, Tampico District ...	10,250		11,500
4. Workers, Valles.....	16,000		19,000
5. Workers, S.L.P. District	6,000		6,000
6. Itineration, Workers.....			2,000
7. Christian Education Team	6,500		6,500
G. Neill E. Pressly Clinic			
1. All expenses			4,000
H. J. L. Pressly Dispensary			
1. All expenses			2,000
I. Huastecan Clinic			
1. All expenses			9,000
J. Education			
1. Seminary			3,000
2. Training lay workers.....	850		850
3. Huastecan Bible School	8,800		10,000
4. Education Scholarships	8,000		10,000
5. Medical students	1,200		1,200
6. Bible Correspondence School .	3,000		6,000
7. Book Store.....	1,500		2,000
8. Rio Verde Conference Center .	7,000		7,000
K. General			
1. Administration	1,050		1,050
2. Legal Matters.....	1,100		1,100
3. Pensions, Retired Workers ...	3,700		3,700
4. Village Clinics			4,000
5. Summer Camps.....	5,000		30,000
6. Camp Secretary.....	1,800		1,800
7. Telephones.....	2,100		2,100
8. School fees, Brunson		800	800
9. Scholarships, Covone.....		1,500	1,500
10. Radio & TV	2,000		3,000
11. Clerk/Bookkeeper	1,500		1,500
12. School Fees, Wilson		600	600
13. Rio Verde Social Security.....	730		730
MEXICO TOTAL	118,290	91,015	278,405
2. PAKISTAN			
A. Salaries			
1. George McBane.....		11,590	11,590
2. D. Harding.....		10,690	10,690
3. D. E. Dagenhart		8,015	8,015
4. M. E. White.....		7,665	7,665
5. F. E. Hanna.....		7,615	7,615
6. Melanie Heflin.....		6,365	6,365

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
7. G. Letchworth		10,690	10,690
8. K. Lotze		10,590	10,590
B. Child Allowance			
1. D. Harding		600	600
2. G. Letchworth		2,000	2,000
3. K. Lotze		600	600
4. McBane		600	600
C. Upkeep			
1. Bahar Afshan*		1,800	2,100
2. Knox Home House*		1,800	2,100
3. Ladies House*		1,800	2,100
4. Hopital	3,000		3,000
5. Knox Home		500	800
6. Chichiwatni		1,800	2,100
7. New Bungalow*		1,300	1,500
8. Karachi House	1,000		2,000
9. Volkart House	300	1,500	2,100
10. Rental Housing-McBane	1,000	1,500	2,500
D. Taxes			
1. Land and Water	200		200
2. Property	1,400		1,400
3. Car Insurance		3,600	3,600
E. Itineration			
1. General		7,500	9,000
2. Ambulance, Hopital		2,100	2,100
3. Karachi	1,700		1,700
F. Work and Workers			
1. General	400		400
2. Church Extension	2,200		2,200
G. Bible Teacher and Chaplain	4,000		4,000
H. Institutions			
1. Nancy Fulwood Hospital	30,000		30,000
2. Replacement of Equipment	4,000		4,000
3. MLP School Hostel	7,500		15,000
4. Sahiwal Primary School	1,450		1,450
5. 357 Primary School	900		900
6. Knox Home Hostel	1,850		2,850
7. College Girls Hostel	2,000		2,500
8. Karachi Schools	1,800		1,800

*Includes House, Quarters and Watchman

I. General			
1. Christian Literature	300		300
2. Office Expense	3,300		4,000
3. Language School	3,000		3,000
4. Murree School		800	800
5. Seminary Affiliation	2,000		2,000
6. Adult Literacy	18,000		18,000

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
7. United Bible Training Cen.	100		100
8. Lay Training School	700		2,000
9. Converts Fund	200		200
10. District Medical Fund	450		450
11. Seminary Scholarships	650		650
12. College Scholarships	1,000		2,000
13. Teacher Training Sch.	750		1,400
14. Tech. Training Sch.	800		1,400
15. EDA Program	700		5,000
16. Major Repairs	5,000		20,000
17. Christian Development	4,000		4,000
18. Bahwalpur Workers	5,000		5,000
19. Bible Correspondence Sch.	10,000		10,000
20. CTTC	150		150
22. Agriculture	1,650		1,650
22. Bible Teachers	1,100		3,300
J. Synod			
1. Synod Subsidy	4,015		16,500
2. Retirement	1,815		1,815
PAKISTAN TOTAL	129,380	103,020	284,435
3. BOARD			
A. Personnel			
1. Blue Cross/Blue Shield		11,250	11,250
2. Retirement		13,200	13,200
3. Social Security		4,835	4,835
4. Synod Benefits		3,520	3,520
B. Executive Secretary			
1. Salary	23,415		23,415
2. Retirement (8%)	1,873		1,873
3. Social Security (6.65)	1,557		1,557
4. Synod Benefits	200		200
5. Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1,010		1,010
C. Office Expenses			
1. Administrative Assistant	12,900		12,900
2. Secretary	3,300		3,300
3. Printing	8,000		8,000
4. Telephone, postage, teleg.	8,000		8,000
5. Rent	1,130		1,130
D. General			
1. Board Travel	6,500		6,500
2. Secretary Travel	6,300		6,300
3. One Great Hour			25,000
4. Contingent	9,000		9,000
5. Bonclarken Cottage	500		500
6. Lillian Home	1,500		1,500
7. Car Depreciation		19,500	19,500
8. Missionary Travel		11,700	11,700

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
9. Bi-Centennial	5,000		5,000
BOARD TOTAL	90,185	64,005	179,190
SUMMARY			
MEXICO	$ 118,290	$ 91,015	$ 278,405
PAKISTAN	129,380	103,020	284,435
BOARD	90,185	64,185	179,190
TOTAL	$ 337,855	$ 258,040	$ 742,030

OTHER BUDGETED EXPENSE

A. Mexico	
1. One Great Hour Specials	$ 12,500
2. Specials	69,100
B. Pakistan	
1. One Great Hour Specials	12,500
2. Specials	52,035
TOTAL	$ 146,135

For Information Purposes Only:

Total US Budget	$ 742,060.00
Anticipated Income outside USA	820,000.00
TOTAL WORLD BUDGET	$ 1,562,060.00

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE 1981 MEETING OF THE GENERAL SYNOD, ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1. That the Report of World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions, be adopted and printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**
2. That the General Synod continue to remember retired ARP missionaries with prayer, notably: Ebenezer and Mary Gettys, Janet White, Bill and Flora Halliday.
3. That the General Synod remember with prayer, praise and thanksgiving the life and ministries of Dr. Helen Sharp, Frances Pressly Hamilton (Mrs. B. L., Sr.), and Pastor John.
4. That the general interest of the denomination in the work of foreign missions be encouraged by continuing emphasis in presbyteries, conferences, youth conferences, and publications; and that pastors and elders prayerfully challenge members of their local congregations to consider missionary service. (**Amended.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)
5. That special appreciation be extended to the Woman's Synodical Union for their financial support.
6. That the proposed 1982 budget of World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions, as included in this report, be adopted. (**Amended.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

Respectfully submitted,
L. M. Allison, Chairperson

Special prayer, as adopted in Item #6 of the preceeding report, was offered by Mr. John Mariner.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Stewardship was presented. The following amendments were made and the report as ammended was adopted:

1. Recommendation #14 was referred to World Witness, The Board of Foreign Missions, for action.

2. Recommendation #18 was amended to grant authority to the Board of Stewardship to make necessary adjustments in the 1982 budget following the receipt of Voluntary Commitment pledges and the 1981 year-end report.

3. The goal for the implementation of the stated long-range objective presented by the Committee on Priorities to provide, from Synod's unrestricted funds, equal priority to Church Extension and World Witness, with 50% of Synod's unrestricted income allocated to these two agencies, was changed from budget year 1985 to budget year 1983.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON STEWARDSHIP

The Moderator's committee recommends the adoption of the recommendations of the Board of Stewardship. (**Amended.**)

A motion concerning future annual allocations from Synod's unrestricted income was considered. The committee recommends that it be referred to the Board of Stewardship for study.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

We give thanks to God for the commitment of Associate Reformed Presbyterians as evidenced by their tithes, offerings, and special gifts. We give thanks to God for the continuing commitment of the churches to the mission and ministry of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. We give thanks also for those servants of Christ who have responded to His call to carry out the ministries of the denomination.

The Board of Stewardship has met on three occasions since the meeting of Synod. The actions of the board are reported herein as information to the Synod.

Audit

An Audit Committee has been made a standing committee of the board, with a membership limited to not more than four persons. This committee will have the responsibility to select an auditor for Synod's books, to consult with the auditor on matters related to the annual audit, and to review the audit when received. The audit for the year ending December 31, 1980 and the "Report on Internal Control" were received and reviewed by the audit committee. Recommendations of the auditor will be communicated to the agencies of Synod. Other items to be considered by the Audit Committee include (1) a capitalization policy to enhance the ability to control fixed asset expenditures as well as the asset and (2) possible audit guidelines for congregations.

The audit format was changed for 1980 to include the nonexpendable invested funds (Permanent Funds) rather than a report by separate audit. Additionally, the "Notes to Financial Statements" include a reference to trust and agency funds including the Retirement Plan Fund, Church Extension Revolving Loan Fund, and funds of the A.R.P. Foundation, Inc. The audit for 1981 will reflect a change in the schedules prepared by the auditor, as the supplemental schedules of receipts and expenditures will be prepared "in house" and filed with the audit. This action has the concurrence of the auditor.

A copy of the audit and the "Report to Management" have been given to each member of the Board of Stewardship, placed on file at the A.R.P. Center, and is submitted with the official report to Synod. A copy of the Auditor's Opinion, Balance Sheet, and Statement of Support, Revenue, Expense and Changes in Fund Balances are attached for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.** (See Appendix)

Budget

For 1981: The responses of the churches to the Voluntary Commitment in 1981 and the excellent stewardship of our agencies during 1980, have insured sufficient funds not only to meet the 1981 budget of Synod as adopted by the 1980 General Synod but also to commit funds for special and probable needs during 1981 and 1982. The revised income budget for1981 has been adopted by the Board of Stewardship as follows:

	Budget Approved	Budget Revised
Unrestricted Synod Funds		
Voluntary Commitments	$ 701,955	$ 706,302
Interest Income and Miscellaneous Gifts	35,000	35,000
ARP Foundation Gift	10,000	10,000
Unused Budget Funds Prior Years	5,000	26,449
Income from Sale of Publications	2,250	-
Late 1980 Voluntary Commitments	-	15,618
	$ 754,205	$ 793,369
Designated Synod Income		
Annuities and Relief	285,000	285,000
Bonclarken	27,500	27,500
Christian Education	25,675	31,704
Church Extension	75,800	78,948
Erskine	48,000	48,000
Synod Registration	1,375	1,375
Publications	38,750	38,500
World Witness	447,375	451,795
Lay Ministry	1,650	1,650
Worship	7,025	7,025
American Bible Society	6,392	6,392
	$ 1,718,747	$ 1,771,258

The anticipated additional income of $39,164, budget decreases of $5,586 realized through the purchase of photo-typesetting equipment, and the dismissal of the Special Committee on Priorities permitted the following additional and reallocation of funds for 1981:

1. To Board of Annuities and Relief for Board Travel and Expense$ 1,250
2. To A.R.P. Student Union, Erskine College.....250
3. To Board of Publications for supplement to **The A.R.P.**.....2,379
4. To A.R.P. Center for Retirement for Bookkeeper (from 9-6-78) .2,379
5. To A.R.P. Center for Additional Salary for Bookkeeper (7-1-81) ..250
6. To Reserve for the following unexpected expenses in 1982:
   a. Publishing of Bicentennial Devotional Guide 7,000
   b. Expense of Pakistan and Mexico Delegate to Synod 3,000
   c. Bicentennial Contingency.....10,000
7. To Synod's Contingency.....19,242

For 1982: The Board of Stewardship is confident that the churches will continue to respond to the opportunity of undergirding the ministries of the denomination *through*

the Voluntary Commitment program. The budget for 1982, as reflected in the **Recommended Allocation of Synod's Unrestricted Income for Budget Year 1982**, is submitted after consultation with representatives of the major agencies of Synod and reflects a **one percentage point increase** in the support to Church Extension.

In response to the action of the 1980 General Synod, the Board of Stewardship has adopted as a goal the implementation, **by budget year 1985**, the stated long-range objective presented by the Committee on Priorities to provide, from Synod's unrestricted funds, equal priority to Church Extension and World Witness, with 50% of Synod's unrestricted income allocated to these two agencies. The Budget for 1982, as presented, allocates 46.43% to these two agencies, with 21.80% for Church Extension and 24.63% for World Witness. It should be clearily understood that to increase the level of commitment to these two agencies, the percentage level of support to others must **decrease**. It is the intent of the Board of Stewardship, apart from specific directives from Synod or unless requested to do so by the agencies themselves, not to significantly change the commitment level to Erskine, Bonclarken, and Christian Education. Thus, the increased percentage level support for Church Extension and World Witness will have to be realized by more effective management in administrative areas.

With this in mind, the Board of Stewardship, working in consultation with the Executive Board of Synod and the Center Director, has worked toward developing long range cost savings through two projects:

Computer Services: As reported to Synod in 1980, funds from an unrestricted gift from the Lake Wales Church Foundation have made it possible for the A.R.P. Center to work jointly with Erskine College to develop the computer and communications capability at the ARP Center. The further development of the use of the computer will provide long term savings in personnel as well as permit the better support to the major agencies of Synod. Additional expenditures have been approved from the Lake Wales gift for a disk drive at Erskine to handle the denominations increased needs and for program development. The development of an accounting/bookkeeping system is planned.

The capabilities of the computer has allowed the Center to provide services not only to the agencies located at the Center, but also to Catawba, First, and Virginia Presbyteries, Bonclarken, Erskine, Jubilee House Community, and the Historical Foundation at Montreat. While there is no direct cost savings reflected in the Center budget, those services have resulted in cost savings to those receiving the services.

Typesetting: The 1980 Synod was given a verbal report on the possible purchase of typesetting equipment. The equipment was purchased during 1980 at a total cost of $18,616.01, and was expensed by the auditor. The following data will reflect the cost savings anticipated from the project for budget years 1981-1984 (costs reflect budgets for typesetting, except for ARP Center):

	Originally Budgeted 1981*	**Revised Budget 1981-1984**	**One Year Savings**	**Four Year Savings**
Board of Publications				
The A.R.P.	$10,848	$ 8,260	$ 2,588	$10,352
Plan Book	446	340	106	424
Prayer Calendar	478	364	114	456
Minutes of Synod	2,400	1,827	573	2,292
Christian Education	2,304	1,754	550	2,200
ARP Center Secretary	6,934	5,279	1,655	6,620
	$23,410	$17,824	$ 5,586	$22,344

*1980 levels used.

These budget categories will remain constant for budget years 1981 through 1984 and as can be seen the savings will more than pay for the equipment. Additionally there will be unrealized savings because of the constant nature of the budget figures. Without the equipment these budget figures would have increased due to inflation. If a price increase of 5% per year is assumed, an additional $3,841 would have been needed; at 10%, which seems more realistic, an additional $8,272 would have been needed.

Investment

Synod's Treasurer, Mr. W. M. Kennedy is to be commended for his continued excellent service in maximizing the income from our invested funds. During the year 1980 income was earned as follows:

1. **Permanent Funds:** These funds represent resources the principal of which is restricted for investment purposes. Income produced is allocated to the agencies in proportion to the assets. Income earned during 1980 was $16,695, a return of 10.07%. This fund is divided as follows:

World Witness	$ 95,322
Church Extension	51,465
Dunlap Orphanage	18,939

2. **Dunlap Orphanage Investment Fund.** This fund represents certain assets of Dunlap which are being invested until fund disposition is made. Valued at $234,408, income of $27,191 was added to the fund bringing its value to $261,599. This represented a return of 11.60%.

3. **General Synod Investment Fund.** Included in this fund, with some exceptions, are the miscellaneous expendable restricted funds of the General Synod and its agencies, excluding Bonclarken, Erskine, the Foundation, and Dunlap, as well as the operating reserve of the Synod. During the year income of $28,109 was earned. Current investments in these accounts are earning approximately 13%. Endowment type funds included in this category, interest of which is credited to current income, include:

World Witness	
E.H. and Emma Oates Ragsdale Pakistan Student Fund	$ 8,251.00
Harper Memorial Fund	19,541.62
Lillian Home Fund	78,346.55
Williams Missionary Fund	21,000.00
Benevolent Fund Endowment	7,000.00

The Board of Stewardship, with the concurrence and encouragement of Synod's Treasurer, has explored with the A.R.P. Foundation the possibility of placing endowment-type funds and other long-term investments under the care of the Foundation. This would include those funds in Permanent Funds, Dunlap Orphanage Funds, and the endowment type funds in the General Synod Investment Fund, all of which are referenced above. A recommendation is included for Synod's consideration.

Real Property

There were no activities of the Board relative to its responsibilities as Trustees for the General Synod. The Board will continue to make efforts to transfer by quitclaim deed property of local congregations which is now held by the General Synod. Congregations have been asked to initiate such action.

Voluntary Commitment

You are responding! We, as the Board of Stewardship and on behalf of those involved in the denominational ministries, say thanks! Contributions through Voluntary Commitment for 1980 (including late payments) totalled $651,610, an increase of 9.66%. The anticipated voluntary commitment income for 1981 of $706,302 represents an increase of 8.39%, this being realized with the closing or transfer of two churches which contributed to the total in 1980. This response is very commendable. As a percentage of the unrestricted income the 1980 level was 13.35% as compared to 13.13% for 1979. The projected level for 1981 is 13.92%. The goal is 20%.

For 1980, fifty-one churches met or surpassed the goal of contributing 20% of the base unrestricted income **or** increased their level of giving by **three percentage points** over the prior year. These churches will be recognized with sincere appreciation during this Synod meeting:

Catawba Presbytery: Centennial, Dutch Fork, Edgemoor, Edwards Memorial, Lancaster First, Neely's Creek, New Hope, Pleasant Hill, Rock Hill First, Sharon, Sherwood Forest, Shiloh, Tirzah, Unity, Wando, White Oak.

First Presbytery: Back Creek, Christ Community, Covenant, Pinecrest, Sandy Plains, Tabernacle, Westminster.
Florida Presbytery: Bartow, Grace Chapel, Lake Placid.
Mississippi Valley Presbytery: Brighton, Havanna, Parkway Place, Pottsville, Salem, Troy.
Second Presbytery: Abbeville, Cedar Springs, Due West, Generostee, Greenville, Louisville, Newberry, Ora, Woodruff, Young Memorial.
Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery: Bethel, Camden, Cleveland Steet, Fayetteville, Prosperity, AL, Prosperity, TN.
Virginia Presbytery: Fairlea, Spring Valley, Wildhurst.

Of the remaining churches (for 1980) forty-two increased their percentage level of giving. The percentage level decreased for fifty-nine churches, although 28 of those increased their dollar giving. Seven churches made no contributions during 1980.

For 1981, **fifty-six** churches have pledged at least 20% of the base unrestricted funds (General Fund receipts for 1979) or have increased their level by **three percentage points** over the 1980 level:
Catawba Presbytery: Centennial, Chester, Dutch Fork, Hickory Grove, Lancaster First, Neely's Creek, New Hope, Oak Ridge, Pleasant Hill, Rock Hill First, Sharon, Sherwood Forest, Shiloh, Unity, White Oak.
First Presbytery: Back Creek, Burlington, Christ Community, Concord, Covenant, Elk Shoals, First Union, Glenwood, Mooresville, Pinecrest, Sandy Plains, Tabernacle.
Florida Presbytery: Avon Park, Bartow, Lake Placid, Lake Wales.
Mississippi Valley Presbytery: Brighton, Ebenezer, Hickory Springs, Salem.
Second Presbytery: Doraville, Due West, Generostee, Greenville, Highlands, Long Cane, Mt. Carmel, Newberry, Ora, Pressly Memorial, Woodruff.
Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery: Camden, Cleveland Street, Fayetteville, Hopewell, Prosperity, AL, Prosperity, TN.
Virginia Presbytery: Johnson Creek, Lauderdale, Old Providence, Spring Valley.

No correspondence has been received on pledges or payments from ten churches. Of the remaining ninty churches (Prosperity, NC, McElroy Memorial, and the new mission at Lakeland not included) thirty nine have increased their percentage level of giving. Of those reporting no change or a decrease in the percentage level of giving, seventeen have increased their pledged dollar level of giving, twenty-eight remain unchanged and six have decreased their dollar level of giving. Those decreasing their dollar level of giving have found it economically necessary to make the adjustments.

Appreciation is expressed to all churches for responding as the Spirit has led. Letters of appreciation will go from the Board of Stewardship to those churches which have increased their dollar level of giving.

There are several churches which, for a number of years, have not increased their level of support to denominational ministries through the Voluntary Commitment program. The board will be making efforts to encourage those churches in increasing their level of involvement, and their cooperation is respectfully requested.

Other

1. **Bicentennial Publications:** The Board of Stewardship has worked with the Special Committee on the Bicentennial and the following actions are reported:

a. Approved a special price of $50.00 for the "Set of Six" sold to libraries and historical societies.

b. Approved the payment of $1,000 each to the two editors for expenses in preparing publications for the Bicentennial Set.

c. Preceived as information the publishing budget of the Bicentennial Committee.

d. Granted authority to the ARP Center Director to purchase additional equipment and to hire temporary personnel *if economically feasible* to prepare the bicentennial publications for printing. The contract for the next three volumes allows for the deduction of approximately $13,000 for typesetting, proofing, and mechanical art.

e. Approved the preparation of an essay on the biblical basis of stewardship and stewardship in the ARP Church.

2. **Special Meetings With Synod's Boards.** Representatives of the Board of Stewardship met individually with representatives of the major Boards of Synod, followed by a joint meeting of all representatives, to discuss finances, financing, and control. Follow-up on those meetings will continue during the following year. Several conclusions have been drawn and are reported to the Synod for information and action:

a. The Board of Stewardship endorsed a concept of direct mailings and other forms of advertising through a unified effort for the purposes of raising the profile of the denomination, to increase the awareness of the mission and ministry of the church among its members, and to tell the story of our denomination.

b. The Board requested that the A.R.P. Foundation consider the hiring of a Director to:

(1) Promote the church and its mission.

(2) To develop a deferred gifts program for the benefit of the Foundation and the agencies of the General Synod.

The Foundation did consider the request. Although endorsing the concept, they suggested that the hiring, directing and supervision of such a person not be the responsibility of the Foundation.

c. Statements on the Voluntary Commitment and on General Solicitation were adopted for presentation to Synod and are attached.

3. **Report of Committee on Priorities.** The Report of the Special Committee on Priorities was considered as it related to the Board of Stewardship. As reported elsewhere, the Board of Stewardship has adopted guidelines for the use of Synod's unrestricted funds and will make a recommendation relative to board structure. Letters of concern were directed to those presbyteries where representatives had not been attending board meetings.

4. **Capital Funds Campaign for Church Extension:** The church portion of the Erskine Drive for Greater Distinction is scheduled to end in May, 1982. The Board of Stewardship has asked the Board of Church Extension to submit to Synod their capital fund campaign plans. There is a recommendation that the campaign not begin until one year after the conclusion of the Erskine Drive.

5. **Church Extension Special Ministries:** The classification of the Jubilee House Community and the Vietnamese Ministry as Special Ministries of the Board of Church Extension was called to the attention of the Board of Stewardship by the Board of Church Extension at the time the budget request of Church Extension was presented. The Board of Stewardship recommended to the Board of Church Extension that the funds for special ministries not be spent without the specific request of the presbytery sponsoring those ministries.

Miscellaneous

1. Authorized the Treasurer to pay expenses for the Moderator-Elect from the contingency fund.

2. Suggested to the Executive Board that they consider including a budget for expenses of the Moderator-Elect.

3. For budgeting purposes, adopted a guideline of 10% to cover the inflationary effects of salary on Synod employees. The Board will make further study concerning salary administration guidelines.

4. Recommended to the Executive Board of Synod that the Executive Board recommend to Synod the establishment of a committee of the Executive Board authorized to consider and act on appeals for support of international crises; and that funding for any approved appeals be through a special offering.

5. Officers elected for the year July 1, 1981—June 30, 1982 are: Charles F. Edgar, Chairman; Walter Todd, Vice-Chairman; Ed Hogan, Secretary.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the actions of the Board of Stewardship, as contained in this report, be sustained by the General Synod.

2. That the Board of Stewardship, through its Audit Committee be authorized to select an auditor to audit the Treasurer's books as soon as possible after the close of the year, December 31, 1981.

3. That agencies which have independent audits, in addition to filing a copy of the audit with their report to Synod, submit a copy to the Board of Stewardship for filing at the A.R.P. Center.

4. That the "Auditor's Opinion," "Balance Sheet," and "Statement of Support, Revenue, Expense and Changes in Fund Balance" be printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**

5. That with its concurrence, the A.R.P. Foundation, Inc., be the agency of Synod entrusted with the investment of endowment-type funds and other long-term investments of the General Synod and of those agencies whose funds are administered by Synod's Treasurer; that the Treasurer of Synod be granted permission to transfer such funds to the Foundation; and that the Committee on Nominations be aware of the need for appointment to the Foundation persons who can provide investment expertise.

6. That congregations with property, title of which is in the name of the Trustees of Synod, write to the Board of Stewardship for instructions on the proper transfer of title to the Trustees of the congregation.

7. That each congregation, in preparing its budget for 1982, prayerfully review and consider its giving for support of the denominational ministries and:

a. That the Voluntary Commitment be the means of primary denominational support;

b. That for those at or above the 20% level for the current year, an effort be made to maintain that level of participation;

c. That for those below the 20% level, congregations prayerfully consider an increase of **three percentage points** above the current year level, or to 20%.

d. That for those churches which after prayerful consideration, find it impossible to meet the suggestions above, the dollar giving be increased sufficiently to provide for a percentage level increase.(i.e.,if your church **cannot** follow the guidelines of "b" and "c" above, and you have pledged $1,000 in 1981 and that $1,000 represented 8% of your 1979 General Fund, increase the dollar level so as to give **more than** 8% of your 1980 General Fund.)

e. That giving to special causes be above and over the Voluntary Commitment.

8. That the Editor of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** be requested to provide articles to enhance the stewardship efforts of both congregations and the General Synod during the fall of 1981.

9. That the General Synod, through the adoption of this recommendation and other appropriate action, joyfully express appreciation to individuals and congregations for their gifts during 1980 and their pledges for 1981, recognizing that their commitment has made possible events which otherwise would have been impossible: As reported to Synod in 1980, additional allocations to Bonclarken, Church Extension, Erskine, Christian Education, and Publications; purchase of typesetting equipment during 1980 which will contribute to our ability to further increase the percentage level of support to Church Extension (level raised by 1% point for 1982) and World Witness in future years; and to meet special needs of our Bicentennial without hurting the ongoing ministries of our boards and committees.

10. That the Executive Board of Synod be requested to initiate consideration of a procedure for a unified effort of promotion and a deferred gifts program for agencies of the Synod.

11. That the attached statements on Voluntary Commitment and General Solicitation be received as information and printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**

12. That the Board of Stewardship be restructured as follows:

a. That the General Synod appoint six members at large, each serving six-year terms, with one member appointed each year.

b. That there be nine ex-officio members, specifically: Treasurer of the WSU; the Treasurer of Synod's Funds; and the chairman of each Presbytery Committee on Stewardship or Finance, as appropriate, and that these ex-officio members serve without designated terms of service by Synod.

c. That the following be advisory members: Secretary, if not an elected or ex-officio member; Moderator of Synod; Youth Representative; Administrator(s) of the Board, if any.

13. That Church Extension be athorized to conduct a capital funds campaign, not to begin prior to June 1, 1983, and that plans be presented to the General Synod prior to the campaign.

14. That the special offering requested in the Report of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations not be endorsed by the General Synod, but that the churches be permitted to respond if so led. **(Referred to World Witness.)**

15. That the following Special Offerings be authorized for 1982:
January—Bonclarken
March—Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.
April (Easter)—World Witness
May (Mother's Day)—Erskine College
September—Erskine Theological Seminary
October (World Wide Communion)—American Bible Society
November (Thanksgiving Season)—Church Extension
December—Christmas Benevolent Offering

16. That the month of October be designated "Voluntary Commitment Month."

17. That a Synod registration fee of $5.00 continue to be charged to each elder representative and minister.

18. That the Board of Stewardship be granted authority to prepare a final budget for 1982 following the receipt of Voluntary Commitment pledges and the 1981 year-end report. **(Amended.** See Proceedings.)

Respectfully submitted
John L. Carson, Chairman

STATEMENT ON VOLUNTARY COMMITMENT

The Voluntary Commitment Program of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church is an effort on the part of the General Synod to provide adequate financial support for the spiritual program of the church by an equitable means of obtaining financial contributions from the individual congregations of the church. As the name suggests, it is a commitment made by each congregation on a voluntary basis to share in the financial support. The program, as it is currently functioning, is based on a budget approved by the Synod in conjunction with the giving that has been obtained from the congregations.

The General Synod has suggested that each church attempt to give 20% of its annual budget **excluding** funds designated by the donor for specific purposes, such as building and capital improvement programs and special offerings, rather than any attempt on the part of Synod to suggest an arbitrary assessment. In an effort to implement the goal of 20% the General Synod has encouraged each church to attempt to raise its giving level by three (3) percentage points each year until it has reached the suggested 20% of the total budget.

The Voluntary Commitment Program thus becomes the means of primary denominational support for the churches and the means for congregations to be involved and committed to the Lord's work with others of like mind and spirit. Giving is regular and competition between boards is unnecessary. Solicitation for special causes by Synod's boards is made expressly as over and above the congregation's Voluntary Commitment.

Congregations are encouraged to consider that programs of agencies will be expanded as congregations give, as the Lord blesses, beyond the goals established.

STATEMENT ON GENERAL SOLICITATION

General solicitation as used by the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church is that mass solicitation of individual members of congregations on a Synod or mass campaign basis. The desire of the Synod has been to restrict the solicitation of the membership of the General Synod so that the local governments of the church have oversight over the giving programs of the congregations. The desire of the General Synod is that the primary source of congregational giving be through the Voluntary Commitment Program and that some attempt at regulation be made to reduce the number of appeals to individuals.

The General Synod has recognized that there must be opportunities for giving over and above the regular Voluntary Commitment Program of the congregations. A regulated system of voluntary giving over and above the Voluntary Commitment permits agencies to have an opportunity for soliciting funds through offerings which are scheduled in the church calendar.

The success of the additional campaign is contingent on the emphasis given by the local governments. For these additional opportunities to be fruitful, the pastor, session or diaconate or other administrative body of the congregation must distribute material and endorse the program.

The General Synod has not generally engaged in mass distribution so as to discourage a competitive situation between agencies of the Synod. The Board of Stewardship has, however, now recognized that members of our congregations are approached directly by independent agencies and that often our agencies do not have the opportunity to present their causes in detail. To address this problem, the Board of Stewardship has endoresed the concept of direct mailings and other forms of promotion through a unified effort in order to raise the profile of the denomination, to increase the awareness of the mission and ministry of the church among its members, and to tell the story of our denomination.

The Moderator then asked all Elder Representatives to stand, and asked those who had attended 20 Synods to raise their hands—then asked if any had attended 30. Synod then rose to sing Psalm 148.

Mrs. Billie Younts was recognized by a round of standing applause by the Synod and addressed the Synod. A motion carried to recognize Mrs. Younts as an "Honorary A.R.P."

The Moderator's Committee on Executive Board was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

Your committee considered one paper which came into its hands: the Report of the Executive Board of Synod.

We point out that the note in reference to the manner of publication of the Prayer Calendar, as given in Recommendation No. 3 of the Emphases (p. 5 of report) is no longer relevant.

This committee commends Ben Johnston for his work on the committe on the Emphases.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. We recommend that Synod appoint a special committee to study the possiblity of greater continuity in the Moderatorship of Synod.
2. We recommend that the Executive Board's recommendations 1,2,4-6 be adopted.
3. We recommend that Executive Board recommendation No. 3 be amended so that Recommendation No. 5 of Emphases Committee be changed from Gospel of Matthew to book of Joshua, and adopted.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

The Executive Board has held two regular meetings since the last meeting of the General Synod. This report reflects the activity of the board in these meetings.

Referrals by the Executive Board

1. **To the Board of Publications:** In conjunction with the Committee on Worship, to study **Plan Book** costs and make recommendations. (8-8-80)
2. **To the Board of Stewardship:** The matter of the possible liability on the part of officers or board members of Synod. (8-8-80). **Note:** This item was referred to the Ecclesiastical Commission on 3-5-81.
3. **To the Board of Church Extension:** A request that materials concerning the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church be compiled for distribution to Presbyteries to be made available to inquiring individuals/congregations. The Executive Board will review prior to distribution. (3-5-81).
4. **To the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs:** An item from the Board of Church Extension concerning a Synod Mission Advisor (3-5-81).
5. **To the Board of Christian Education:** Communications from the Genesis Project for investigation and response (3-5-81).
6. **To the Board of Christian Education:** A request to review **Studies in Church History** to determine if a revision should be published (3-5-81).

Actions by the Executive Board

1. Verified that materials presented at Synod which are not adopted as positions or expressions of Synod will be printed only on direction of Synod.
2. Verified that the Executive Board will continue to seek to keep printing costs to a minimum.
3. Noted that the inclusion of the materials from the Special Committee to Research the Minutes of Synod are in the process of inclusion in their proper areas.
4. Adopted the recommendations of the Board of Stewardship concerning purchase and operation of photo-typesetting equipment for the A.R.P. Center.
5. Adopted a motion that the Rules of Procedure be suspended and the 1981 meeting of General Synod be June 8-12, and the Executive Board recommends to Synod that the meeting of Synod henceforth be the second full week of June.
6. Granted to the Center Director authority to proceed with further study of utilization of the computer under the authority of the Board of Stewardship.
7. Approved the procedure whereby the Center Director, in consultation with the Treasurer and Moderator, be authorized to expend budgeted funds for equipment purchase or replacement, including contingency funds.
8. Gave the Moderator authority to approve and authorize the attendance of the Center Director at seminars and meetings.
9. Made a correction to the official copies of the 1980 **Minutes of Synod.** (James Coad, Jr., should be listed in official roll.)
10. Authorized the Principal Clerk and the Editor of the Church Paper to handle the publicity for Synod.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That General Synod provide directives for amendments to the Standards at the time such amendments are proposed.
2. That General Synod dismiss the Special Committee on Congregational Self-Study.
3. That the report of the Committee on Emphasis, as attached, be adopted. (**Amended.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)
4. That the proposed budgets of the A.R.P.Center and the Executive Board for 1982, as attached, be adopted.
5. That the Rules of Procedure be changed so that the General Synod shall meet annually on the second Monday of June.
6. That the General Synod approve the actions of the Executive Board reported herein.

1982

THE PRAYING CHURCH IS A GOING CHURCH

Matthew 28:19

Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Prayer is an incredible supernatural power. It is a great and mysterious force. It baffles many Christians. Some feel inadequate at prayer. Others fall back on the repetition of familiar phrases. And there are roadblocks to effective praying. Yet our denomination 200 years ago was founded on prayer, and without it there would be no Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church today.

All of us should want to improve our prayer lives. Prayer is an ongoing learning process. God is trying to teach us to pray.

Prayer should grow out of our total relationship to God. A Church's ultimate effectiveness depends on the prayer life of its members.

Looking at the New Testament church and elsewhere in the Scriptures, our emphases each month suggest results which will follow when corporately and individually, a church prays.

JANUARY—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A COURAGEOUS CHURCH

Acts 4:13

People who know Jesus have the capability to speak the Word of God with boldness. From Peter and John down through church history, to Martin Luther and John Calvin, to Ebenezer and Ralph Erskine from whom we trace our heritage, to our first ARP missionary, Mrs. Mary Galloway Griffen, to today's evangelists and Christian leaders, men and women have responded to the vision and have made themselves "vulnerable for Christ." Undergirded with prayer, we must take a stand for Christ in our own spheres of influence. We need to have our eyes on the Lord and be equipped to respond to the sound of the trumpet of God.

Go courageously!

1. Look for ways to raise the visibility of the local church.
2. Encourage members to take more active roles in community leadership.
3. Make members aware of local situations to which Christian voices must speak.
4. Look for ways to bring a form of Christian service into one part of the community that the church has not previously touched.

FEBRUARY—THE PRAYING CHURCH: AN ACCREDITED CHURCH

Romans 16:10

In this our Bicentennial year we emphasize the virtues of prayer. It is essential that we remember the Lord's comment on the two men who "went up into the temple to pray." One "went down to his house justified rather than the other." It is even so with congregations and denominations. God in Christ is the one and only Judge. We must be about our Father's business. We must do all within our power to stand justified, accredited before Him.

Go accredited!

1. Carefully examine yourself as a member, elder, minister in His church.
2. Dedicate yourself anew to your Lord. We must work "while it is day."
3. Let the Session and pastor create geographical areas in the parish and place a team of two godly people over each area and equip each team with the needed "tools." (There are many people eager to help any church that is seriously interested.)
4. Let the Session and pastor prepare an individual communion card to be delivered to each member of the church one week before communion.
5. Let these callers make reports to the Session and pastor for needed response in love, all the way from food to guidance loaded with love.
6. Let the Session and pastor discover how many of the church's members have gone into Christian service during the life of the congregation. Multiply this number by 25 (average length of service) to get years of service produced.
7. Let the Session and pastor find the number of service years consumed by the congregation (multiply the years since founding by two—minister and wife).
8. Let this holy inventory bring the congregation to its knees in penitence, thanksgiv-

ing and determination to stay far and away from the worst of all welfare handouts—namely, other congregations supplying your personnel.

MARCH—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A COMFORTED CHURCH
Isaiah 40:1-5

Because it is in a living relationship with its heavenly Father through the work of the Holy Spirit, the praying church receives constant assurance of His presence and involvement in its life. Over the past 200 years the church's life has been without tribulation, but we know that He is present even in these trials and that He has overcome the world. The church responds to the example and the precept set by its Lord, Jesus Christ, by being a channel of comfort for others. In the midst of distress it is a tower of strength because it is directed by Him who is the Comforter. It thus radiates His comforting abroad. It exhibits a peace which the world cannot understand or know.

Go comforted!

1. Place on a bulletin board in a prominent place in the church specified situations in which members can be used to radiate Christ's comfort to others.
2. Focus the month's prayer meetings on situations in which members have recently received comfort from Christ's Spirit, at work in their lives. Pray specifically for those who need to know His comfort.
3. Explore opportunities for families to "adopt" single persons as members of their families, with shared experiences (Sunday or holiday meals, excursions, vacations, etc.).

APRIL—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A BELIEVING CHURCH
Hebrews 11:1-6

The praying church knows who its Creator and Sustainer is. It has encountered its Savior and Lord. It has experienced the presence of its Comforter and Director. It is in daily living communication with Him. To the praying church, belief is not a matter of cold rational dogma developed over 200 or 2,000 years; faith is a living bond between a living Lord and a living Church. The affirmations of doctrine are only a description of a reality experienced by the church. Faith is both trust in and apprehension of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, "in whom we live and move and have our being." The church's communication with Him through prayer produces its firm foundation for the life of faith.

Go believing!

1. Review the Shorter Catechism. Share its contents with those in your family who have never learned it. If you have not learned it, make a concentrated effort to do so this month.
2. Examine the Westminster Confession of Faith. See how it is arranged and how it ties every doctrinal statement to the Bible.
3. Examine our own denominational standards. Make sure there are copies in the local church, available to any member.
4. Devote evening or Wednesday night meetings to explanations of our church's standards by the pastor or a knowledgeable layman.

MAY—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A WITNESSING CHURCH
John 4:34

When Jesus said to the disciples, "My food is to do the will of Him who sent me, and to accomplish His work," he indicated that in the joy of seeking to save a sinful soul His fatigue and hunger had vanished and He no longer needed the food the disciples had brought.

Go witnessing!

1. Challenge the congregation to study carefully John 4:34-48 and the year's theme verse, Matthew 28:19.
2. Challenge members to witness to unchurched persons as we strive to grow in our Bicentennial year.
3. Invite the minister of a new mission church to speak on how he is witnessing in his work.
4. Invite a missionary on furlough to give a program on effective witnessing on the mission fields.

JUNE—THE PRAYING CHURCH: AN EMPOWERED CHURCH
Matthew 10:19, 20

As members of the church today, we need to pray and ask for the Holy Ghost to come and take control of our lives. In this way God's Spirit can speak through you to others, and the mystery of the Gospel shall be made known. It is then that your faith will grow, and the power of Christ in your life will help you witness to others in love and forgiveness. On this month when we celebrate our denomination's 200th anniversary at the Meeting of General Synod, pray that we may not be so completely satisfied with ourselves and things of the world that we become proud and forgetful of what God has done and is doing each day in our lives. We pray that we will be like Stephen, full of faith and power. When you are called upon, be ready to do Christ's work with authority and eagerness to make disciples of all men.

Go empowered!

1. Encourage as many churches as possible to attend the Bicentennial celebration at Erskine College during General Synod this month; pray that those who attend may be strengthened through this event.
2. Employ this emphasis in one or several ways during Vacation Bible School.

JULY—THE PRAYING CHURCH: AN EMBATTLED CHURCH
Ephesians 6:10-18

The Christian life is essentially one of conflict. Our Lord told His disciples He was calling them into battle, that they would be persecuted and reviled for His sake in a hostile world. Through His servant Paul, He then exhorts His church to be combatants by "praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit" so that the whole armor of God might be used effectively in the ordinary, everyday life which shall be so invincible that "the gates of hell shall not prevail against them."

Go embattled!

1. Give teaching emphasis to the history of conflict within the church, especially the beginning of Presbyterianism in Scotland.
2. Use films that relate to an embattled church.
3. Sermons might deal with the forces of righteousness and satanic forces.
4. There should be prayer concentration about mission conflict in Mexico and Pakistan.

AUGUST—THE PRAYING CHURCH: AN OBEDIENT CHURCH
II Corinthians 10:5

"We take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ." These words of Paul are to challenge and remind us of the principle upon which the church was founded, for our Savior divested Himself of His inherent rights as the Son to step from a throne to a manger and from a manger to a cross. He "learned . . . obedience by the things which He suffered" (Hebrews 5:8). The prayer of faith,therefore, is a willingness to obey the King and the Head of the church, for He blesses those who do His bidding, not those who merely know it.

Go obediently!

1. Present sermons on obedience and disobedience from Old and New Testament texts.
2. Practical applications of obedience can be related to Sabbath School instruction.
3. The Session should evaluate annually the total program of the church under the Lordship of Jesus Christ.
4. Give emphasis to prayer and self-denial.

SEPTEMBER—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A DISCIPLING CHURCH
Matthew 28:18-20

Discipleship is the key to the commission which our Lord has given His church. We dare not be satisfied with less. It is not enough to be a child of God, or even to be the spiritual parent through whom others have come into God's family. We must seek to train and encourage those we reach for Christ so that they in turn will reach and train others—in a sense, our spiritual grandchildren. Each of us, then, is a disciple, a "student" of Jesus Christ, who emphasized that we are to learn to observe all that He com-

manded us. Mere head-knowledge is not enough; a disciple is one who is growing in experiential heart-knowledge through his daily walk of faith and obedience. Only when we are growing in personal holiness and multiplication of outreach can we truly say the Great Commission is being fulfilled.

Go discipling!

1. Encourage the formation of prayer partnerships focused on mutual growth in applying God's Word.
2. Provide teaching on the fundamental role of the home as a center for Biblical discipleship.
3. Carry out an evangelism strategy that recognizes the need for Christians to first be growing in their own daily experience of God's transforming grace.

OCTOBER—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A UNITED CHURCH
Ephesians 4:1-6

As the spoke of a wagon wheel come together in the hub, so the church is united in the Lord Jesus Christ, the center of life. We are drawn together in Him by His everlasting love. This unity must pervade the people of God as salt pervades the water in the ocean. In unity there is strength: "United we stand, divided we fall." Jesus said, "A house divided against itself cannot stand." Togetherness is a prerequisite for a strong and powerful church. All of us are needed; every member should "pitch in," not only because many hands make light work but moreso because a united church will be a going and growing church. As believers in Jesus, we are to be like peas in a pod, so tightly knit together that there is no room for division.

Go united!

1. Involve adults and youth in a religious survey of your area, leaving literature such as the Gospel of John as well as pamphlets introducing the church and its ministry.
2. Have a church work day, to clean buildings and grounds, with a luncheon or supper to follow.
3. Have a worship service in which every age group in the church participates, to show church unity.

NOVEMBER—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A JOYFUL CHURCH
Philippians 4:4

For the believer, every day is Thanksgiving Day. Someone has well said: "The first fragrance of the Christian life is Praise." We live in a land blessed by God as probably no other nation in history. Above all, we are blessed with religious freedom, freedom to worship God according to the dictates of our heart and conscience. As believers we should be extremely grateful for this. A thankful people certainly is a joyful people. As God's people we are to serve Him with gladness, to come before His presence with singing. When we become able to rejoice in all circumstances, then others will take notice and say what they said of Israel of old: "The shout of a king is among them."

Go rejoicing!

1. Study the Book of Philippians either in worship services or Bible study.
2. Have a Thanksgiving service in which the members may share their testimony and thanksgivings to God.
3. Have a spiritual "talent night" as well as the singing of Psalms and hymns to express our joy in the Lord.
4. In your worship service, have a time when people greet each other.

DECEMBER—THE PRAYING CHURCH: A GIVING CHURCH
Malachi 3:10

There are those who say we should give until it hurts. Of course we know what they mean, but our giving to the Lord should never hurt; it should be from a free and loving heart. Paul writes: "The Lord loves a cheerful giver." The Lord Himself is such a giver. He so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son. He gave joyfully; He even sent His angels out to proclaim the glad tidings. People who respond to this good news in turn become happy givers—not only of their material possessions, but of their time and talents as well. Yet, many believers seem not to have caught the joy of giving. Let us be glad we are enabled to give. Let us give as the "Lord has prospered."

Go giving!

1. Have a worship service in which everyone brings a special gift for the cause of Christ.
2. Have the deacons organize the preparing of special gifts for widows in the congregation, to present at Christmas.
3. Participate in the Synod-wide Benevolent Offering.

Recommendations

1. The 1982 emphasis, or general theme, be "The Praying Church Is a Going Church."
2. That January, 1982, be declared by the General Synod to be a month of Prayer in addition to being Bible Mastery Month.
3. **The Prayer Calendar** for 1982 be expanded into a daily devotional guide designed for use at family altars as well as for personal worship, to be produced in cooperation with the Committee on Worship. (Note: We anticipate that this devotional guide issued as four quarterly publications, would be sold to the churches and individuals at cost, and we are asking the ARP Foundation to consider underwriting this project.)
4. The monthly emphases be carried out in the following ways:
   (a) Monthly articles in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**
   (b) Presentation in the **Plan Book** and **Devotional Guide (Prayer Calendar).**
   (c) Efforts in each church to increase and improve family altars.
   (d) Appropriate emphases in sermons and worship services.
   (e) Appointment in each church of a committee on emphasis, in November, 1981, to plan and carry out the 1982 emphasis in the church program. This committee is to consist of the pastor, chairmen of Session standing committees, president of the Women of the Church and chairman of the Board of Deacons.
5. The denominational Bible study for 1984 be the Gospel of Matthew. (**Amended** to Joshua.)

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD
BUDGET—1982

Income

ARP Center Miscellaneous Sales	$	-0-
Synod Registration		1,375
ARP Center Facility (Non-Synod)		30,254
Computer Services		4,500
Photo Typesetting Project (Income Transfer)		17,824

Expenditures

ARP Center	$	86,999
Executive Board		
Board Travel & Expenses		1,000
Emphases Committee		1,000
Synod Meeting		1,750
Officers		
Moderator		2,000
Principal Clerk		2,100
Reading Clerk		100
Bill Clerk		100
Moderator-Elect		500
Minutes of Synod		
Typesetting		2,400
Printing & Distribution		4,600
Computer Services		4,500
Photo Typesetting Project		17,824
Treasurer of Synod		
Salary		7,700
Employer Tax		512
Travel		1,000

Expense Allowance	1,000
Insurance	450
ARP Center Facility (Non-Synod)	30,254

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER

	1982 Proposed
Director's Salary	$ 23,496
Bookkeeper (Ruth D'Avignon)	10,758
Secretary A (Mary Wasson)	9,240
Secretary B (Shirley Estes)	9,240
Secretary C (Phototypeset)	6,420
Employer Tax	3,934
Retirement Director	1,880
Employee Insurance	1,692
Workman's Compensation	750
Equipment Lease & Purchase	3,000
Equipment Maintenance	2,750
Telephone	2,750
Postage	200
General Office	3,000
United Parcel Service	175
Rent	6,714
Contingency	1,000
	$ 86,999

PHOTO TYPESETTING PROJECT BUDGET WORKSHEET

Income Transfers
(1981-1984)

Board of Publications	
The ARP	$ 8,260.00
Plan Book	340.00
Prayer Calendar	364.00
Minutes of Synod	1,827.00
Board of Christian Education	
The Adult Quarterly	1,754.00
ARP Center	
Secretary C Position	4,888.00
Employer Tax	300.00
Employee Insurance	91.00
	$ 17,824.00

Expenditures

	1981	1982
Operator's Salary	$ 8,400	$ 9,240
Employer Tax	559	614
Employee Insurance	180	240
Maintenance	1,562	1,562
Supplies	5,000	5,500
Contingency to Reserve	2,123	668
	$ 17,824	$ 17,824

Mr. W. A. Macaulay introduced the WARC delegate, Mr. Keith Nickle.

Following various announcements, Synod recessed with the Benediction by Mr. A. A. Morrow.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1981

The afternoon session began with the worship led by Mr. J. S. Kimmons, Jr., on the subject of "The Centrality of the Written Word."

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials was presented. Various motions concerning the report were offered and defeated. Following debate a motion carried that the Moderator's Committee Item #1 be adopted. Several members of the court were granted the personal priviledge of being recorded as voting against this action. Their names are as follows:

Lonnie L. Richardson, Michael E. Woodard, Lee P. Kennerly, Charles A. Steele, Palmer Steele, Bryant McLendon, Bob E. Murdock, C. T. Hughes, Tony Grant, C. T. McCants, W. N. Falls, L. T. Richie, Allen Lidsson, W. M. Bostick, Sr., T. Lamar Robinson, Earl Linderman, Atwell Alexander, Bill S. Howell, Jr., R. B. Elliott, Jr., Neil McCarter, Henry E. Pressly, Gary R. Fravel, James R. Fee, L. M. Allison, John S. Banks, Charles L. Patrick, Sr., H. E. Barkley, John Lee Davis, Leonard B. McAbee, Ray A. King, Zane W. Aberbathy, R. C. Bryson, Henry Bigham, R. M. Wallace, Jr., Bob DeWitt, M. L. Pearson, Gerald R. Hallman, and Kenneth Bigham.

Item #2 of the report was deferred by motion until after the action on the Moderator's Committee on Dunlap.

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Dulap was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON DUNLAP

1. We recommend that the Dunlap Orphanage real estate be sold immediately and the proceeds be applied to fulfill the dictates of the Trusts created by Anna Bell Dunlap McDaniel *et vir* and Elizabeth Dunlap Spain *et vir*;

2. We recommend that the Board of Trustees immediately institute a plan to establish a home for orphans in Pakistan, Mexico, or elsewhere and be given the authority to establish such a home when the real estate is sold;

3. We recommend that the Board of Dunlap be unfrozen and reconstituted in accordance with the Manual of Authorities and Duties.

REPORT OF BOARD OF DUNLAP

The Dunlap Board has made a consistent effort to follow Synod's instructions. A suit was filed in Chauncery Court in Tipton County Tennessee.

Advice was received from counsel employed by the Dunlap Board and after discovering the implications presented by numerous heirs and the possible escheat of the property to the State of Tennessee, a withdrawal of the suit has been requested.

Therefore, we strongly recommend that the property be sold immediately and the dictates of the trust be fulfilled.

The trust specifically states that the property can be sold and the funds must be used for the same ends and purposes.

Paul K. Shannon, Chairman

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials was reintroduced and item #2 was adopted. The report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTE ON MEMORIALS

The Moderator's Committee on Memorials met at the designated time and place and considered two papers having come to the Committee for consideration.

With reference to the Memorial from First Presbytery, the Committee heard statements from both sides. Relative to the Mississippi Valley Presbytery memorial, Dr. Paul Shannon spoke for the Board of Dunlap.

After extensive deliberation, the Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That First Presbytery's memorial dealing with the **Form of Government,** Chapter VIII, Section A-2, changing the word "men" to "persons," not be adopted. (With reference to official copies of the First Presbytery Memorial, it was noted that editorial change is necessary—"Man" to "Men" and "Person" to "Persons"—to bring this memorial into compliance with the **Form of Government.)**

2. That Mississippi Valley Presbytery's memorial dealing with use of the William Dunlap property as a retirement home not be adopted.

First Presbytery

WHEREAS First Presbytery recognizes that the First Union Presbyterian Church and its Session is in a unique position being an integral part of two Reformed and Presbyterian Churches namely the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and the Presbyterian Church in the United States; and

WHEREAS this unique position gives them insights into both churches and their individual strengths and weaknesses; and

WHEREAS the Presbyterian Church in the United States has since 1965 allowed its women to be ordained to the office of Ruling and Teaching Elder; and

WHEREAS the First Union congregation witnesses these ordained women responding to the grace of God in positions of leadership within local congregations as well as the courts of the Presbyterian Church in the United States witnessing effectively and with power to the "one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, who is above all through all and in all" (Eph. 4:5—6); and

WHEREAS their observations of these ordained female Elders lead them to affirm with Paul, "For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female: for you are all one in Christ Jesus" (Gal. 3: 27—28); and

WHEREAS the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church may be in the position of blocking the call of Christ to its godly female members as well as the activity of the Holy Spirit within their lives and within the life of the church at large by the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Churches provision restricting the ordination of persons to the office of teaching and ruling Elders to its male membership;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that First Presbytery memoralize the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to begin the process which would eliminate the word "Man" from Chapter VIII, Section A—2 and substituting for it the word "Person."

Adopted by First Presbytery on October 14, 1980

Robert Falls, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

Mississippi Valley Presbytery

We, the Mississippi Valley Presbytery, memorialize Synod: that, provided the decision of the civil court permits, the General Synod allow the William Dunlap property to be used as a Retirement Home

William B. Everett, Clerk

The report of the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented item by item. Items 1-2, 4-7, and 9-17 were adopted. Item 3 had been handled in an earlier report. Item 8 was approved with the understanding that we tactfully let the Synods of Mexico and Pakistan know that the funds are available for fraternal delegates in 1982. Item 18 was considered item by item. Item 18a was adopted. Item 18b was not adopted.

Synod recessed with prayer and benediction by Mr. Ray Ashmore.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1981 — 7:00 P.M.

The evening session began with the devotional by Mr. C. F. Edgar on the subject of "The Unity of Commitment."

The first presentation of the evening was that of the Board of Church Extension, with Mr. J. B. Hendrick presiding. The Mission Developers were introduced: Mr. An Liem Nguyen, Mr. J. F. Beard, Mr. W. B. Sutherland, Mr. J. S. Kimmons, Mr. M. E. Woodard, Mr. W. L. Barron, Mr. J. A. Coad, Mr. D. G. Fleming, Mr. J. B. Lennon, and Mr. G. J. Gerard. The Director, Mr. W. C. Lauderdale, was also introduced. The Synod expressed its appreciation by a round of applause. Mr. Lauderdale addressed the Synod on some of the present work and Mr. Hendrick spoke concerning the possible new direction we may be taking in Church Extension.

The second presentation was from the Committee on Inter-Church Relations with Mr. W. A. Macaulay presiding. Those on the program were: Dr. Keith Nickle of the WARC; Dr. Paul Schrotenboer of the RES; Rev. Obed Rodreguez of the Mexican ARP Church; Rev. John Neville, Jr., of PCA; Dr. John Bratt of CRC and NAPARC; and Elder Joel Belz of RPCES.

The Committee on the Minister and His Work presented a special slide presentation concerning the Presbyterian Council on Chaplains and Military Personnel.

Mr. Harold N. Smith, who is working in the Cactus Point Area of Birmingham, was introduced.

A motion carried that the recommendation of First Presbytery concerning the educational allowance at Erskine be referred to the Erskine Board.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was re-opened: Item #18(c) was declared void, Items 19 and 20 were adopted and the report as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Your committee met as directed with almost full attendance and excellent participation.

We recommend the following actions in regard to the recommendations submitted by the Inter-Church Relations Committee:

1. Approved
2. Be deleted

3. Be referred to the Board of World Witness for its action. **(No Action.)**
4. Be deleted
5. That the minority report be adopted as herein amended: "That the ARPC application for membership in NAPARC be continued and that the committee on Inter-Church Relations send observers to future meetings of NAPARC and its committees."
6. Approved
7. Be deleted
8. Approved **(See Proceedings.)**
9. That we neither receive nor send any Ecumenical Participant to any General Assembly or General Synod.
10. Approved
11. Approved
12. That the Executive Board of our Synod initiate action to beging talks with the PCA to prevent the breaking of fraternal relationships.
13. a. approved
    b. approved
    c. approved
    d. approved
14. Approved, subject to approval of the Stewardship Committee.
15. Approved
16. Be deleted
17. Be deleted

The following are additional recommendations of your committee:

18. a. That the report of Synod's Standing Committee on Inter-Church Relations be adopted as amended;
    b. That Synod's Standing Committee on Inter-Church Relations be disolved effective June 30, 1982; **(Not Adopted.)**
    c. That the duties and functions of Synod's Standing Committee on Inter-Church Relations be carried out by the Executive Board of Synod, as it sees fit. **(No Action.)**
19. That the Standing Committee on Inter-Church Relations send no official delegate or representative to another General Synod or General Assembly unless he is an ordained Ruling or Teaching Elder of the ARP Church.
20. That in 1982 the Synod send official written greetings to other fraternal denominations via the fraternal delegates to those bodies.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Fathers and Brethren:

This committee met twice during 1980: February 5th in Greenville and June 2nd at Bonclarken. The following paragraphs represent a digest of inter-church activities, reports, and correspondence between the ARPC and other church bodies during 1980 via our committee. Reference will also be made to current matters (1981), particularly where Synod may need to act at this year's meeting. Those wishing to review committee files personally—there are several interesting study papers, incidentally— may do so by contacting a committee member or Mr. Ed Hogan at the Center or at Synod. One fairly complete file will henceforth be kept at the Center.

ABS: The American Bible Society no longer conducts an annual meeting—as a general rule—to which all the denominational representatives are invited. No such meeting was held in 1980. Even so, our denominational representative stands as a liaison between the ABS and our local churches and their representatives. Most of our churches have now appointed local representatives. In its 1980 report to our denomination the ABS states that in 1979 we were second in per capita giving to the Society among Reformed churches and 10th among all churches!

LDA: The Lord's Day Alliance is making an appeal for increased contributions. Inflation is making it difficult to function on the present budget. Perhaps in a year or two this committee will recommend an increased contribution. In the meantime our in-

dividual pastors and churches would do well to emphasize more consistently the principles of this organization. Miss Mary B. Thompson represented us at the October meeting (1980) and will again represent us this coming October.

NAPARC: Rev. G. J. Gerard was our official observer to the sixth annual meeting of the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council, meeting in Philadephia, Oct. 24, 1980. This meeting was chaired by Dr. John H. White of Geneva College, who represented the Covenanters (RPCNA) at our Synod last year. NAPARC is a forum for information-exchange, consultation, and cooperation among its member churches: Christian Reformed Church; Orthodox Presbyterian Church; Presbyterian Church in America; Reformed Presbyterian Church, Evangelical Synod; and Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America. All its actions and decisions are advisory only. Mr. Gerard returned with a favorable report and feels that we should continue to accept observer participation at the meetings of the Council and its constituent committees. The majority of our committee, however, feels that NAPARC has served its purpose in the union proceedings of three of the member churches and therefore there is no need for the ARPC to participate in this body at this time. Delegates desiring to learn more about NAPARC may look through our file which contains the constitution and by-laws of this body, also reports from each denominational representative to the 1980 meetings giving significant happenings in each church during 1979 and 1980.

Pan Presbyterian Conference: This annual conference is similar to NAPARC. Representatives from several denominations with Presbyterian polity come together for matters of mutual concern. Among these denominations are our own plus all those denominations in WARC with whom we have fraternal relations. We did not have representation at the 1980 meeting, but we intend to have such at the Oct. 5, 1981 meeting in Memphis. Invited participants are: stated clerk and up to two other persons (such as moderator, member of Inter-Church Com., etc.).

RES: The Reformed Ecumenical Synod met in Nimes, France in July, 1980. We were unable—due to the distance—to be represented at this meeting, but we did send fraternal greetings. A number of mailings have been received from the General Secretary's Office of the RES: **Dual Membership**—A study committee has been set up on the "RES and Ecumenical Relationships," a comprehensive study from Scripture and the confessions leading toward a Reformed concept with implications for current and future ecumenical relationships. Hopefully this interim study committee will offer recommendations to the next RES meeting in 1984 (in the U.S.A.) as to a definitive statement as to whether RES churches can also belong to the WCC. Even so, some member churches do belong, including the Reformed Churches in the Netherlands. All member churches are asked to send to this committee any issues that they would like considered. Also, RES churches are asked to send in their pro or con on dual membership, responding to the RCN statement on this matter (**Agenda**, pp. 65-89). The study committee will report to member churches at least by the summer of 1983; member churches then will be asked to react to that report no later than April 1, 1984.

Another mailing from the RES: **Zimbabwe**—Civil war in Zimbabwe has caused great hardship to the people of that nation. One of the churches to suffer the most was the African Reformed Church in Zimbabwe. "Liberation forces" in Zimbabwe received direct support from the WCC under its Program to Combat Racism. The RES is asking its member churches to consider direct support to this church (rather than to either side), that has suffered much physical destruction.

Another mailing from the RES: There will be an **International Youth Conference** in connection with the next meeting of the RES in 1984—tentative theme being "Integrating Youth in the Full Life of the Church." Our committee is recommending that Rev. J. B. Hendrick and some leading young person, such as the Synodical YPCU President, represent our denomination for this conference. The RES will pay all expenses except transportation (responsibility of the sending denomination). This recommendation is now being received by our Board of Christian Education.

In addition to the **Agenda** (for the 1980 RES Synod), the following have been received: **The Church and Its Social Calling** (inexpensive); **The Message of Nimes** ($1.50 summary of 1980 RES Synod); **Church and Nation** ($2.50 Theological Conference Paper); **Prophetic Witness in a Bewildered World** ($3.00 Missions Conference Paper); **The**

Church and its Social Calling ($2.50 booklet—concluding statements are in the above inexpensive pamphlet). These and other studies can be purchased from the RES, 1677 Gentian Dr., S. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49508. We are asked to increase our dues from $600 to $750 per year.

WARC: Dr. Randall Ruble was the presiding officer of the meeting of the 1980 Caribbean and North American Area Council, World Alliance of Reformed Churches. Mrs. Michael Bender began her term of service on the Civil and Religious Liberty Committee and was also elected by the Council to serve on the Administrative Committee as Vice Chairperson for the 1981 meeting. Round III of the Roman Catholic/Presbyterian-Reformed Consultation has been completed. This report contains a statement on abortion and another on human rights. The 1980 Council authorized its distribution; a number of such have been reproduced and distributed among our committee members; a copy was also sent to Synod's Committee on Theology and Social Concerns.

Plans are being geared up for the General Council of the WARC in Ottawa, Canada, August 17-27, 1982. Our representative will be Mrs. Michael Bender, veteran member of this committee. Theme for the Council: "Thine is the Kingdom, the Power and the Glory." Preparatory Bible studies will commence in the member churches more than one year in advance. Mrs. Bender will be in charge of distributing Bible Study Guides for this purpose at the proper time.

Mrs. Bender represented our denomination at the February 19-21, 1981 meeting of the CA&NAAC, Toronto, Ontario. Our committee is asking her to respond to the request of the Committee on Cooperation and Witness in gathering survey information regarding materials currently used in: Church School, new member training, elder and deacon training, and youth communicant classes. Several statements or papers came to us as a result of the 1981 Area Council: "A Covenant Declaration for a Nuclear Age";"Statement on Taiwan";"Statement on El Salvador";"A Statement of Concern—Phenomenon of the Christian Right" and "Women in the Church." These have all been referred to Synod's Committee on Theology and Social Concern.

One paper, "Statement on Taiwan," was considered at length by our committee and is the basis for one of our recommendations (below). Rev. James E. Andrews, Secretary of the CA&NAAC, summarizes the situation: "Not only has the chief executive officer of this sister church (the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan) been imprisoned, but new legislation under consideration by the government would make it possible for the civil authorities to confiscate Church property, depose Church officers, and replace such officers by government appointees should a Church group state any opposition to government policy. The law would also require all religious preaching and teaching to be given in the Chinese language, rather than the language spoken by most Taiwanese Presbyterians."

Individuals and congregations wishing to stay abreast of WARC happenings are encouraged to subscribe to either THE REFORMED WORLD ($9 for this quarterly magazine) or the REFORMED PRESS SERVICE ($2 for this monthly newsletter) or both via: Dr. James Andrews, PCUS, 341 Ponce de Leon Ave., NE, Atlanta, GA 30308.

At the 1980 General Synod six denominations and groups brought greetings via fraternal delegates.

Mexico and Pakistan: Our committee will continue to "leave on the table" the "ARP Church International" matter until we receive responses from the Mexico ARPC and the Pakistan ARPC. The Mexico ARPC will consider this matter this fall. It is our privilege to have the Rev. Obed Rodriguez as a fraternal delegate from the Mexico ARPC to our Synod this year.

Regarding Synod's directive (1980 Minutes, p. 288, no.4a) that we exchange fraternal delegates with WARC churches through WARC, this committee is, in fact, carrying out such an arrangement for this Synod. One WARC delegate will represent the four WARC churches (Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Presbyterian Church in the U.S., United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A., and Reformed Church in America) with whom we presently maintain fraternal relationship. One of these churches, the PCUS, now desires a direct exchange of delegates. After considerable correspondence and in-

terviews with the Stated Clerk of the PCUS, we are making a recommendation (see below) which allows direct exchange with the PCUS and yet seeks to conserve personnel and funding.

Regarding a similar directive (1980 Minutes, p.288, no.4b) "that we study for a year the possibility of . . . a delegate exchange with RES rather than the individual churches of RES," this arrangement does not appear practical for several reasons. Nevertheless, during Synod our committee will informally discuss this possibility further with the General Secretary of the RES, who will be present as an officially invited guest. For this year our committee has taken the initiative in the interest of conserving personnel and funds, to propose to the five NAPARC denominations (all of which we have fraternal relationship with) that we mutually exchange with them on an every-other-year basis (Cf. 1979 Minutes, p.81,no.4). This plan—in effect— will be carried out in modified form for this Synod.

This plan could become our general guide beginning in 1983, not only in sending delegates to NAPARC churches but also to the PCUS. However, we probably cannot expect these denominations or our own to conform rigidly to a predetermined plan of exchange—there are just too many variables, preferences, conflicts, etc. If we take the initiative along this line, however, the other denominations most likely in time will tend to reciprocate.

OPC Invitation: The Orthodox Presbyterian Church at its 1980 Assembly (Forty-Seventh General Assembly Minutes, p.200) voted: "that the Assembly, through its Committee on Ecumenicity and Interchurch Relations, invite the ARPC to discuss the matter of Biblical inerrancy with us."

Fraternal Relations with the PCA: Because of the lack of attention to and respect for the standards of the ARPC by the Presbyterian Church in America, a majority of our committee voted for a strong recommendation regarding fraternal relations with the PCA (see below).

PCUS Invitation: In 1980 Rev. William Mitchell of our committee represented the ARPC at the PCUS Assembly. As noted above we are not planning to send a fraternal delegate to the PCUS this year (Mrs. Michael Bender, our represnetative to the CA&NAAC in February, 1981, by so representing us there indirectly represented us to the PCUS). In 1982, however, we will be "in a different ball game." Each year the Presbyterian Church in the U.S. invites eight different denominations to send to the PCUS General Assembly an "Ecumenical Participant" from each church. Such an Ecumenical Participant is not a fraternal delegate, but rather a quasi-participating delegate for the whole eight days of the Assembly. He or she has debate privileges on the Assembly floor and perhaps more importantly, the right of vote in committee. This person is expected to study through all the reports ahead of time and come to the Assembly to work and to give his or her advice on important matters—advice that is highly needed and desired by the commissioners appointed by the various presbyteries. All expenses, including travel, are paid by the PCUS. This year our denomination has been invited to send such an Ecumenical Participant. Our committee is recommending "yes"—see our recommendation below.

Representatives coming to our Synod this year

ABS: Mr. Jim Gabrielson
LDA: Dr. C. Grier Davis
RES: Dr. Paul G. Schrotenboer
WARC: Prof. Keith Nickle
Mexico ARPC: Rev. Obed Rodriguez
CRC: Dr. John Bratt
PCA: Rev. John C. Neville, Jr.
RPCES: Elder Joel Belz

Our Representatives Currently to Other Bodies
(On Calendar Year Basis)

ABS: Rev. James R. Fee (82), Alt.: Mr. William Deaton
LDA: Miss Mary B. Thompson (81), Alt.: Rev. Conrad Cheatham
NAPARC: Rev. Mike Woodard (to be appointed for 1981 if needed)
RES: No meeting until 1984.

WARC: Mrs. Michael Bender (84)

PAN PRESBYTERIAN CONF.: Clerk of Synod, Moderator of Synod, Mrs. Michael Bender (81). Alt.: Dr. R. T. Ruble.

OPC: Dr. William H. Kuykendall (81)

PCA: Rev. Bob E. DeWitt (81), Alt.: Rev. Wayne A. Frazier

PCUS: Mrs. Michael Bender, Ecum. Part. (82). Alt.: Miss Kathleen Murdock **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

RPCNA: Dr. William H. Kuykendall (81), Alt.: Rev. G. J. Gerard

New Officers Inter-Church Relations Committee, July 1, 1981 — June 30, 1982. Chairman: Mrs. Michael Bender; **Vice-Chairman:** Rev. Michael Woodard; **Secretary:** Mrs. Charles Pearson.

Recommendations

1. That each local church—that has not yet done so—appoint a church representative for the ABS (send name to ABS, 1865 Broadway, New York, NY 10023).

2. That the Synod, through its Clerk, correspond with the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan, expressing our Christian concern about the present situation in Taiwan. **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

3. That Synod authorize a one-time offering for the African Reformed Church in Zimbabwe (perhaps this summer). **(No Action.)**

4. That Synod, because the fragmentation of the church in today's world is a travesty to its witness, appoint through its Nominating Committee a seven-member committee representing all segments of the church, to study the matter of joining the witness of the National Council of Churches and the World Council of Churches in order to reply to a request of the RES. **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

5. That the ARPC withdraw its application to NAPARC. **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

6. That we invite every denomination with whom we have fraternal relations to send a delegate to the General Synod of 1982, including the Mexico ARPC and the Pakistan ARPC.

7. That all fraternal delegates for the 1982 General Synod be Ecumenical Participant — i.e., debate privileges plus voting privilege in committee. **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

8. That in 1982 we fully fund the delegates from the Mexican ARPC and the Pakistan ARPC. **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

9. That we accept the PCUS invitation to send an Ecumenical Participant to its General Assembly in 1982 (June 11-18, Columbus, Georgia). **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

10. That, beginning in 1983, we send fraternal delegates to the PCUS on alternating years, giving the PCUS the privilege of reciprocating with direct representation—it is understood that we will continue exchanging delegates with the other WARC denominations, with whom we are in fraternal relations, through our participation in WARC.

11. That, beginning in 1983, we send fraternal delegates on alternating years to NAPARC denominations with whom we are in fraternal relations.

12. That the ARPC suspend fraternal relations with the PCA at this time. **(Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

13. That the following changes be made in **The Manual of Authorities and Duties**—pertaining to this committee:

a. under Duties no. 3, delete the last two sentences re. the method and frequency of fraternal delegate exchange—these matters change too often to have them "nailed down" exactly in the **Manual**; Synod, of course, can and should set policies re. these matters.

b. again, under Duties no. 3, add "Second Cumberland Church" to the list of churches with whom we have fraternal relations.

c. add under Duties a new no. 9: "To make sure that every person appointed as a representative or a delegate is instructed to submit a written report to the chairman and secretary."

d. add under Duties a new no. 10: "To remember that when written greetings are sent to the annual meeting of another denomination, the letter shall be prepared by the committee secretary for the signature of the committee chairman and the principal clerk."

14. That the Committee Budget for 1982 be approved as follows: **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

Dues (LDA—$300; RES—$750; CA&NAAC,WARC—$780)	$1,830
Housing & Boarding of Delegates at Synod, 1982	800
Travel for Mexican & Pakistani Delegates, Synod, 1982	3,000
Committee Travel, Committee Office-type Expense, Travel for Delegates to other bodies	2,300
Total	$7,930

Respectfully submitted,
William A. Macaulay, Jr.
Chairman,

MINORITY REPORT

From the Committee on Inter-Church Relations to the General Synod, 1981
(Amended. See Moderator's Committee Report)

Fathers and Brethren:

This report is to advocate the deletion, in the Committee's Majority Report, of the recommendation for withdrawal of our Church's application for membership in the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council, and substitution of the following:

That the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church's application for membership in the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council be reactivated, and that the Committee on Inter-Church Relations be directed to send two representatives to the 1981 NAPARC meeting, instructed to strongly support that application.

The Minority Report bases this substitute recommendation on these grounds:

1. Events have outdated the one and only reason that NAPARC in 1977 "postponed" (not rejected) our application pending resolution of a difference between our Church and its Seminary "regarding inerrancy of the Scriptures," and the corresponding action by our General Synod in 1978 to suspend the application "until the matter of difference regarding inerrancy of the Scripture be first resolved." This was the one and only reason, stated in precisely defined terms, for the suspension, and the "difference" was most explicitly set forth during 1977 by a series of papers from the Seminary faculty which were published in our denominational monthly publication. The situation has undergone change since that time, as set forth in the following paragraphs:

2. Very substantial change has occurred in the Seminary faculty which was on campus at the time of the drafting of the 1977 series of papers on the Scripture, with major changes in personnel.

3. Even as early as Feb. 16, 1979, the Dean of the Seminary and another current member of the faculty joined with eight men who have served as moderator of the General Synod, with the present Principal Clerk of Synod and with twenty-seven other denominational leaders in a Committee on Reconciliation statement supporting the authority of the Scriptures.

4. The declaration resulting from this Reconciliation agreement, together with a resolution affirming that "the Scriptures of the Old and New Testament ARE the Word of God in all that it teaches," were adopted almost unanimously by the 1979 General Synod, and the resolution was reaffirmed by the 1980 General Synod, with no objection to these agreements being issued by Seminary faculty.

5. It is, further, the position of this Minority Report that no step as radical as withdrawal of an offer of Christian fellowship with a Council representing so many other Reformed denominations should be proposed unless accompanied by a thorough study with convincing conclusions—yet no such background has been advanced by the Majority Report for its recommendation of cancelling our offer of fellowship and cooperation with this segment of the Reformed branch of Christ's church.

6. The Minority position is that the same factors which led the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church initially to approve an application for admission to the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council still exist. These factors are the problems, challenges and opportunities arising from similarities in size, in close adherence to the Reformed standards and—in the case of two denominations—our shared heritage of Covenanter experience.

Respectfully submitted
Dodd Vernon

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Enclosed as Appendix A: written fraternal greetings from the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. Enclosed as Appendix B: written fraternal greetings from the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America. If received in time, other written fraternal greetings will be handed out at Synod as Appendix C. (**NOTE: Written fraternal greetings not recorded in the Minutes of Synod.**)

NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL PRESBYTERIAN AND REFORMED FELLOWSHIP (Box 44, Valley Forge, PA 19481), Spring, 1981 included the following:

● The Presbyterian Church (U.S.) and the United Presbyterian Church USA will vote the merger would be consummated by general assembly vote in 1982. A key provision in the merger would be consummated by general assembly vote in 1982. a key provision in the plan of union would be a quota system requiring membership of "all ages and of all ethnic minorities" as well as women on every church session and board of deacons. The Covenant Fellowship of Presbyterians, a conservative group in the PCUS, has pledged itself to work for a requirement of ordination commitment to "a Biblical and Reformed theology reflected in a single confessional statement approved prior to union."

● Member churches of the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council are (1) the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), (2) the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Evangelical Synod (RPCES), (3) The Orthodox Presbyterian Church (OPC), (4) The Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America (RPNA) and (5) the Christian Reformed Church (CRC). All five will hold their annual meetings at Calvin College, June 14-18, 1982. Committees of the first three are seeking approval for plans that would join their denominations formally at that time.

● A new presbyterian denomination, The Evangelical Presbyterian Church, will hold its first general assembly, September 22-23, in Livonia, MI. A covenant binding themselves together was signed by forty-three ministers and elders, representing fifteen churches (all recently withdrawn from the UPCUSA) at a recent meeting in St. Louis.

The PCUS at its General Assembly in May, 1981 voted to postpone the above vote (until a more substantial favorable vote can be had—in 1982). At its May, 1981 annual meeting the RPCES voted favorably to join the PCA—consummation could come about in 1982.

The 1981 session of the Caribbean and North American Area Council, WARC, took the following action: "That the Area Council approve the proposal for a renewed Lutheran—Reformed Dialogue, and authorize the Area Secretary to consult with member churches in the USA about the appointment and funding of the seven delegates to represent the Area Council." This followed a year of discussion with Lutheran colleagues within the Lutheran Council in the USA. Already seven delegates from the latter Council have been appointed: two from the LCA; two from the ALC; two from the LCMS; and one from the new AELC. The Dialogue is to be of an informal (no union aspirations), practical, and theological nature. Two meetings (fall and spring) over a period of three years are envisioned. Our denomination is asked to decide whether we are interested in participating; also to decide if we will be able to fund such participation. The first meeting—it is hoped—will be this fall.

The Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America has recently produced **The Testimony of the RPCNA,** printed in parallel columns with **The Westminster Confession of Faith.** The **Testimony** simply brings out the implications of **The Confession** for our own present day. Copies of this fine paperback may be secured from: Board of

Education and Publication, 800 Wood St., Pittsburgh, PA 15221 ($1.50 a copy). Also, on June 4 and 5, 1981 the RPCNA and the OPC will hold a joint Study Conference on Psalmody: "The Application of the Regulative Principle to Song in Worship." Tapes of this conference can be secured via Dr. John H. White, Geneva College, Beaver Falls, PA 15010.

This committee makes the following recommendations in addition to the original fourteen:

15. That, due to inflationary costs, particularly for long trips, the maximum travel allowance for Synod approved trips of our representatives be increased from $100 to $150 per trip.

16. That we participate in the Lutheran-Reformed Dialogue as sponsored by the C&NAAC, WARC, for a period of at least one year (until next Synod), sending one participant selected by this committee. (**Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.).

17. That the above participant be funded by Synod up to the maximum travel allowance approved by Synod - for each of the two meetings 1981-1982. (**Not Adopted.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

Respectfully submitted,
William A. Macaulay, Jr.
Chariman

The Synod rose and sang the 23rd Psalm.

Mr. J. H. Patrick, immediate past Moderator, introduced Mr. Kent Talbert, President of the Student Government Association of Erskine College. Mr. Talbert addressed the Synod concerning Erskine College and the structure of the S.G.A. at the college.

Mr. John Blumenstein, President of the Erskine Theological Seminary student body was introduced and addressed the Synod concerning Erskine Theological Seminary.

The Moderator-Elect was presented to the Synod, and he placed in nomination as Vice-Moderator Mr. J. L. Carson. There were no further nominations and Mr. Carson was elected by acclaimation.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Erskine College was presented and adopted item by item.

REPORT OF THE MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ERSKINE COLLEGE

The meeting of the Moderator's Committee on Erskine College was called to order by the Reverend K. C. Seawright. The meeting was opened with prayer and Mr. L. W. Logan was asked to serve as Secretary.

The report of Erskine College (Index No.8) was received and several questions were answered by the college and seminary officials in attendance. A special attempt was made to review the report as it pertained to the implementation of the philosophy of Christian Higher Education adopted by the A. R. Presbyterian Church in 1977. The committee also reviewed the college and seminary response to recommendations of the 1980 General Synod as found in the Committee on Priorities pertaining to Erskine College and the Erskine Theological Seminary.

1. A motion was made, seconded and passed that the items 1,2,3,7,8,and 9 of the requests and recommendations as found in the college report be adopted by the General Synod.

2. A motion was made, seconded and passed that items 4 and 5 of the college requests and recommendations be adopted by Synod with the exception that corresponding figures from the '82 Synod budget be substituted for the requested figures where applicable.

3. A motion was made, seconded and passed that item 6 of the requests and recom-

mendations be amended as follows:

That Erskine College be permitted to have representatives at all Youth Conferences, Retreats and Rallies and further recommends that Presbytery and Presbyterial officials be encouraged to invite Erskine College representatives to their meetings at least once a year.

4. The committee then passed a motion to adopt the report as a whole as amended and further recommends its adoption as a whole as amended by the General Synod.

The Seminary report was reviewed and questions concerning its content were answered.

5. The committee passed a motion that items 1,2,3,4,5 and 6 of the recommendations be adopted by General Synod.

6. The committee then passed a motion that the report as a whole be adopted by the General Synod.

7. A motion was made that the General Synod commend the Trustees and officials of the College and Seminary for their exceptionally fine work and expressed sympathy to the family of M. Stanyarne Bell, former president of Erskine College, on his untimely death, February 9, 1981.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Rev. H. C. White.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ERSKINE COLLEGE

We report our operation since our 1980 report to you. Senior management at this writing includes:

Chairman	F. M. Hunt
Vice Chairman	G. H. Hendrix
Treasurer	W. H. Stuart, Jr.
Secretary	A. W. Alexander
Acting President	J. A. Knight
Vice President & Dean of the College	J. A. Knight
Vice President & Dean of the Seminary	R. T. Ruble
Vice President for Business & Finance	C. H. Carlisle
Vice President for Development	L. W. Logan
Dean of Students	W. W. Lesesne
Dean of Students	E. G. McDill
Chaplain	L. P. Kennerly

On July 1, the following persons will succeed to the indicated offices; other incumbents will continue in office:

W. H. Stuart, Jr.	Chairman
W. M. Harris, Jr.	Vice Chairman
H. Elliott Batson	Treasurer
A. W. Alexander	Secretary

A copy of the 1981 College catalog, Exhibit A; Theological Seminary catalog, Exhibit B; and the Auditors Report, Exhibit C, are attached. (**NOTE:** Exhibit A and B are not recorded in the **Minutes of Synod.** See **Appendix** for Auditors Report.)

We regret deeply to report the death of President M. Stanyarne Bell on February 9, 1981.

Melvin Stanyarne Bell, 1921-1981
President of Erskine College, 1973-1981

On February 26, 1981, the Board of Trustees adopted the following resolution:

RESOLUTION: MELVIN STANYARNE BELL

Whereas for almost eight years Melvin Stanyarne Bell brought greater distinction to Erskine College through a rigorous academic approach, a caring student life program, and a responsible fiscal policy; and

Whereas he enlisted all members of the Erskine Community in a campus-wide planning effort that sought academic excellence, personal growth for each student, and a stronger financial base on which Erskine could increase its service to God and society; and

Whereas this effort resulted in a highly qualified and dedicated faculty, a value-centered education preparing students to assume leadership roles in many sectors of society, much improved student services, balanced budgets, a much larger permanent endowment, and record-setting annual fund campaigns; and

Whereas he sought to achieve his vision of greater distinction for Erskine College through a $13.5 million capital funds campaign that has already brought the College more than $10 million in commitments for permanent endowment and physical plant improvements, including a new infirmary, a new physical activities center, greatly increased scholarship funds, an expanded computer, a more beautiful mall, and extensive campus renovations; and

Whereas Melvin Stanyarne Bell expressed his love of God, his Alma Mater, and members of the Erskine Community by his dedication to Christian higher education, his concern for students, his response to the needs of the faculty and staff through better salaries and benefits, his support of academic and student freedom on the campus, and his continued labor and travel on Erskine's behalf despite failing health;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Erskine College expresses its gratitude to God for the life of Melvin Stanyarne Bell and for his service to Erskine College; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees extend its sympathy to President Bell's beloved wife, Gloria, his children, brother, and grandchildren; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be printed in appropriate Erskine publications and **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** magazine and that copies be provided the Bell family; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be made a permanent part of the Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College.

At the called meeting on February 26, 1981, the Board created the Search Committee for President and charged it as follows:

> "to nominate a person for the office of president who has a deep personal commitment to Jesus Christ and is strong both in terms of his preparation and in terms of his perception of administrative responsibility to the Board of Trustees and to the Church, by whom this trust is given."

This charge is in accordance with the statement concerning administrators of the College and Seminary in the Philosophy of Christian Higher Education adopted by the General Synod in June, 1977.

The following are members of the Search Committee for President:

Dr. Joseph H. Patrick, Chairman, Box 208, Ninety Six, SC 29666
Moderator, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod; Elder, Greenwood (SC) A.R. Presbyterian Church; President, Southern Brick Company

The Reverend Mr. Robert B. Elliott, 3600 S. Linwood Road, Gastonia, NC 28052, Clerk, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod; Pastor, Pisgah A.R. Presbyterian Church, Gastonia, NC

Mrs. John M. Hunter, 947 Oleander Drive, S.E., Aiken, SC 29801
Educator, Aiken County Public Schools; President, Erskine Alumni Association

Dr. David W. Robinson, Jr., Route 6, Box 5, Lake Placid, FL 33852
Educator and administrator, Highlands County Public Schools; Elder, A.R. Presbyterian Church, Lake Placid, FL

Mr. W. H. Stuart, Jr., P. O. Box 1378, Bartow, FL 33830
Treasurer, Erskine College; Businessman; Elder, A.R. Presbyterian Church, Bartow, FL

Mr. Frank M. Hunt, EX OFFICIO, P. O. Box 631, Lake Wales, FL 33853. Chairman, Board of Trustees; Businessman; Elder, A.R.

Presbyterian Church, Lake Wales, FL

Major events, activities, improvements, and projects during the year have included:

1. Received accreditation for Erskine Theological Seminary by the Association of Theological Schools, a goal for at least 25 years.

2. Appointed the following professors to the Seminary faculty:
   —The Rev. Mr. David Van Gelder, Assistant Professor of Pastoral Care and Counseling
   —The Rev. Mr. Guy Oliver, R. W. Carson Associate Professor of Christian Mission.

3. Installed storm windows in portions of the McQuiston Divinity Hall to improve its energy efficiency.

4. Selected the Rev. Mr. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education for the A.R. Presbyterian Church, as the first Camp/Campbell Visiting Scholar for the period September 29-October 10. These scholars are chosen by the Seminary faculty.

5. Was involved in two lawsuits: one was brought by Billy Johnson, father of a current student, who had been permitted limited access to the campus. This was dismissed by Judge Francis Nicholson. The second was brought by the National Football League Players Association following a contract cancellation by the College. This was settled by Judge Matthew Perry, who required both parties to adhere strictly to all provisions of the contract.

6. Awarded 127 A.B. and B.S. degrees and 15 M.Div. degrees on May 18, 1980. Awarded honorary degrees as follows:
   —Willie Camp Younts, Atlanta, Ga., Doctor of Humanities.
   —Joab Mauldin Lesesne, Due West, SC, Doctor of Humanities.

7. Selected Zelda G. Oates, Associate Professor of Education, for the Excellence in Teaching Award.

8. Named Mary E. McDill Professor-emeritus, following her retirement as Professor of Home Economics for 37 years.

9. Voted to add a major in Early Childhood Education and eliminate the major in Home Economics.

10. Supported Dean J. A. Knight for study at the Institute for Educational Mangement, Harvard University, for the period July 6 - Aughust 14, 1980.

11. Elected the following officers of the College Faculty:
   Dr. W. F. Junkin, III - Professor of Physics, Chairman
   Mr. John Wilde - Librarian and Associate Professor, Secretary-Treasurer
   Dr. Nancy Erickson - Associate Professor of History, Board Representative
   Mrs. Zelda Oates - Associate Professor of Education, Board Representative
   Dr. Joan Little - Assistant Professor of English, Executive Committee
   Dr. Lewis Fikes - Associate Professor of Chemistry, Executive Committee

12. Initiated the decennial Institutional Self Study as part of the reaccreditation process for the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Dr. Nancy L. Erickson, Associate Professor of History, is Director. Faculty, students, Board of Trustees, and staff are represented on the Committees.

13. Received National Science Foundation grant to fund summer science training program for outstanding high school students for fifth consecutive year. Dr. William F. Junkin, Professor of Physics, and Dr. Lewis Fikes, Associate Professor of Chemistry, direct this program.

14. Awarded 15 A.B. and B.S. degrees on August 12, 1980. The Rev. Mr. R. B. Elliott, minister at the Pisgah A. R. Presbyterian Church, Gastonia, NC was the speaker.

15. Appointed the following professors to the college faculty:
   -Dr. Ann F. Bowe, Assistant Professor of Mathematics
   -Dr. Bill S. Caldwell, Assistant Professor of History
   -Mr. Cecil T. Barnes, Assistant Professor of Sociology and Social Work
   -Mr. Joseph H. Sullivan, AB '78, Instructor of Biology

-Miss Marian Toth, Instructor of Biology
-Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Assistant Professor of Home Economics, part-time (fall term)
-Mrs. Ann Willingham, Assistant Professor of Home Economics, part-time (spring term)

16. Received a U.S. Army ROTC program. Erskine will become an Extension Center of the very successful program at Wofford College and will begin the year with two faculty members in this area.

17. Welcomed 656 undergraduates and 83 seminary students to the campus in the fall term. This represented an increase of 36 students in the College and 35 in the Seminary over enrollment figures in 1979-80.

18. Named the following three E. B. Kennedy Scholars to enter in 1981-82 on full, merit scholarships:
-Andrew Calcutt, Lake View, SC
-Ann Marie Hunter, Gray Court, SC
-Neil Jones, Batesburg, SC
These scholarships are funded by the Edward C. Stuart Foundation, Inc., Bartow, Florida.

19. Benefitted from the visits of two Woodrow Wilson Fellows to the campus. Mr. Edwin Hunter, Executive Editor of the **Houston Post**, and his wife, Marian, were on the campus from November 9-14; Ambassador Max Krebs, former diplomat to Latin and South American countries, and his wife, Esther, visited for the week of March 8-13.

20. Approved salary increases for faculty and staff for the 1981-82 year. Significant effort was made to bring salaries of professors to the average of other private colleges in South Carolina.

21. Heard Dr. Thomas A. Langford, Dean of the Duke Divinity School, as the 10th Staley Lecturer.

22. Incurred a current fund deficit for the period July 1, 1979 - June 30, 1980 of $61,139.63. The total current fund indebtedness now stands at $260,043.19.

23. Operated a successful summer program. A total of 1469 young people participated in the programs and were exposed to the Erskine campus. The programs consisted of soccer camps, band camps, football camps, a science workshop, and youth development camps. The College received a net income of $17,040 from the programs as well as the public relations value.

24. Made a determined effort to try to maintain its facilities in spite of the high cost of labor and materials. A $50,000 bequest from the estate of Mrs. J. J. Dorn was allocated by the Board to projects that would have been deferred maintenance without the bequest. Among the projects completed with these funds were:
(1) the painting of the exterior trim of the Erskine Building
(2) the repair of the boxing and guttering of Memorial Hall,
(3) the insulation of pipes and boilers,
(4) the painting of the exterior trim of the Watkins Student Center,
(5) the repairs and painting of large portions of the dormitories, and
(6) the paying for the balance due on the mall lights

25. Completed the transfer of its current operating account from an NCR 400 bookkeeping machine to a Burroughs L9000 business computer. This will improve considerably the efficiency of the business office operations. A print-out of all accounts each week will make budget control much easier. The plan for the future is to expand the use of the computer by transferring all of the student aid accounting and other funds to the computer as time will allow.

26. Held groundbreaking ceremonies for the Robert Stone Galloway Physical Activities Center on May 17, 1980. Construction is slightly ahead of the schedule and completion is anticipated in September, 1981. Dedication is planned for Homecoming on December 5, 1981. The approximate cost will be $3,486,000, with $2,453,000 having been received in pledges to date. Additional gifts are being secured and a long term loan with Farmers Home Administration is being investigated.

27. Reached a new record for gifts to the Living Endowment. A 13.9% increase over the previous campaign, $296,963.66 was pledged in 1980-81.

28. Saw total pledges to the Greater Distinction for Erskine capital campaign reach $10,298,591.89 toward a goal of $13,350,000.

29. Established the following endowed scholarships:

T. D. Brown Scholarship - Dr. Michael Norman, scholarship representative

William Walkup Boyce Scholarship (Seminary) - Mrs. E. J. Rhyne, scholarship representative

Carolyn Lambert Catt Scholarship Fund - Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Catt, scholarship representatives

Adele Todd Plaxco Scholarship - Dr. J. M. Plaxco, scholarship representative

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Whitesides Scholarship (Seminary) - Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Whitesides, scholarship representatives

M. Stanyarne Bell Memorial Scholarship - Mrs. M. S. Bell, scholarship representative

30. Established the following annual scholarship:

William Harris Blair Scholarship - Dr. W. Charles Blair, scholarship representative

31. Established the following annual fund:

R. W. Carson, Professor of Christian Mission (Seminary) - established for a minimum of four years by the descendents of the late Rev. R. W. Carson, who was a longtime minister of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. This new professorship, currently held by the Rev. Guy Oliver, provides courses in missions, evangelism, and church development.

32. Received the following estate gifts, totalling $19,000:

Mrs. William S. Liming - annuity
Mrs. C. E. Miller - annuity
Dera Dry Parkinson - bonds
Merida B. Crum - stocks
Jane Gaston Kitchen - cash

33. Sponsored through a special grant on the South Carolina Educational Television Network a production featuring the paintings of Bob Timberlake and the music of Loonis McGlohon and Rosemary Clooney. The program was aired on September 3,

34. Initiated plans to return the Erskine radio station, WARP, to the air in the fall.

35. Named Dr. Robert W. Miller, AB '39, Kingsport, TN, new Chairman of the Board of Counselors.

36. Named Mr. Ben Johnston Chairman of the Parents Advisory Council.

37. Heard Dr. J. H. Patrick, Moderator of the General Synod, at the formal opening of the College and Seminary on September 10, 1980.

38. Made improvements in dormitories and literary society buildings:

—Began repairs and renovation of the exterior of Carnegie Dormitory
—Renovated and enlarged the Resident Directors' apartments in Pressly and Robinson Dormitories
—Painted and repaired the exteriors of Philomathean Hall and Chi Lambda Sigma House
—Completed a new darkroom for use with student publications
—Installed a new hot water boiler in Bonner Hall, dormitory for women.

39. Enjoyed successful seasons in all intercollegate sports.

40. Crowned Jeanine Ferguson, a junior from Fremont, Ohio, Homecoming Queen on November 1, 1980.

41. Crowned Dottie Hartford, a sophmore from Greenwood, SC, Sweetheart on February 13, 1981.

42. The Student Government officers for the 1981-1982 academic year have been selected:

President: Mr. Kent Talbert, Greenwood, SC
Vice President: Mr. Hunter Eddy, Ninety Six, SC
Recording Secretary: Miss Jo Beth Purkerson, Greenwood, SC
Corresponding Secretary: Miss Kay Green, St. Petersburg, FL
Sec./Treasurer: Miss Robin Elliott, Gastonia, NC

In the Office of Career Planning and Placement, several changes have occurred. The office has been opened on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. "Graduate Awareness Weeks," October 6-31, 1980 and "Career Day," March 5, 1981, gave our students the opportunity to interview with twelve graduate schools and 38 companies and state agencies.

Student charges will increase substantially for 1981-1982 to help meet the constantly increasing costs due to inflation. Along with the increased charges will be an increase in financial aid of $140,000. This will bring the total scholarship aid to $395,000 for 1981-1982.

Student charges will increase as follows:

	1980-1981	Increase	1981-1982
Tuition	$2,950	$ 450	$3,400
Room	630	70	700
Board	850	100	950
Medical Fee	60	5	65
Student Activity Fee	90	5	95
General Fee	170	20	190
	$4,750	$ 650	$5,400

The average increase among SCFIC colleges for 1981-1982 is expected to be $646. Increases for individual colleges are shown below: (Source: South Carolina Tuition Grants Agency.)

	1980-81	Increase	1981-1982
Converse	$5,810	$ 500	$6,310
Furman	5,527	693	6,220
Wofford	5,350	695	6,045
Coker	4,710	1,170	5,880
Presbyterian	4,950	590	5,540
Baptist	4,904	744	5,648
ERSKINE	4,750	650	5,400
Newberry	4,750	600	5,350
Limestone	4,900	400	5,300
Columbia	4,600	600	5,200
Central Wesleyan	4,480	470	4,950

The Office of Planned Deferred Giving, directed by The Rev. Dr. C. Linwood Cheshire, AB, '41, began its operation about one year ago. Rev. Cheshire devotes his efforts to seeking gifts for Erskine College and Seminary through wills and bequests. As a result of his efforts, $56,000 has been given in the first year.

The College has strived to implement the Philosophy of Christian Higher Education adopted by the A. R. Presbyterian Church in 1977. We believe that Christian higher education continues to be an influence for good in the lives of the men and women who attend Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary, and conversely, the Church to be blessed by those same men and women who later become dedicated leaders in the Church.

The College and Seminary have sought competent, well trained men and women for positions on the faculty and staff whose commitment to excellence is matched by their Christian commitment. A special effort is made to attract men and women who become active in a local evangelical Protestant church, whose lives can be an example to students. Current faculty and staff members are teaching and ruling elders, deacons, musicians, teachers, lay readers, etc. They are involved in the total life of the church, i.e., as youth workers, in summer programs, in the women's work and in men's

fellowship. Our churches and commitment to Christianity are at the hub of our experience. The majority of our faculty and staff experience their work as ministry. This continues as part of our Christian tradition.

Moreover, faculty members are chosen who are concerned for the student both within and outside the context of the classroom. Students and faculty interact regularly outside of the usual teacher-learner context, for example, as participants together in musical and dramatic productions, as spectators at intercollegiate sports programs, as advisor and advisee, as worshippers together in local churches, as host and guest at faculty homes, as parent and babysitter, and as friends. These relationships are maintained following graduation because of an active interest by both parties, indeed, graduates who return to the campus often seek first those special faculty or staff friends.

The convocation program has continued to be important as a common gathering place for faculty, staff, and students and an opportunity to build community. It is an opportunity, too, to present the best of the Reformed tradition as we have been priviledged to do recently through Staley Lectures, and worship services provided both by the Chaplain and other ministers. Staley Lectures for the past five years have been as follows:

1976-77 Dr. Robert J. Rhea, Jr., Staff Associate for Mission Strategy, Presbyterian Church, U.S., Atlanta, Georgia

1977-78 Dr. Clinton F. Marsh, Associate Executive, Synod of the South, of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A., Atlanta, Georgia

1978-79 Dr. James Di Raddo, Executive Director of the Christian Counseling and Psychotherapy Center, New York, NY

1979-80 Dr. George K Schweitzer, Alumni Distinguished Professor of Chemistry, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee

1980-81 Dr. Thomas A. Langford, Dean and Professor of Systematic Theology, Duke Divinity School, Durham, North Carolina

Following President Bell's death, a special Memorial Service at convocation helped the campus deal with the grief and uncertainty of that time.

The year 1980-81 has been especially meaningful as the College has begun its Self Study and has worked to come to grips anew with the significant questions concerning the meaning of our church-relatedness. The year began with a faculty retreat focused on the question: "What does it mean to be a Church-related College in the 1980's?". Dr. Kenneth Orr, President of Presbyterian College, gave the keynote address. It was a day for contemplation and reflection on this very important theme. Several students and Board members were able to attend. Since that time, four "Community Forums" have been held, each a part of the larger theme: "Individuality and Interdependence in the 1980's: a Christian Perspective." These forums, presented by the faculty, have been well attended and have sparked lively discussion periods. A retreat on "The Craft of Teaching" is planned to begin the year 1981-82.

The curriculum at Erskine is broad-based, requiring consideration on the part of the student of a wide range of subjects. Erskine undergraduates are required to study Bible, English, history, mathematics, the arts, the natural sciences, the social sciences, and physical education. In addition, each student must choose an area for concentrated work. It is the purpose of the College to stress the development of the whole person, intellectually, spiritually, physically, and emotionally. The curriculum stresses fundamental skills such as those required for effective communication and computation as well as more advanced integrative and analytical skills.

The Student Christian Association (S.C.A.) is an active, positive group on campus. They like the rest of the student body are in a significant developmental period in their Christian experience. The cabinet and officers are very open in their response to the total community. The present leadership fosters a sense of caring and concern for the entire community, indicating some sense of grace and acceptance in all our lives.

The campus community is service oriented. When we have some specific crisis or need, then the community reaches out. In 1980-81 for example, students, faculty and staff have been deeply involved with the Speical Olympics, have organized blood drives on the campus, have continued the long tradition of hosting a Christmas parade and party for the children of the John de la Howe School, and came to the aid of a student

who was badly burned. This is an important part of what we do in the development of the lives of students.

Commitment to the organized church is growing among the students, and participation in the local and surrounding churches is on the upswing. Regular, full time ministers in some of the local churches have and will increase this interest even more. The college community, students, faculty, and staff want both to be involved and involve the local churches in their lives and are working toward this end. We see this in the number of services and programs we have shared this year (special services in November, the Christmas white gifts service, the SCA musical, and the members of the local community attending convocation). We should also take note of the resurgence in the growth, interest and activity of the denominational groups such as the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Student Union, Campus Ministries, Wesley Foundation, and Erskine Mission Fellowship.

Two of the recommendations of the Report of the Special Committee on Priorities adopted by the 1980 General Synod concerend Seminary faculty. The establishment of the R. W. Carson Professorship of Christian Mission meets one of these recommendations. The other recommendtion that faculty members be examined by an A.R.P. Presbytery "as a prerequisite to teaching at the Seminary" was considered by the Erskine Board of Trustees at its October 31, 1980 meeting. Based on advice received from the Association of Theological Schools as well as the long and successful policy now followed by the Board, the Trustees concluded that it should "continue to exercise exclusive responsibility for the examination and appointment of Seminary faculty members and that the General Synod be advised of this action."

REQUESTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Erskine College be allowed time following this report for a brief presentation before the General Synod.

2. That May 9, 1982, be designated as Erskine College Day in the churches with a special offering being received for Erskine College; and that September 19, 1982, be designated as Erskine Theological Seminary Day with an offering being received for the Seminary.

3. That May 9, 1982, be designated also as Erskine Student Day on which local Erskine students are enlisted in the church bulletin and are recognized if present.

4. That the General Synod grant Erskine $145,000 for the operation of the College and Seminary and $20,349 for Synod's scholarships. **(See Synod Budget for 1982 for budget allocations.)**

5. That the General Synod grant the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Student Union $500 for its activities. **(See Synod Budget for 1982 for budget allocations.)**

6. That Erskine College be permitted to have representatives at all youth conferences, retreats and rallies at Presbytery and Presbyterial meetings at least once a year. **(Amended. See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

7. That ministers be asked to be responsible for informing their high school juniors and seniors of the educational opportunities at Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary.

8. That ministers and laymen be asked to bring their high school students to Erskine for a visit.

9. That the General Synod continue to pray for Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary.

The Chairman, Acting President and members of the College staff plan to be present at the meeting of the General Synod to answer questions.

This report was directed by resolution of the Board of Trustees during its meeting on April 24, 1981.

Respectfully,
Frank M. Hunt, Chairman

REPORT OF THE DEAN OF THE SEMINARY

Fathers and Brethren:

The hand of God rested upon Erskine Theological Seminary in a very special way during the 1980-81 academic year and it is with thankful hearts that we publicly acknowledge His gracious guidance and provision. The Seminary is also grateful for the continuing support of the General Synod and the many individuals and churches which assist students in so many ways. The 144th year of service commenced on September 3, 1980, with orientation of new students, followed by the formal opening of the College and Seminary on September 10th with Moderator Joseph H. Patrick as the principal speaker.

Administration and Faculty

The major administrative responsibilities of the Seminary were carried out during the academic year by the following:

President	Mr. M. Stanyarne Bell
Vice President and Dean	Dr. Randall T. Ruble
Vice President for Business & Finance	Dr. Charles H.Carlisle
Vice President for Development	Mr. Lee W. Logan
Director of Supervised Ministry	Professor Clyde T. McCants
Director of Public Relations	Mr. Richard H. Halderman
Director of Alumni Affairs	Mr. R. Monty Wooley
Registrar	Miss Lucy Anne McCluer

On February 9, 1981, President M. Stanyarne Bell died and his responsibilities were assumed by Dr. J. A. Knight, Vice President and Dean of Erskine College.

Faculty responsibilities were as follows:

Old Testament and Hebrew	Dr. Randall T. Ruble
New Testament and Greek	Dr. Kenneth F. Morris
Historical and Systematic Theology	Dr. Merwyn S. Johnson
Church History	Professor Ray A. King
Ministry	Professor Clyde T. McCants
Pastoral Care and Counseling	Professor David Van Gelder
Christian Mission	Professor Guy Oliver, Jr.
Librarian	Professor John H. Wilde

Three new professors joined the faculty during the year. Dr. Merwyn Johnson became a part of the Seminary faculty following six years of teaching at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. Professor Guy Oliver had a distinguished teaching career at Reformed Theological Seminary prior to joining the Erskine faculty. Professor Van Gelder came to the Seminary from Claremont School of Theology in California where he is a candidate for the Ph.D. degree in counseling. During the spring semester Professor Clyde McCants was on sabbatical leave and he studied at Columbia Theological Seminary in the Doctor of Ministry program. Professor King continues his work towards the Ph.D. degree at Emory University. Professor Van Gelder is at the stage of writing his Ph.D. dissertation for the Claremont program. Professor Guy Oliver is engaged in a Ph.D. program at the University of South Africa. With the addition of Professor Oliver, the Seminary is now able to offer a greater variety of courses in evangelism, missions and church development. The Seminary is grateful to the family and friends of the late R. W. Carson, who faithfully served as a minister in our denomination for many years. The position held by Mr. Oliver is called "The R.W. Carson Professor of Christian Mission."

Students

The total enrollment during the past academic year was 105. Several college students also took courses in the Seminary.

The denominational composition of the student body was as follows:

Associate Reformed Presbyterian	23

Presbyterian Church, U.S.	18
Presbyterian Church in America	1
Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church	1
Presbyterian Church of Taiwan	2
United Methodist	16
Southern Baptist	20
Baptist	5
Assemblies of God	2
Pentecostal Holiness	5
Church of God	1
Holiness	1
Episcopal	1
Christian	1
Wesleyan	1
Interdenominational	2
Non-denominational	1
Unclassified	4

The student body included 77 men and 14 women, 10 blacks and four (4) international students.

Student body officers for 1980-81 were President Robby Bell (Associate Reformed Presbyterian), Vice President and Secretary Walter Myles (Cumberland Presbyterian) and Treasurer Barry Daganhart (Associate Reformed Presbyterian).

Academic Program

During the 1980-81 academic year the Seminary offered courses at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center in Greenville, South Carolina. This new extension program accounted in part for the enlarged Seminary student body. The enrollment in Greenville was as follows:

	Credit	Audit	Total
Fall 1980	14	7	21
January 1981	10	7	17
Spring 1981	15	7	22

The Seminary plans to continue to offer courses in Greenville during the next academic year.

The Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada granted full accreditation to Erskine Seminary in January 1981. The Seminary was awarded initial accreditation for a five-year period. Dean Grady Snyder of Bethany Theological Seminary in Chicago was Chairman of the Visiting ATS Committee which recommended accreditation. The ATS accreditation process was begun in 1956 under the leadership of the late Dr. W. W. Boyce. Efforts continued under the administration of Dr. L. M. Allison, under whose leadership the Seminary secured accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools in 1971.

A speech workshop for Seminary students was held on February 12-13 by Dr. W. J. Beeners, Professor of Speech at Princeton Theological Seminary. This valuable training is an important supplement to the regular curriculum.

The curriculum of the Seminary has been expanded during the past year. New courses in counseling and the mission of the church have enhanced the program and have better met the needs of students.

Continuing Education

The annual Church Growth Conference was held in cooperation with the Board of Church Extension on October 21-22. The theme of the conference was "Family and Marriage Counseling" and Seminary Professor David Van Gelder was the principal speaker. The fifth Missionary Conference in cooperation with the Board of Foreign Missions took place on February 10 and the key speaker was Dr. Thompson Brown, Director of the Division of International Mission of the Presbyterian Church, U.S. Other leaders included the Rev. Harry Schutte, The Rev. Charles Evans, Mrs. Flora Halliday, Professor Guy Oliver, Mr. John Mariner, The Rev. Dwight Pearson and Miss

Dot Daganhart. The fourth Whitesides Pastors' Institute was held on April 7-8 with Dr. John Killinger, Senior Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Lynchburg, Virginia, as the preacher and preaching workshop leader. The twenty-first Robinson Lecturer was Dr. James L. Mays, Professor of Biblical Interpretation at Union Theological Seminary in Virginia. The Worship Conference, planned for February 11, was cancelled because of the death of President M. Stanyarne Bell.

Under the Camp/Campbell Continuing Education prgram, the Seminary has provided educational opportunities without cost to any Associate Reformed Presbyterian minister who desires to take enrichment courses in the program. The Seminary has also instigated the Camp/Campbell Visiting Minister Program which enables an Associate Reformed Presbyterian minister or missionary to spend ten days in study at Erskine. In the fall semester the Visiting Minister was the Rev. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education for the General Synod. Mr. Hendrick developed a teaching guide to assist Christian Education leaders in the local church. The spring semester Visiting Minister was the Rev. G. J. Gerard, pastor of the Kingsborough Presbyterian Church, Associate Reformed Presbyterian, who worked on the role of the Ruling Elder in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Gifts

Excellent support from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, alumni and friends has enabled the Seminary to carry out its mission as an agency of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The special offering taken on September 21, 1980, generated $19,118 for the operating budget. Individuals, church school classes, local congregations and Presbyteries have generously assisted Seminary students. Additional money has been added to the W. W. Boyce Fund and the Elizabeth Simpson McConnell Fund. A gift from the Edward C. Stuart Foundation of Bartow, Florida, enabled the Seminary to finance the Self-Study for ATS accreditation. The Neely's Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church underwrote the furnishing of a new office for Professor Guy Oliver. A special gift from the Presbyterian Air Force Chapels was received for the education of ministers. The Seminary expresses appreciation to all those who have contributed to its program and students.

Recommendations

1. That the special offering for the Seminary be promoted in the congregations of our church on September 20, 1981, and that ministers inform their people of the importance of this offering in meeting the Seminary's operating budget.
2. That a day of prayer for Erskine Seminary be observed at the time of the special offering and that ministers present the claims of the Christian ministry to their churches.
3. That friends of the Seminary continue to support the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Fund, Inc. through contributions and memorial gifts and that congregations consider placing this fund in their annual budgets. Contributions should be sent to the Dean of the Seminary.
4. That, in view of a shortage of opportunities for Seminary students to preach, Synod urge ministers and churches to use Erskine Seminary students whenever possible. Requests for the services of Seminary students should be directed to Professor Clyde T. McCants, Box 171, Due West, South Carolina, 29639 (Telephone:803/379-8885).
5. That ministers and lay people be encouraged to participate in Seminary Continuing Education programs and that sessions financially assist ministers to attend these events.
6. That the Report of the Dean be printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**

Randall T. Ruble
Vice President and Dean

Synod adjourned with the benediction by Mr. J. S. Banks.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1981 — 9:00 A.M.

The morning worship was led by Mr. D. G. Fleming on the subject of "The Mutuality of Trust."

The newest minister of the ARP Church, from Virginia Presbytery, Rev. A. C. Stewart, Jr., was presented.

The Minutes were read and adopted.

A motion carried that the Board of Erskine College be requested to have the following statement printed in future editions of the Erskine catalogue, "Erskine College discourages the use of alcoholic beverages."

The report of the Committee on Nominations was presented. Recommendations 1-4 and 6-9 were adopted. Recommendation 5 was amended so that the last sentence will read: "Further, we request that Presbytery Representatives not succeed themselves." The report, as amended, was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations presents the following nominees for service on Boards, Committees, and the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs and as an officer of the General Synod. The terms of service will begin July, 1, 1981, and will expire as of June 30 of the year indicated. All nominees were given that portion of the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** appropriate to their area of service and all have indicated a willingness to serve if elected.

Officer of Synod—Parliamentarian
1984 — Reverend J. B. Hendrick

A.R.P. Center Facility
1984 — Mr. Charles R. Younts, L.H.D.

Board of Annuities and Relief
1983 — Miss Martha Ann White (Youth)
1985 — Mr. William Drum, Mrs. T. B. McBride, Reverend Martin Gilbert

Board of Directors, A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.
1982 — Reverend W. C. Halliday, D.D. (Replacing R. B. Rodermond)
1983 — Mr. David Richardson (Replacing W. E. Stanchfield)
1985 — Mr. Jennings F. Neely, Mrs. W. L. Pressly, Mr. Burns Sanderson

Board of Trustees of Bonclarken
NOTE: The Committee on Nominations has adopted a schedule which will appoint three persons each year through 1984 at which time there will be two persons in each class with members serving six-year terms, as directed by the 1980 General Synod.
1985 — Mr. T. Lamar Robinson, Jr.
1986 — Mr. David W. Sides
1987 — Reverend Dwight L. Pearson

Board of Christian Education
1985 — Reverend John S. Kimmons, Jr., Mr. John Lutz

Board of Church Extension
1985 — Mr. James W. Lesslie, III

Board of Trustees of Erskine College
1987 — Mr. James T. Cashion, Mr. Rex Carter, Mr. John C. McGill, M.D., Reverend James D. McLurkin

Board of Publications
1983 — Miss Teru Creel (Youth)
1984 — Mr. James W. Gettys, Jr., Ph.D. (Replacing Mrs. B. R. Skelton)
1985 — Mrs. Harriett Richie, Reverend Lonnie Richardson

Board of Stewardship
1983 — Mr. Robert W. Bell (Youth)
1985 — Mr. William B. Patrick, Jr.

World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions
1987 — Reverend John L. Carson, Mr. E. Reynolds Young, M.D.

Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs
1983 — Reverend L. M. Allison, Th.D., (Replacing P. A. Larson)
1985 — Mr. Roger H. McMillin, Jr., Mr. R. T. Nelson, Jr.

Committee on Historical Concerns
1982 — Mr. Buddy Ferguson (Youth)
1985 — Mrs. Julia Oates

Committee on Inter-Church Relations
1983 — Katherine McGill (Youth)
1985 — Reverend Harold B. Probes, Jr., Reverend Charles L. Mitchell

Committee on Lay Ministry
1985 — Mrs. T. M. Oates, Mrs. John R. Schafer, Mr. Harry Salley

Committee on Minister and His Work
1982 — Mr. John Blumenstein (Youth)

Ministry to Senior Citizens
1982 — Reverend Harry C. White, Reverend James H. Boyce
1983 — Mrs. Joann Johnston, Mr. G. G. Parkinson, Ph.D.
1984 — Miss Florence Craig, L.L.D., Mrs. Barron Kennedy
1985 — Mr. David A. Junker, M.D., Mrs. Crawford Pearson

Committee on Nominations
1982 — Mr. Nat C. Whitten (Youth)

Committee on Theological and Social Concerns
1982 — Mr. Barry Dagenhart (Youth), Reverend Merwyn S. Johnson, Th.D., (Advisory)
1985 — Mrs. John R. Hunt, Reverend William F. Blakely

Committee on Worship
1982 — Mr. Tripp McGill (Youth)
1983 — Reverend Fred R. Archer, Jr. (Replacing Mrs. Nancy English)
1985 — Reverend Gilbert H. Rowell, Mrs. W. C. Lauderdale, Reverend A. C. Bridges

As information, the following persons have been appointed by presbyteries as presbytery representatives to the following Boards and Committees:

Board of Christian Education
L. T. Richie, F. J. Musselman, J. R. Wade

Board of Church Extension
J. B. Hendrick, C. B. Evans

Board of Stewardship
Mr. William A. Read, Jr.

Committee on Nominations
Guy H. Smith, David R. Ellis

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That those persons listed in this report as nominees for service on boards, committees, the Ecclesiastical Commission, and as an Officer of Synod be approved.
2. That the Standing Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens consist of eight members, two persons in each class, each serving four year terms.
3. That Youth Representatives on all boards and committees be **Advisory Members,** and that Seminary and College Students also be considered for these assignments.
4. That each session have as an item of business for their December session meeting the consideration of persons they feel capable of serving on one of Synod's boards or committees and that they submit that name to the Committee on Nominations for consideration not later than January 1. Along with each name the session should submit some background information, mailing address and telephone number, place the person may best serve, and his willingness to accept the nomination. The Committee has prepared a form which will be distributed to churches and made available to facilitate the submitting of names to the Committee. We commend those churches and individuals who sent in names to the Committee.
5. That Presbyteries appoint Presbytery Representatives where authorized at their **fall meetings** and that the clerk forward the names of Presbytery Representatives to the Committee on Nominations by January 1. Further, that Presbytery Representatives not succeed themselves. (**Amended.** See Proceedings.)
6. That the names of nominees from the Woman's Synodical Union be submitted to Synod's Committe on Nominations and that not less than two names for each vacancy be submitted.
7. That no person be elected to serve on a board or committee under whose jurisdiction that person is serving. We encourage Presbyteries to follow this recommendation.
8. That the attached guidelines be adopted and included in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties.**
9. That the Committee be authorized to replace Mr. Arthur Allan on the Board of Dunlap.

Officers for the Committee for July 1, 1981-June 30, 1982, are Paul L. Shannon, Chairman, and David Rockness, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,
David Tribble, Chairman

GUIDELINES FOR COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations is charged by the Synod with the responsibility of submitting to the Synod a slate of nominees to fill all of the vacancies which come open each year on all of the boards and committees of Synod. In order that this task be accomplished in the best way possible, the Committee goes through the following procedure:

1. ARP Church sessions and membership are informed, through **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** and the mail, of the January meeting of the Committee and are asked to submit names of people who in their opinion might be well qualified for committees and boards of the Synod.

2. Presbyteries are requested to submit names of Presbytery Representatives following their fall meeting to avoid duplication of nominees.

3. The Committee meets in late January to consider nominees. Every name submitted to the Committee is considered. Additional names may be submitted by Committee members. The Committee requests that names submitted be accompanied by a detailed summary giving background data and information on the individual which would seem to qualify him or her for the assignment in question, and that willingness to serve be indicated.

4. It is the purpose of the Committee to seek out and name individuals best qualified to serve. The Synod has designated that certain positions are to be filled by women or young people, or by presbytery appointments. Geographic representation is a strong consideration, there being an effort to have each presbytery fairly represented. An attempt is also made to have laity and clergy equitably represented, or represented according to Synod's policy.

5.Prospective nominees are contacted to confirm their willingness to serve. At a spring meeting replacements are selected for any persons unable to accept.

6. The slate of nominees is provided to delegates to Synod in advance of the annual meeting for study.

7. The Committee submits to the Synod at its annual meeting, the slate of nominees, and recommends that, if additonal nominees come from the floor, the matter of geographic representation and prior consent of the individual must be kept in mind.

8. The following additional guidelines are followed in the selection of nominees:

a. Persons who have served for two or more years are ineligible to succeed themselves, except as specifically authorized in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties.**

b. Employees are ineligible for nomination to a Board or Committee under whose jurisdiction that person is employed. This includes Mission Developers.

c. Except for those persons who are serving as advisory or ex-officio members from another board or standing committee, persons shall not be nominated to more than one board, standing committee, or Ecclesiastical Commission.

d. Persons who are serving as presbytery representatives on boards and standing committees ordinarily shall not be nominated to other boards and standing committees.

e. Effort shall be made to preclude the nomination to a board or committee of more than one person from the same congregation.

The following motion was adopted: "To help with identification, the Committee on Nominations be instructed to list along with the names the nominees' church."

The Moderator's Committee Report on Bonclarken was presented and adopted:

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON BONCLARKEN

The Moderator's Committee on Bonclarken met in the Chapel. The meeting opened with prayer. Mary Ann McDowell, Chairman of the Bonclarken Board, was available to answer questions.

Three papers were presented to the Committee: The Report of the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken Assembly Grounds, Inc., (Index 4); the attachment, the proposed Constitution of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated; and the financial report of the Board and the auditor's report.

The Moderator's Committee recommends:

1. That items 1,2,4,5,6,7, and 8 be adopted.

2. On item 3 (the approval of the proposed constitution), we recommend to:
   a. Adopt Article I.
   b. Article II — adopt Secs. 1-10.
   Replace Article II, Sec. 11 with the following:
   "The Board shall serve first the interests and needs of the sponsoring denomination, but in the interest of oneness with God, may share the facilities with other *Christian* and educational groups when scheduling permits."
   c. Adopt Article III.
   d. Adopt Article IV.
   e. Reject Article V, as written, and instead we recommend:

ARTICLE V
Committees

Sec. I. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Board, which shall consist of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, and Chairman of the Standing Committees. The duties of the Executive Committee shall be to handle emergencies between stated meetings of the Board, to be of general assistance to the Director, and to bring to the Board any recommendations deemed necessary for the good of Bonclarken.

Sec. II. Standing Cimmittees and other committees shall be appointed as provided for in the handbook.

   f. Adopt Article VI.

3. That the auditor's statement and financial reports be received as information. (See Appendix.)
4. The Moderator's Committee would request that the Synod continue its prayerful support of the Bonclarken Board as it seeks God's direction for future ministry.

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BONCLARKEN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INC.

The Trustees of Bonclarken Assembly submit this report to the One hundred and seventy-seventh meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

We consider it a privilege to host the 1981 meeting of the General Synod and extend a cordial welcome to each representative and visitor. We trust that your stay at Bonclarken will be both pleasant and beneficial. We shall miss having the pleasure of hosting the meeting of the General Synod next year, but will look forward to your return in 1983.

The Trustees are pleased to report an encouraging increase in attendance and interest in 1980. We thank all the leaders and assistants of the various conferences, workshops, camps, and retreats for their cooperation and contributions to the success of the ministry here.

The sale of the Pinecrest Estates property has been completed. Part of the proceeds paid off the note on the Dining Room and Convocation Hall, and the remainer became part of the working capital for the operations of Bonclarken.

At the beginning of our fiscal year, October 1, 1980, a much needed cost accounting system was implemented. The new system, designed by Pannell, Kerr, Foster & Co., and funded by Board member J. K. Stuart, offers improvements in internal control and provides information on individual conferences, with further breakdowns as to ARP or Non-ARP participation where needed. The system also includes a Budget and Cash Flow procedure, enabling the Board to determine the financial position of Bonclarken on a monthly basis. Such information would greatly facilitate the work of the Trustees.

Joseph Marston has been named as Accountant-Office Manager. With the creation of this position, all accounting activities are now being handled in the Bonclarken office. Mr. Marston has also been named as Acting Director, following the resignation of the Reverend Harold S. Mace from that position. The Trustees have begun to seek a new director with Mrs. Jean Todd chairing the Search Committee.

The Constitution Committee, under the leadership of Mrs. Elizabeth Huffman, has completed work on a total revision of the Constitution. The revisions have been approved by the Trustees at two separate readings and are now being submitted to Synod for approval.

Camp Bonclarken, a camp for boys and girls ages 8-12, will be held on August 2-8. The Reverend Webster Curry will again serve as director.

Numerous improvements have been made in the buildings, recreational facilities, roads, and landscaping. The four bathrooms and kitchens in the Minister's Apartments have been renovated, and extensive improvements have been made in Garrison Hall. The exterior, bathrooms, and vestibule of the Chapel have been painted, the tennis courts and playground renovated, and various other improvements have been added to other facilities.

The Trustees express their sincere gratitude to the General Synod, the Synodical Union, and the many individuals and groups who have helped make these improvements possible and who have supported the conference ministry with their interest, prayers, and gifts during the past year.

The Trustees recommend the following:

1. That, relative to the action from the 1980 "Report of Moderator's Committee," **Minutes of Synod**, p. 228, for the Board to submit recommendations derived from the Stuart Operational Review, such recommendations be deferred until the next annual meeting to allow the information resulting from a full year's cost accounting system to be used in making such determinations.
2. That Synod refer to the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs the question of liability implications of Youth Board Members.
3. That Synod approve the revision of the Constitution of Bonclarken that is attached to this report. **(See Appendix for Adopted Constitution.)**
4. That the Bonclarken Day Offering for operating budget supplement be received on the last Lord's Day in January, 1982.
5. That continued support be given to all conferences, camps, and retreats by all congregations and pastors through prayer, publicity, and attendance.
6. That the members of the denomination join us in prayer that we may be found faithful in the stewardship of the Conference Center.
7. That the attached resolution of the Board from its May 1-2, 1981 Minutes be read to the General Synod, and, that the members of the body rise in appreciation for the ministry of Reverend Harold S. Mace to God and the ARP Church for his thirteen years of diligent service as director of our Bonclarken Assembly and Conference Grounds.
8. That Synod refer to the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs the portion of the audit prepared by Pannell, Kerr, Forster & Co., Certified Public Accountants, which concerns itself with re-sale of property for a ruling as to whether it is out of order to include this information, or whether by including it we open ourselves to legal implications on this point.

A financial report is attached to the official copy of this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Ann McDowell, Chairman

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Reverend Harold S. Mace has served the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination in a dedicated manner for the past 13 years as Executive Director of Bonclarken Assembly, and

WHEREAS the Assembly, under his leadership, has grown both in physical assets and in service to God and man, and

WHEREAS, he now feels that the Lord has led him to service in other fields, be it

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Inc. accepts the resignation of the Reverend Harold S. Mace to be effective March 31, 1981, and expresses gratitude for his diligent service.

A motion carried that it is the sense of the court that as of this time all Youth Representatives on Boards and Committees are Advisory Members.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Christian Education was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

The Committee meeting was convened with prayer by Rev. R. M. Wallace, Jr.

Special advisors present were Rev. D. L. Pearson, Chairman of Synod's Board of Christian Education, and Rev. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education for Synod. Rev. Hendrick was employed by the Board of Christian Education in June 1980. The Committee commends Rev. Hendrick for an outstanding job that he has done in his first year as Director.

The report of the Board of Christian Education was received. Our Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That recommendations 1-11 of the Board's report be approved and adopted by Synod.
2. That recommendation #12 be approved with the understanding that Synod's Supplement be adjusted to conform with the Report of Synod's Stewardship Report.
3. That the report of Synod's Board of Christian Education be received and adopted as a whole.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

With grateful acknowledgement to God for His guidance during the past year and to the presbyteries and churches of our General Synod for their cooperation in carrying out the program of Christian Education, we make the following report:

Three regular meetings of Synod's Board of Christian Education were held in 1980 with good attendance and participation. A Special Called Meeting was held in June 1980 for the purpose of appointing a Director of Christian Education. Board members have been active in every phase of Christian Education.

Members of the staff of the Office of Christian Education for 1980 were:

Rev. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education, August 15-December 31.

Mrs. Beth Sanders, Administrative Assistant, January 1-December 31.

The staff makes the following report of activities during 1980:

1. **Leadership and Consultation:**

The Director visited 4 churches for teacher training and/or promotion of the Christian Education program; attended a National Interdenominational Symposium of Christian Education; studied for 10 days at Erskine Theological Seminary under the Ruth Camp and Henry Campbell Ministers and Missionaries Study Fund; assisted in planning the First Presbytery Junior High Retreat; and participated in 4 presbytery retreats.

The Administrative Assistant attended the Second and First Presbyteries Workshops; assisted at the Junior High and YPCU Conferences at Bonclarken. Christian Education booths were displayed at the Meeting of Synod, the Adult Conference, and at Presbytery Christian Education Workshops.

Other areas in which the staff served were: as consultant for individuals, congregations and presbyteries through correspondence and by telephone; and by mailing audio-visuals and other resources.

2. **Conferences:**

Three conferences were held at Bonclarken during the summer of 1980 under the direction of the staff of Synod's Office of Christian Education:

a. The first was the Junior High Conference (June 16-21) and was attended by 227 conferees and advisors from 36 churches and 7 presbyteries. The program was carried out by a staff of 24 with the Rev. Guy Smith as the Conference Director. The theme was *You've Got A Friend . . .*

b. The second week of conferences was the YPCU Conference (June 23-28). There were 170 conferees and advisors from 27 churches and 6 presbyteries. The staff of 20 was directed by Rev. W. M. Harris, Jr., with the theme *Being In The World But Not Of The World.*

c. The third week of conferences was the camp for exceptional youth—**Camp Joy.** There were 9 campers (5 ARP's and 4 non-ARP's) from five churches and two presbyteries. The staff of 16 was directed by Mrs. Frances Sanders and the theme was *Jesus Walks With Me.*

3. **Publications:**

The Office of Christian Education had responsibility to and/or for the following publications:

a. **THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN.** Through membership on the Board of Publications, and as a monthly contributor of articles, columns, and news items. (During the absence of a Director of Christian Education, the Chariman of the Board, Rev. Dwight Pearson, wrote articles as did several of the DCE's of the denomination.)

b. **THE ADULT QUARTERLY.** Worked with the Editor, Dr. W. H. F. Kuykendall, in making arrangements for the writing, printing, distribution, and copy-right of the publication.

c. **INFO.** A new publication was started in the latter part of 1980 with the first issue being sent to the churches at the end of December. This is a publication for ministers, Church School Superintendents, DCE's, and youth advisors. A quarterly publication, it is sent free to anyone in the categories listed above.

e. **Audio-Visual Catalog and Book List.** The Audio-Visual Catalog was revised in 1980 and a new copy issued to each church and DCE. An up-date was issued to the Book List which was revised in 1976.

f. **Resource Packet.** A listing of resources, Christian Education suggestions, program ideas, etc., is prepared and included in ARP INFO beginning with the Summer Edition of 1981.

4. **International Year of Disabled Persons:**

The Board brings to the attention of Synod that 1981 has been proclaimed by the United Nations' General Assembly as the International Year of Disabled persons and that the purpose of the year "is to promote the realization of the goals of full participation and equality of disabled persons in the social (and religious) life and development of the societies in which they live."

5. **Response to Committee on Priorities:**

The Board considered all the suggestions of the Committee on Priorities. The Board has secured a Director of Christian Education. We feel that our present term of four years for Board members is best suited to the needs of Christian Education.

The following statistical information is submitted for your information:

1. **Bible Mastery Month** was observed in January with a study of Genesis. Fifty-six churches reported observing Bible Mastery Month with 45 of the churches studying the recommended material.

2. **Catechism Recitations:**
   a. Brown's Catechism ..... 2 recitations.
   b. The Children's Catechism .....29 recitations.
   c. The Westminster Shorter Catechism.....15 recitations.

3. **Church School:** Reports were received from 142 churches in the denomination. Based on figures from the Annual Statistical Reports these churches report a Church School enrollment of 14,452.

4. **Curriculum Materials:**
   a. Church School: In the Children's and Youth Divisions, the most popular material is David C. Cook; while in the Adult Division, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Adult Quarterly is the most widely used. Listed below are the breakdowns between the ARP and the other materials. Consider these figures in the light of the 125 churches which reported and the fact that some churches used more than one curriculum in a given department.

   1. **Preschool Division:** Cook (63); Gospel Light (9); CE:SA (1); Scripture Press (14); Standard (17); Christian Reformed (2); DBC (5); Other (8).
   2. **Elementary:** Cook (58); Bible (1); CLC (1); Gospel Light (7); Great Commission (7); CE:SA (2); Scripture Press (13); Standard (10); Christian Reformed (2);DBC (9); Other (5).
   3. **Youth:** ARP (6); Bible (4); Cook (51); CLC (4); Gospel Light (8); Great Commission (10); CE:SA (3); Own (2); Scripture Press (16); Standard (7); Christian Reformed (2); Uniform (5); DBC (2); Other (11).
   4. **Adult:** ARP (100); Bible (14); Cook (15); CLC (6); Gospel Light (2); CE:SA (2); Own (1); Scripture Press (7); Standard (7); Uniform (5); Other (26).

   b. **Youth Groups** reported as follows:

	Members	Reporting Fellowships
YPCU	782	66
Junior High	505	56
Junior	529	55
Primary	373	47
Pre-School	178	29

   c. **Vacation Bible Schools:** 83 churches reported holding Vacation Bible Schools in 1980 with a total enrollment of 5,655. 82 churches had a one-week school while 1 had a two-week school. 61 had schools for youth and children only; 22 had family schools. Materials used were: Bible (9); Cook (4); Scripture Press (8); Augsburg (8); Concordia (6); Standard (27); Own (2); Gospel Light (10); Vacation Ventures (3); Other (17).

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That appreciation be expressed to the Woman's Synodical Union and to the churches for funds received from Synod's budget and for their continued interest in and support of Christian Education.
2. That presbyteries and churches be encouraged to consider using all resources (audio-visuals and books, etc.) which are available through the Office of Christian Education.
3. That presbyteries and churches be encouraged to contact the Office of Christian Education for assistance in the total Christian Education program.
4. That Sessions be encouraged to consider seeking ways to provice scholarships and/or assistance to their members for all conferences held at Bonclarken (Youth, Adult, Music, etc.) as well as the Continuing Education Courses offered by Erskine College and their presbytery.
5. That Sessions and Christian Education Committees be encouraged to see how the ADULT QUARTERLY can be used in their local programs, if it is not presently being used.

6. The Sessions be encouraged to choose a "Church Agent" for THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN and that each congregation be carefully canvassed to secure subscribers for this official church publicaton.
7. That appreciation be expressed to the Board of Stewardship for making additional funds available for Christian Education. These funds were used for up-grading our audio-visual equipment and materials.
8. That the 1982 Junior High, Young People's Christian Union Conferences and the Camp for Exceptional Youth, (Camp Joy), be held at Bonclarken during the summer conference season.
9. That the book of Jonah be endorsed as Bible Mastery Month for 1982 and that individuals and groups be encouraged to study the book for relevance to their own lives and the society in which we live.
10. That the POLICY MANUAL, be amended as follows:

B.3. (P.9) be amended by the addition of the following under Committees of the Board

This process shall include an annual review of the work of the Director which shall be reported to the Board.

11. That under Membership in both the POLICY MANUAL and the MANUAL OF AUTHORITIES AND DUTIES (of the General Synod under Board of Christian Education) the number of At-large members be changed from nine to five members. We further recommend that if Synod approves this change the matter be referred to the Nominating Committee of the General Synod for implementation as soon as feasible.
12. That the attached 1982 budget be approved. **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

Respectfully submitted,
Dwight L. Pearson, Chairman

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BUDGET 1982

Expenditures

ADMINISTRATIVE:		
DIRECTOR:		
Salary	$	17,000
Retirement		1,936
Housing Allowance		7,200
Employee Insurance		1,200
Social Security		-0-
Special Training		600
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT		
Salary		12,100
Employee Insurance		600
Social Security (6.65)		804
OFFICE EXPENSE		
Office Rent		1,644
Xerox		150
Office Expense		125
Telephone		425
Postage		750
STAFF TRAVEL		3,330
BOARD TRAVEL		5,000
Sub-Total	$	52,834

PROGRAMMING:		
Periodicals	$	150
Books		125
VBS Kits		75
Curriculum Samples		500
Other		50
TEACHING MATERIALS		50
AUDIO VISUALS		
Tapes		125
Slides, F/strips, Films		450
Equipment		150
Equipment Upkeep		75
PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS		
Printing		50
Supplies		150
Postage		75
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT		
Manuscripts (E. Gettys' book: **Studies in Church History**)		500
Copyrights		-0-
Contingency		-0-
Travel		650
BIBLES AND NEW TESTAMENTS		300
Sub-Total	$	3,500
CAMPS AND CONFERENCES:		
YPCU CONFERENCE		
Room and Board	$	1,600
Honoraria		1,300
Travel		1,200
Planning		500
Insurance		250
Recreation		200
Supplies & Miscellaneous		100
Music		650
JUNIOR HIGH CONFERENCE		
Room and Board		1,950
Honoraria		1,400
Travel		1,525
Planning		500
Insurance		250
Recreation		275
Supplies & Miscellaneous		250
Music		650
CAMP JOY (For Exceptional Youth)		
Room and Board		4,035
Honorarium		1,020
Printing/postage		125
Travel		500

Insurance		70
Materials/Activities		250
Planning		600
YPCU COUNCIL		550
CONTINGINCY		275
Sub-Total	$	20,025
PUBLICATION:		
ARP QUARTERLY		
Editor		4,730
Publication/Preparation		11,200
Second Class Postage		500
General Office Expense		650
Copywright		150
Art Work		165
Refunds		-0-
Subtotal	$	17,395
CONTINGENCY FUND:		500
GRAND TOTAL	$	94,254

Income

Synod Supplement	$	63,554
Honoraria		150
Travel Reimbursement		300
Miscellaneous		100
Sale of Material		50
WSU Support		6,000
Quarterly		18,000
Conference Fees		2,500
Sub-Total	$	90,654
Camp Joy Donations & Memorials		1,600
Camp Joy Fees		2,000
WSU Gift—Camp Joy		-0-
Youth Work (Gifts in hand/projects)		-0-
GRAND TOTAL	$	94,254

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Church Extension was presented. Recommendations 1,2 and 4 were adopted. Recommendation 3 was adopted following an amendment "to amend the budget of Church Extension for 1982 to adjust the line item for Jubilee House under Evangelism from $15,000.00 to $7,500.00."

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION

The Moderator's Committee on Church Extension makes the following recommendations:

1. That the body of the Church Extension report be received as information and printed in the Minutes of Synod.

2. That the following recommendations concerning the Policy Book of the Board included in the body of the report be adopted as amended:

a. That in keeping with the policy of the Presbyteries' involvment with new forms of

ministry, the category of "special ministries" be placed in the **Policy Book** under the Committee on Evangelism c,3,e,"review, report and promote special ministries."

b. That the last sentence of Section IV,A,3, be deleted.

c. That Section IV,B,6, be changed to read as follows: "Presbytery's Committee shall work in close cooperation and consultation with the Board in administering allocated funds, and shall secure the permission of the Board before making any changes in the allocation of funds."

d. That Section V,d, read as follows: "They shall give some evidence of special gifts in the field of new church development", and that the present "d" be changed to "e".

e. That Section V,8,h, be changed to read as follows: "Meet the guidelines of the General Synod relating to the voluntary commitment. In cases where these guidelines cannot be met, funded congregations shall not ordinarily include in their budgets contributions to other benevolent causes except presbytery dues."

f. That a new section be added, "Section IX, Relation to Other Agencies of the Synod and the Presbytery.

A. The Board shall work in close cooperation with all the agencies of the General Synod and the presbyteries.

B. The Board requests of all such agencies that contributions not be accepted from funded congregations which are not meeting Synod's guidelines for voluntary commitment."

3. That the Recommendations (1)-(4) at the conclusion of the Board report be approved. (**Amended.** See Proceedings.)

4. That the Board of Church Extension recommend to the 1982 meeting of the General Synod for its approval guidelines for its policy governing special ministries.

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

The Board gives praise and thanks to God for the opportunity of Synod to be involved in this great mission. We appreciate the prayers, interest and financial support the General Synod through the budget, the congregation through the Opportunity Fund and Voluntary Commitment, the W.S.U. through their regular and special contributions and all who have worked diligently and faithfully in outreach and witness.

The **Opportunity Fund** increased 42.5 per cent from the previous year for a total of $26,905.20. This amount was applied to the purchase of property in Lakeland, FL.

The Faith congregation, Merritt Island, Florida, became self-supporting January 1, 1981 and is to be highly commended for attaining this position.

A Church Growth Conference was sponsored jointly with Erskine Seminary in October with the Professor David Van Gelder serving as conference speaker. An Evangelism workshop was sponsored by Mississippi Valley and Tennessee-Alabama Presbyteries.

Presentation on Church Extension was made at the Bonclarken Conferences. The first Pre-Synod Conference on Evangelism was conducted with Dr. C. B. Hogue, Secretary of Evangelism for the Southern Baptist Convention and Dr. Robert Hart with the American Festival of Evangelism being the featured speakers. The Fuller Institute of Church Growth, Pasadena, CA, will conduct the Pre-Synod Evangelism Conference prior to the 1981 Synod meeting.

The Board requests that the pastors continue to encourage members to include the Board of Church Extension in their wills and estate plans in order to assist in funding the planting of new congregations in the future.

There was a decrease of 135 members in 1980. There were 70 more members added by profession than the previous year. There were 1030 members transferred out by certificate compared to 533 for 1979. There were 13 more additions by certificate and 146 more by reaffirmation than for 1979. There were also 87 more baptisms recorded in 1980 than in 1979. The withdrawal of the Covenant congregation, Florida, accounts for 489 members who transferred out.

A review of work in Presbyteries:

CATAWBA: Dutch Fork at Irmo, SC, has developed a master plan for its building in compliance with a request from the Board of Church Extension. The oversubscription

of Synod's Voluntary Commitment by congregations in 1980 made it possible to make a grant for this purpose. This mission needs its own place for worship and activities. Plans are being formulated for building a first unit on the property which was given by the Centennial congregation. Dr. Frank Beard is the mission developer and the mission is growing.

Wando, at Mt. Pleasant, SC, is using its modular chapel for worship, church school, prayer meetings and other mission activities. Having this facility on the lot has helped to identify the mission in the community. Average attendance has increased and under the ministry of Dr. W. Brad Sutherland members are being added to the roll. Rev. Rodney Foster resigned from the work in April and Dr. Sutherland moved to the field in August.

In Columbia, SC, Rev. An Leim Nguyen ministers to Vietnam refugees. The group uses the facilities of the Centennial congregation and receives support from Catawba Presbytery and the Board of Church Extension. The Columbia Vietnamese Christian Church is the only such Protestant church in South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee. It is into these states that the Vietnamese church is seeking to go as missionaries reaching out among the Vietnamese there. The Columbia Vietnamese Church presently has 33 regular members, including 12 children. In addition, there are 2 out-of-town members and nearly 15 irregular attenders. This is an increase of 21 members since last year. The Sabbath worship is held for adults and children at 3 p.m. The service includes Sabbath School, and then during worship, hymns and songs of praise, prayer, Scripture reading, a sermon and recitations. There is also a Wednesday evening prayer and devotion meeting which provides members an opportunity to lead and actively participate.

FIRST: Christ Community, Greensboro, NC, is growing. The special contributions from the Woman's Synodical Union will be used to purchase property for this group. The mission under the leadership of Rev. John S. Kimmons meets for worship at Greensboro Day School and has Bible study in the homes. The first service was held in the Kimmons' home in February, 1980, with 13 present. One year later, there were 79 present for the worship service.

Jubilee House Community in Statesville, in the old Pressly Memorial facilities, is under the direction of co-directors, Rev. and Mrs. Michael Woodard. The ministry is in an area where there is great need for proclaiming the Gospel and for an outreach of compassion for those in physical and emotional need. Under the supervision of First Presbytery, a board has been elected to formulate policy and supervise the work of the directors.

Pressly Memorial, Statesville, NC, has relocated and built a sanctuary and educational facility in a growing section north of the city. Aid will be given to them in support of a pastor during this period of becoming established in the community.

FLORIDA: Grace, at Orlando, FL, meets for woship at Trinity Day School, an institute of the Episcopal Church. Rev. Doug Fleming, mission developer, also conducts Bible study and prayer meetings in the homes. Property which is stragetically located near rapidly growing housing developments has been secured from the Presbyterian Church, U.S.

In Lakeland, FL, a three-acre site with a three bedroom house on the south side of the city was purchased Jan. 14 with $50,000 from the Board of Church Extension, $25,000 from Florida Presbytery Church Extension, Inc., and $33,000 from Bartow ARP Church. The site is across from a 15,000-population subdivision and near other new homes being built, and presently there are no churches in the immediate area. A mission developer will be on the field soon.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY: Greenview Heights, in Southaven, MS, a Memphis suburb, is formulating a master plan which projects the land use and location of future buildings or additions on the property. This planning was made possible through oversubscription of the 1980 Voluntary Commitment. The mission continues to grow under the ministry of Rev. John 'Jac' Coad. The mission worships in a modular chapel, a temporary structure on the church lot. This facility is not adequate for the present educational and worship requirements.

Providence, at St. Charles, MO, has been closed by Mississippi Valley Presbytery and the property is being sold.

SECOND: Grace Mission, Spartanburg, SC, is served by Rev. Joseph Lennon. Presbytery plans to withdraw support after this year. The small group is faithful and active in visitation and outreach.

VIRGINIA: Kingsborough, in Gloversville, NY, is utilizing its new building for worship, church school and Bible clubs. Virginia Presbytery received a grant from the Board of Church Extension and a loan from the Revolving Loan Fund to purchase and remodel the building. Rev. Geri Gerard is the mission developer.

Johnson Creek, near Covington, VA, did not receive aid this year. Rev. David Ellis has been serving this congregation since July, 1980 and is having an effective ministry. The church plans to be self-supporting in the near future.

In order to more effectively fulfill its mission and be responsible stewards, changes and additions in the Policy Book are presented. (The Minutes of Synod 1974 pp. 686-694) In keeping with the recommendation of the Committee on Priorities, the Board of Church Extension requests that the terms of membership be extended to six years.

In keeping with the policy of the Presbyteries involvment with new forms of ministry, the category of special ministries is to be placed in the Policy Book under the Committee on Evangelism C,3,e, "review, report and promote special ministries."

The Board of Church Extension works in the closest cooperation with presbytery Church Extension committees. In almost every case, the Board has approved recommendations of these committees if the financial resources were available to the Board.

The Board feels a deep sense of responsibility to the General Synod concerning the use of funds made available to the Board by the General Synod. Recent experiences indicate that the Board should exercise greater control over these funds.

Among those matters of great concern to the Board at this time are the following:

1. Failure, in some cases, to secure the highest qualified personnel as mission developers.
2. Lack of denominational loyalty on the part of some mission developers.
3. Failure of some missions to meet their responsibilities to Synod's Voluntary Commitments.
4. Failure of some missions to follow proper guidelines in planning and executing building programs.
5. Failure, in some cases, of taking adequate steps toward self-support.

In light of these and other concerns, the Board of Church Extension feels that its Policy Book should be revised in order that the Board may exercise greater fiscal responsibility. Therefore, the Board submits the following recommendations: (See Moderator's Committee Report.)

1. Section IV,A,3: Delete the last sentence.
2. Section IV,B,6: Change to read as follows: "Presbytery's Committee shall work in close cooperation and consultation with the Board in administering allocated funds, and shall secure the permission of the Board before making any changes in the allocation of funds."
3. Section V: (improperly numbered in printed book), change "d" to read as follows: "They shall give some evidence of special gifts in the field of new church development." Then change the present "d" to "e".
4. Section V,8,h: Change to read as follows: Meet the guidelines of the General Synod relating to the voluntary commitment. In cases where these guidelines cannot be met, funded congregations shall not include in their budgets contributions to other benevolent causes except presbytery dues. (**Amended.** See Moderator's Committe Report.)
5. Add a new Section IX: Relation to Other Agencies of the Synod and the Presbytery:

A. The Board shall work in close cooperation with all the agencies of the General Synod and the presbyteries.

B. The Board requests of all such agencies that contributions not be accepted from funded congregations which are not meeting Synod's guidelines for the voluntary commitment.

RECOMMENDATIONS

(1) That the supplement requests of the Presbyteries for 1982 be approved and the budget adopted. (**Amended.** See Moderator's Committee Report.)

(2) That the Opportunity Fund be received in all congregations in 1982 (Thanksgiving Season).

(3) That the Woman's Synodical Union be thanked for its continued financial support.

(4) That the term of service on the Board be extended to six years with two members chosen each year, and that each Presbytery consider having their committees terms correspond to that of the Board.

CHURCH EXTENSION BUDGET 1982
OPERATING
(**Amended.** See Proceedings.)

GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE	
Director's Salary	$ 19,500.00
Housing Allowance	4,700.00
Travel and Expense	3,000.00
Insurance	754.00
Retirement	1,936.00
Board Travel and Expense	3,200.00
Office Expense	1,500.00
Rent	672.00
	35,262.00
EVANGELISM	
Promotional	10,000.00
Special Ministries	
First Presbytery—Jubilee House Community	15,000.00
Catawba Presbytery—Vietnamese Ministry—Rev. An	4,800.00
	29,800.00
GENERAL MISSION EXPENSE	
Moving—Mission Pastors	2,000.00
Training	1,500.00
Contingency	750.00
	4,250.00
SUPPLEMENTS	
Catawba Presbytery	
Dutch Fork	12,480.00
Mt. Pleasant	11,928.00
First Presbytery	
Christ Community (Greensboro)	16,000.00
Pressly Memorial (NC)	11,200.00
Florida Presbytery	
Grace Community	5,000.00
Lakeland	20,000.00
New Hope	5,000.00
Mississippi Valley	
Greenview Heights	5,500.00
New Work	23,100.00
Second Presbytery	
Gwinnet County	20,000.00
Virginia Presbytery	
New Work	20,000.00
Kingsborough	5,400.00
	155,608.00

TOTAL OPERATING	$224,920.00
CAPITAL	
Church Site Purchase Fund	$30,000.00
Opportunity Fund—1982 (Church Site Purchase)	28,000.00
	$58,000.00
PROMOTIONAL	
Opportunity Fund Expense	1,000.00
Deferred Gift Materials	1,000.00
	2,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	$284,920.00

INCOME

OPERATING	
Synod (Pro-rated)	200,500.00
WSU (Unrestricted)	15,000.00
Interest—Permanent Funds & Ellis Trust	4,500.00
Honorarium	300.00
Direct Support	5,620.00
Other Miscellaneous Unrestricted Income	1,000.00
	$226,920.00
CAPITAL	
WSU (Restricted) New Building & Churches Site Purchases—Current Income	30,000.00
Opportunity Fund—1982	28,000.00
	58,000.00
TOTAL INCOME:	$284,920.00

The report of The Commission on Judiciary Affairs made its report on the referral concerning the Bonclarken Audit. The report was adopted.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION ON JUDICIARY AFFAIRS

The Juciciary Affairs Commission has received the financial Audit prepared by Parnell, Kerr, and Forster dated Sept. 30, 1980 and a letter from Mrs. Jane Shelton Dale, Secretary of The Board of Bonclarken dated March 29, 1981.

The Commission has been requested to determine whether the inclusion of two statements in the last two pages of the financial audit concerning the resale of property in the Pinecrest Development Project should be included in information provided to the Bonclarken Board and whether the inclusion of such information would open the Board to legal implications.

1. With regard to the first question, the Commission is of the opinion that such information should be made available to the Board of Bonclarken, since it deals with business for which the Board has responsibility.

2. With regard to the second question, the Commission concludes that receiving an Auditor's Report by the Board of Bonclarken poses no legal problems for the Board. This conclusion is based on the assumption that the information dealing with the sale of property is accurate.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Annuities and Relief was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON BOARD OF ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The meeting was opened with prayer by Dick Leaptrott.

Recommendations voted on separately:

1. Approved - Minister should be notified when applications are sent. Also ministers should be notified if widows are living in their vicinity.
2. Approved - note above.
3. Approved.
4. Approved. There was not sufficient interest indicated - 25% positive. Your committee is thankful for interest displayed by the board.
5. Approved.
6. Approved.
7. Approved.
8. Approved.

We would like to recommend that the Board be commended for their work and service to the church.

The Report was adopted as a whole.

REPORT OF BOARD OF ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The Board met on two occasions since the last meeting of the General Synod, July 26, 1980, and January 31, 1981. The activities of the Board are reported as information.

BENEVOLENCE

Christmas Benevolent Offering

The Board is extremely grateful to all individuals and churches which have contributed to this fund. Contributions to this fund permit a special ministry to the retired ministers, retired Synod lay employees, retired missionaries, and widows of former ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees.

Distribution of the Christmas Benevolent Fund is based on need and the desire to participate. Each year all eligible persons are contacted and distribution is made, based on the responses of those eligible to be recipients on the following priority:

a. **Need.** Confirmed by confidential financial data from eligible recipients. The benefit is limited to $500.00 per month per recipient.

b. **Desire to Participate.** Confirmed by eligible recipients. Funds in excess of those necessary to meet the needs referenced in "a" are divided into two parts. Part A is divided equally among all recipients and Part B is divided among recipients based on total years of service.

An emergency fund of up to $2,000.00 is retained and during the past year it permitted the Board to meet the emergency needs of three persons.

The distribution approved from the 1979 Christmas Benevolent Offering amounted to $44,749.48, as compared to $39,916.08 for the 1978 offering. Fifty-four widows and retired ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees were recipients, as compared to 33 the previous year.

Widows' Benefit Fund

This fund, established during 1978 by an anonymous gift, continues to benefit twelve widows who have special needs by providing an average monthly benefit of $175.00. An additional anonymous gift of $35,942 and the excellent investment experience of the Fund permitted the addition of two widows and the increased monthly benefit. The funds are invested by the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc., and Financial Statements have been submitted to the Board of Annuities and Relief. These are filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

The Board has expressed appreciation to the donor for the additional gift to the fund and to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation for its excellent investments.

Miscellaneous

As of the date of this report there are 24 retired ordained ministers and missionaries, three retired lay employes of Synod, and forty-eight known widows of former ministers, missionaries, or Synod lay employees. One minister has announced his retirement. These dedicated servants of Christ continue to need our prayers, friendship, and financial support.

INSURANCE

Survivor Income Plan

The group survivor income plan approved by the General Synod at its last meeting was enacted July 1, 1980. This coverage provides for a benefit to a surviving spouse and/or children and also provides additional life insurance ($5,000 for those covered by the survivor income plan and $10,000 for others).

Synod's Self Insurance Fund

This fund has been funded over the past several years to provide a death benefit to beneficiaries of certain employees who were unable, because of age, to purchase a paid-up policy by age 70. There is a remaining liability of $59,838.00 and this will be fully funded in this budget year.

Group Dental Insurance and Group Supplemental Term Life Insurance

The Board has secured proposals for dental insurance and additional term life insurance, and, by the meeting of Synod, will have surveyed the participants to determine if 75% of the *participants* would be willing to bear the cost for either or both areas of coverage. If there is sufficient participation the Board will recommend this additional coverage, to be funded by participants. For future participants, the coverage would become a part of the total package.

Dependent Term Life Insurance

Two thousand, five hundred dollars of term life insurance for spouses and dependent children over 6 months of age has been added to the group coverage, without any additional direct cost to the participants.

Annual Physicals for Employees Age 40 or Over

The coverage has been modified to reimburse employees age 40 and over for 80% of the cost of annual physicals. The coverage is limited to $100.00. There was no additional premium charge.

RETIREMENT

Amendment No. 13 to Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Text

The Board is recommending the adoption of Amendment No. 13 which, if adopted, would:

a. Change the maximum age for entry into the Plan from age 55 to age 60, effective July 1, 1981.

b. Change the percentage of earnings factor to 1.7% of earnings for all persons presently retired, and to those persons now deceased where a contingent annuitant is surviving, effective July 1, 1981.

c. Change the minimum benefit factor from $5.75 to $6.25 for domestic service and from $6.25 to $6.50 for foreign service for persons already retired and to those who retire in the future and to those persons now deceased where a contingent annuitant is surviving, effective July 1, 1981.

d. Change the hypothetical housing allowance percentage factor from 20% to 40% of base salary as being more representative of the actual value of the manse, effective 1-1-82.

e. Change the definition of Earnings to include any additional housing or utility allowance *paid* to the minister when a manse is provided, effective 1-1-82. Contributions to the Retirement Plan would also be made on the additional housing or utility allowance.

Actuarial Review

An actuarial review for the Plan year ending December 31, 1979, was conducted by Alexander & Alexander, Inc.

Administrative Interpretations, Rulings

a. In light of the withdrawal of the Covenant, Florida, congregation and the renouncing of jurisdiction of the Lawndale congregation, credited service and earnings for Participants ceased on the effective date of their action.

b. The actuarial discount tables for Joint and Survivor, Early Retirement, and 10-Year Certain Benefits will be changed to reflect a 7% per year interest rate assumption effective August 1, 1981.

c. For purposes of interpreting the Retirement Plan Text, credited service will be recognized for those ministers who are received into as well as those transferred out of a Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Denomination.

d. Employees of a Presbytery or its agency are to be defined as "employees" for Retirement Plan purposes.

Changes in Retirement Plan Participation

a. During the period January 1, 1980-December 31, 1980, the following Participants retired on the date indicated: L. M. Allison (7-1-80), W. H. Blair (6-1-80), H. E. Pressly (4-1-80).

b. The following retired Participant and/or widow of deceased Participant was lost by death during the year: Janet Alexander (3-21-80).

c. The following active Participants were lost by death during the year: None.

d. The following persons became Participants in the Retirement Plan during 1980 as of the dates indicated: R. E. Ashmore (9-11-80), C. S. Carroll (6-1-79), D. R. Ellis (6-8-80), D. B. Harding (10-1-80), J. J. Hoeprich (3-13-79), E. B. Johnston (6-1-80), D. O. Jones (9-1-61), T. L. Jones, Jr. (6-22-80), J. S. Kimmons (12-1-79), A. A. Morrow (6-22-80), A. L. Nguyen (7-23-80), W. M. Pittendreigh (7-1-80), L. T. Richie (6-1-80), G. H. Rowell (5-1-80), O. J. Rundus (11-13-80), H. T. Schutte (3-1-80), E. B. Johnston (6-1-80).

e. The following Participant was reinstated to active participation during the year: G. W. Letchworth (4-1-80).

f. At year's end the following Particpants were on approved leaves of absence: R. W. Ackerman, C. S. Alexander, A. M. Allan, F. R. Archer, Jr., J. S. Banks, W. F. Blakely, R. A. Bodey, W. J. Boyd, P. A. Campbell, C. S. Carroll, C. W. Echols, W. H. Faires, Jr., R. A. Foster, E. F. Franze, J. J. Hoeprich, J. A. Hunt, D. O. Jones, L. P. Kennerly, R. A. King, P. A. Larson, R. B. Luebke, Jr., C. T. MCants, J. W. McQuiston, J. E. Pressly, C. A. Reed, C. S. Rimmer, F. D. Stewart, J. R. White, T. L. Wilson, L. C. Young.

g. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and have qualified for a vested benefit from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan: R. D. Bradford, J. A. Cannon, L. L. Dattler, R. S. Miles, Sr., B. R. Nowak, H. L. Smith.

h. The following Participant terminated employment during the year, or has previously terminated employment subsequent to 7-1-75, and has qualified for a vested benefit in the Retirement Plan: J. T. Stephenson.

i. The following Participants were transferred during the year, or have been previously transferrrd to another denomination, and either have qualified or may qualify for a contingent right to a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: D. M. Bonner, R. L. Brawley, C. T. Fincher, J. C. Gardner, J. D. Hatch, C. C. Jett, R. B. Lanning, T. G. Long, F. A. Malone, T. J. Mercer, K. C. Nordvall, R. L. Penny, H. L. Richardson, J. R. Thompson, R. J. Yelverton, J. R. Wright.

j. The following active Participants have prior credited Service and credited Earnings which will be recongnized as continuous on completing five years of continuous service: Ethelda Hanna (Vested), L. T. Richie.

k. The following persons were removed from participation in the Plan during the year and did not qualify to retain a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: None.

l. The following persons were receiving a retirement or permanent disability benefit under the Plan at year's end: R. M. Alber, L. M. Allison, Mrs. Elinor H. Bell*, Mrs. Sarah W. Blakely*, W. H. Blair, J. G. Brawley, Miss Florence Craig, Mrs. Emma R. Echols*, C. E. Edwards, Mrs. Mary P. Edwards*, E. Gettys, M. B. Grier, P. L. Grier, W. P. Grier, Jr.**, Mrs. Wilma M. Griffith*, W. C. Halliday, Mrs. Frances P. Hamilton*, W. A. Hethcox, R. C. Kennedy, L. P. Knox, Mrs. Jean B. Latham*, Mrs. Sallie C. Lauderdale*, J. B. McFerrin, Mrs. Helen C. McFerrin*, R. T. Nelson, H. M. Pearson, Mrs. Agnes D. Plaxico*, H. E. Pressly, W. L. Pressly, J. H. Ragsdale, Mrs. Katherine S. Rogers*, K. C. Seawright, Mrs. F. L. Shannon*, F. W. Sherrill, J. C. Smith, J. P. Steele, F. T. White, A. K. Whitesides, Mrs. Gladys D. Young.

*As widow of deceased Participant, the Joint and Survivor Option having been selected or automatic as to those who died after 9-1-61.

**As Participant disabled prior to 12-1-72.

m. The following persons apparently are eligible for Retirement Plan Participation as of 12-31-80, but as of that date enrollment procedures have not been completed: L. B. Bullock, R. D. Maddox.

Financial Statement

The "Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Financial Statement" as compiled and reported by Price Waterhouse & Co., independent auditors, will be filed with the Principal Clerk, at the ARP Center, and with members of the Board of Annuities and Relief, and will not be repeated herein. A "Statement of Income and Expenses and Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits for the Year Ended December 31, 1980 and 1979" will be submitted for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.**

MISCELLANEOUS

Periodic Cost of Living Increase

The Board considered the request of the 1980 General Synod "that the Board of Annuities and Relief investigate the possibility of periodic cost of living increases in all cases where fixed benefits are payable." The Board feels that it would not be appropriate to include such provisions in the benefit package or in the Retirement Plan Text, other than that which is reflected by the periodic increases in the minimum benefit formula. The benefits offered through our denominational programs (retirement, long term disability, survivor income) are generally accompanied with social security benefits which are responsive to periodic cost of living changes.

The Retirement Committee does review the minimum benefit formula each three years to determine if and to what extent the minimum benefit formula should be changed. A change in the Policy Manual is being recommended to insure that this continues to be done.

Changes in Policy Book

The following changes were adopted for submission to the General Synod:

a. **Section I.A.2.:** Change first sentence to read:

2. Members other than the Woman's Synodical Union and the Youth Representative will serve six year terms, effective with those appointed for terms beginning July 1, 1982.

   NOTE: This changes the term of office from four to six years, with two persons in each class.

b. **Section I.C.1.:** Change to read:

1. The Standing Committees of the Board are Insurance, Benevolence, Retirement, Audit, and Executive.

   NOTE: This adds an Audit Committee with duties as outlined in added Section I.C.6.

c. **Section I.C.4.c.:** Delete and substitute the following:

4.c. To review the minimum benefit formula prior to each actuarial review to determine if the benefit should be changed for those currently retired and for future retirees.

d. **Section I.C.5.:** Change first sentence to read:

5. The Executive Committee, consisting of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary (if a voting member of the Board) and the chairmen of the Standing Committees . . .

NOTE: This will include the chairman of the Audit Committee on the Executive Committee.

e. **Add Section I.C.6.:**

6. The Audit Committee shall have the following responsibilities:

a. To recommend for Board approval a certified public accounting firm as auditors of the Retirement Plan Fund.

b. To serve as liason between the Board and the Auditor.

c. To receive and review the auditor's report(s) and to make recommendations to the Board accordingly.

f. **Delete Section I.C.4.c. and renumber d, e, f and g to c, d, e and f.**

NOTE: This removes the responsibility for recommending the accounting firm from the Retirement Committee.

Officers for 1981-1982

Chairman: W. Brad Sutherland, Jr.; Vice-Chairman: C. B. Todd; Secretary: Ed Hogan; Treasurer: H. H. Long

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Christmas Benevolent Offering be continued and that pastors and other church officers give this special ministry their support. **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

2. That pastors of those churches where retired ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees and/or widows of same attend or have membership be especially attentive to the special needs of these persons and seek to assist the Board in its ministry to these persons. **(See Moderator's Committee Report.)**

3. That the changes to the Policy Book of the Board of Annuities and Relief, as reported herein, be approved.

4. That the Board of Annuities be granted authority to add Group Dental Insurance and/or Group supplemental Term Life Insurance equal to one years annual Salary provided:

a. It is offered as optional coverage for those currently insured.

b. Seventy-five per cent of those currently insured are willing to enroll and pay the premium cost for 1982 (i.e., cost is not to be automatically assumed by church or agency).

c. Coverage for those who enroll in the group benefit program after the effective date of the added coverage will be automatic.

5. That Amendment #13 to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Text be adopted.

6. That for the purpose of the Long Term Disability Insurance and the Survivor Income Insurance, earnings be defined as base salary plus housing and utility allowance, effective January 1, 1982.

7. That Price Waterhouse & Co. be approved as auditors for the 1981 fiscal year.

8. That all other actions of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.

Respectfully,
T. A. Waites, Chairman
Ed Hogan, Secretary

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN RETIREMENT PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 13

RESOLVED, that the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan, which became effective September 1, 1961, be amended as follows:

PART I — Effective January 1, 1982 Amend item (7) "EARNINGS," of Article I so that it will read as follows: "The an-nual earnings payable to a Participant for Church or Synod work within the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, excluding payments in kind or in cash as reimbursement for expenses and excluding any other special payments, as determined by the Retirement Committee in accordance with its normal practices, but specifically including the following:

(a) For periods of service on or after January 1, 1982, any bona fide housing allowance provided as part of the employment agreement, and including as to any Participant who is provided with housing at no extra charge as part of the employment agreement a sum equal to 40% of the Participant's base salary as being representative of the value of housing, plus any additional utility or housing allowance paid.

(b) For periods of service on or after January 1, 1979, any amounts paid to a foreign missionary as a child allowance or a vacation allowance.

In no case will earnings for service in another denomination or from service as a faculty member of Erskine College or Erskine Theological Seminary or from service as a military chaplain be counted as earnings under this Plan."

PART II — Effective July 1, 1981, Amend item (3)(b) of ARTICLE II to read:

"Each other Employee shall be entitled to be eligible for entry into the Plan immediately upon his becoming an Employee, provided he shall then be age 60 or less and provided he submits enrollment forms required by the Retirement Committee within a reasonable period."

PART III — Effective July 1, 1981, Amend ARTICLE V, "AMOUNT OF RETIREMENT INCOME," by changing "$5.75" to "$6. 25" and by changing "$6.25" to $6.50" in the following Sections, effective with beneifts payable July 1, 1981 and after:

(a) Section (1), Second Paragraph
(b) Section (1) (c) (i)
(c) Section (1) (ii)

It is expressly provided that these changes shall apply to persons already retired who retired from active employment in the Synod as well as to those who retire in the future and that such provisions also shall be applicable as a basis for recomputing the retirement benefits of persons now receiving benefits under the Plan's joint and survivor annuity provisions.

PART IV — Effective July 1, 1981 further Amend ARTICLE V, "AMOUNT OF RETIREMENT INCOME" by deleting Sections (1)(a) and (1)(b) in their entirety and replacing them with the following:

"(a) **For Past Service:**

For Participants retireing on or after July 1, 1981, from active employment in the Synod and for retirees who retired on active sevice in the Synod, 1.7% of the Earnings of the Participant at his rate of Earnings on the effective date of the Plan with respect to those Participants in covered employment on such date, or 1.7% of the Earnings of the Participant upon his most recent termination of service as a Full-time or Part-time Employee preceding the effective date of the Plan with respect to those Participants not in covered employment on such date, multiplied by the number of full years of his credited service as an Employee prior to such effective date, with proportionate allowance for completed months of such past service.

(b) **For Future Service**

For Participants retiring on or after July 1, 1981, from active employment in the Synod and for retirees who retired on active service in the Synod, 1.7% of the Earnings of the Participant in each year of his credited service after the effective date of this Plan with proportionate allowance for completed months of such future service."

The report of the special committee on the referral of Mississippi Valley Presbytery concerning the Lawndale Church was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF ECCLESIASTICAL COMMISSION MEETING AS A SPECIAL COMMITTEE CONCERNING THE REFERRAL FROM THE MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY

Whereas, the Lawndale Church of the Mississippi Valley Presbytery with total disregard for the Constitution and the specific provisions for such action, has renounced the jurisdiction of the Mississippi Valley Presbytery,

and, Whereas, The Covenant Presbytery, Presbyterian Church of America, has received the Lawndale Church, in spite of the protests of the Mississippi Valley Presbytery,

and Whereas, such conduct is demeaning to the orderly Presbyterian form of government,

and Whereas, such conduct threatens and undermines fraternal relations between the two denominations,

Therefore, be it resolved, that Synod instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee for the purpose of strongly protesting and commencing dialogue with the Presbyterian Church in America concerning the action of Covenant Presbytery and report back their findings and recommendations to Synod.

Clarence Boswell, Chairman

A motion carried that all excuses be accepted and recorded as a part of the official roll. (See Appendix)

Vice-Moderator Greg Slater introduced to the court his partents, Betty and Curtis Ware.

Mr. P. L. Sherrill was introduced to present special information concerning the Bicentennial Celebration. Mrs. J. M. Alexander spoke concerning the praise aspect of the celebration, and Mr. C. H. Carlisle spoke concerning Erskine's hosting of the event. Mr. Sherrill spoke further on the celebration.

Mr. J. M. Bell presented a devotional on the subject of "The Hope of the Future."

A motion carried as follows: "That the General Synod express its appreciation and thanks to all involved in planning and staffing the Prayer Tent."

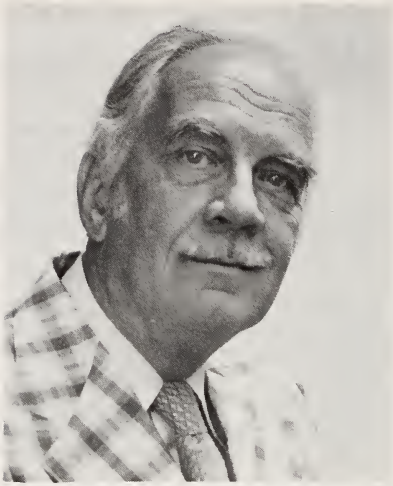
By a standing vote, the court refused to accept the resignation of Moderator Mr. W. W. Orr.

Mr. Orr returned to the chair and spoke to the Synod concerning his disappointment with its activity and actions on the previous day.

Mr. Orr accepted the will of the court and led in prayer and benediction.

A motion carried to dispense with all remaining business, and Synod adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
W. W. Orr, Moderator
Gregory C. Slater, Vice Moderator
C. Ronald Beard, Principal Clerk
Robert B. Elliott, Jr., Reading Clerk
W. E. Kirkpatrick, Bill Clerk
J. B. Hendrick, Parliamentarian



ARTHUR MURRAY ALLEN
September 16, 1918 — May 20, 1981

The circumstance of his Scottish parents having crossed the Tweed and established their home at Newcastle-on-Tyne prevented Arthur M. Allan from claiming Scots nativity.

Nevertheless, no circumstances, however probable, were able to prevent his service as a minister of the Gospel to the largest American denomination with strictly Scottish ecclesiastical heritage—the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Arthur Allan, during his early career as an engineer in one of Britain's research agencies, felt it to be God's will that he preach. His inclination to the Lord's service already had resulted in his providing leadership to a boy's Christian organization, The Crusaders.

Answering God's call, he studied at Oakhill Theological College in London. On graduation, he was ordained in the Church of England and was received on the staff of a London church. He was assigned as an industrial chaplain to a large retail establishment where he was spiritual adviser and counselor to staff and customer.

He came to America and served Anglican churches in western Canada and in San Diego, California. After visits to Bonclarken and to the church of an Associate Reformed Presbyterian pastor in Florida, he was called as pastor of the Wrens and Ebenezer churches in Georgia and was received by the Second Presbytery. Three years later, he accepted a call to Lyndon Grove Church at Augusta. By naturalization, he acquired United States citizenship, of which he was appreciatively proud.

He was vice moderator of the General Synod, moderator of the Second Presbytery, member of the Board of Dunlap Home, and member of his presbytery's Committee on Foreign Missions. He conducted evangelistic campaigns in Georgia, Tennessee, and the Carolinas.

His place in the hearts of Associate Reformed Presbyterians is based, however, on far more than his unique position as the first minister in modern times to serve as a living link to Scotland, the land of our spiritual origins. He had an unusually extensive knowledge of all aspects of the Scriptures, and a penetrating insight into the significance of Bible passages as an expression of God's message.

He was a man who loved people and was deeply interested in their personal and spiritual welfare—a fact which was evident in his countenance and his voice. Even on his deathbed he inquired as to the spiritual well-being of those who visited him.

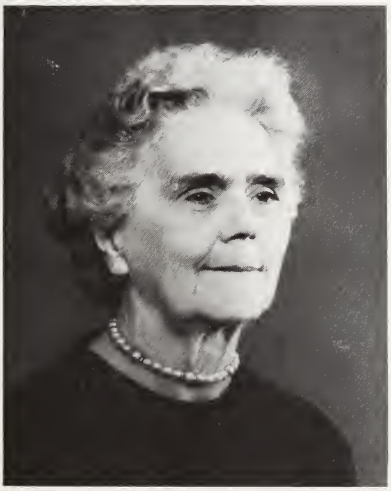
He was a man who inspired, in return, much love from his people. During his illness, the members of his Lyndon Grove church conducted a nightly prayer chain at a set

hour. When his final hospitalization became necessary, members and friends provided a 'round-the-clock' watch at his bedside.

His great zeal for spreading the Good News about Christ was so evident that it inspired one member to finance, personally, a weekly radio broadcast which reached thousands in Georgia and South Carolina.

He was a man who supremely loved the Lord his God—and his neighbor as himself.

Prepared by Mr. Dodd Vernon
Second Presbytery,
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church



MRS. FRANCES PRESSLY HAMILTON
November 14, 1897 — January 21, 1981

Frances Pressly Hamilton was born in Statesville, North Carolina. Her distinguished pastor-father, Dr. James Hurst Pressly, was pastor of the Associate Reformed Church there for 54 years. Her mother was Mabel Lowry Pressly, also daughter of a minister, James Robert Alexander Lowry.

Mrs. Hamilton was the oldest of eleven distinguished children; two brothers, life-long ministers in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, three medical doctors and five lovely talented sisters. All were devout Christian leaders, the result of a Christ-centered home. She grew up under the ministry of her godly father and mother and was received into the membership of the church at nine years of age.

She was educated in schools in Statesville and went to Mitchell College for one year. She transferred to Due West Woman's College and graduated in 1917. A very serious illness of her mother led her to dedicate her life to foreign mission service. She taught school for four years and went to Moody Bible School to better prepare for Christian service. While a student at Moody, the one of God's choosing for her was preparing to go to India. On August 31, 1922, Buford Lindsay Hamilton and Frances Pressly were married in her home church, and within a few days they were on their way to far-off India, now Pakistan. "God indeed moves in mysterious ways His wonders to perform." They served there together under the Board of Foreign Missions for 42 years. On retirement they moved "home" to Statesville, N.C.

Five children came into their godly home: Mabel (Mrs. John McGill), Jane, who died and was buried in India (10-7-26—4-10-27), Lindsay, Kathrine (Mrs. Donald Barnhouse), and James.

Her husband, Dr. B. L. Hamilton, died September 29, 1977; they are now together! One observation is that there could rarely have been found a more Christian, compatible, complementary couple. They were dedicated followers of their Lord to Whom they yielded their lives. Dr. Hamilton was jovial and idealistic; she was practical, quiet, and humble with great gentleness and sincerity. In her was no guile for she was not known to have said an unkind work to anyone or about anyone. She was a fine hostess and shared their home with famous and poor alike. The most outstanding quality was her prayer life. She was a fine Bible scholar and her prayers were interwoven with direct quotations from God's Word.

Truly she was a virtuous woman and her many friends and her children arise up to call her blessed (Proverbs 31:10,28).

Prepared by John Mariner, Executive Secretery
World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions

THE REVEREND JOHN
March 15, 1886 — January 14, 1981

The Reverend John, the oldest ordained minister in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Synod of Pakistan, died in his home village of Nazareth on January 14th. Later the same day, his wife, Aziz Bibi, also died and went to join him in the presence of the Lord.

Reverend John was the first home mission missionary of the Montgomery Presbytery in India now known as the ARP Synod of Pakistan. The Reverend John was educated in the Christian Training Institute at Sialkot, Pakistan, where he finished his studies in 1907. After completing the seminary course of Gujranwala Seminary in 1913, he was licensed and ordained by the United Presbyterian Church in Pakistan. In 1922 he came to the ARP Mission as a supply pastor of Village 190/9AL also known as Nazareth. When Montgomery Presbytery began home mission work at Burewala in 1927, he was elected as the first missionary.

He became stated supply pastor at Village 174/9L in 1933, and stated supply of Arifawala District in 1935. In 1939 he began duties as assistant to the missionary in Chichawatni District and since his retirement lived in Village 190. The Reverend John set a spiritual pace and atmosphere for younger pastors through his godly life lived in the power of the Holy Spirit. All of the areas in which he worked continue to this day as strong, stable churches.

The Reverend and Mrs. John had several children, two of them continue in full-time service: The Reverend Phillipians 'Phillip' John continues as a pastor of the ARP Synod and Stephen John serves as a secretary to the administrator of Nancy Fulwood Hospital in Sahiwal.

To God be the glory for the life of the Reverend John.

Prepared by John Mariner, Executive Secretery
World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions

HELEN C. SHARP, M.D.
January 10, 1905 — August 13, 1980

Dr. Helen Sharp, a native of Pittsburg, Kansas, began her overseas career as a medical missionary in 1932, in that part of India which is now known as Pakistan. Dr. Sharp, a woman with a compssionate heart for those suffering from spiritual as well as physical illnesses, gave her life to medical missions. As a doctor she specialized in tuberculosis and other diseases common to women and children.

Dr. Sharp studied medicine at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, and was involved in public health work in Cincinnati both prior to her service as a missionary and in her retirement.

Dr. Sharp served three terms of service at the Nancy Fulwood Hospital as an ARP missionary and is well-remembered and loved by the Pakistani community. Her interest in India was deep and she asked as a final request that she be buried in one of the many beautiful saris, the traditional dress of Indian women, that she had collected. Now she is present with the Lord and a great company of saints who have given their lives in service to God.

Prepared by John Mariner, Executive Secretery
World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions

APPENDIX

LIST OF DECEASED RULING ELDERS

Name	Church	Year of Ordination
CATAWBA PRESBYTERY		
A. M. Shillinglaw	Blacksburg	1941
J. Wylie White	Chester	1949
H. B. Faulkner	Clover	1950
Tom McKeown	Hopewell	1964
A. James Caskey	Lancaster	1959
Frank Massey	Neely's Creek	1956
John G. Barron	Rock Hill	1934
Alex Varnadore	Rogers Memorial	1956
H. B. O'Dell	Rogers Memorial	1968
W. J. McGill	Sharon	1931
T. S. Watt	Sherwood Forest	1953
David P. Robinson	Shiloh	1946
Robert S. Robinson	Unity	1939
A. A. Barron	York	1940
FIRST PRESBYTERY		
Glen Sherrill	Elk Shoals	1962
G. T. Brown	First Union	1947
E. C. Carson	Gastonia First	1953
C. M. Wallace	Gastonia First	1961
Wilburn McAulay	Huntersville	
Joe L. Pitts	Linden	1966
Leon Atwood Brown, Sr.	New Perth	1932
Lynn W. Hostetler	New Perth	1975
Thomas B. Neill	New Perth	1942
Walter Mayhew	Pressly Memorial	
FLORIDA PRESBYTERY		
James Neil McDugald	Avon Park	1966
L. A. McKinney	Lake Placid	1957
MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY		
Robert Bruce DeWese	Brighton	1971
Charles West	Midlane Park	1974
Louis B. Houston	Mount Zion	1930
Edd Daniel	New Albany	1967
Ralph Keheley	Parkway Place	1979
W. S. Cunningham	Sharon	1929
Edwin H. Yager	Westminster	1946
SECOND PRESBYTERY		
Joe Beauford	Abbeville	1980
Walter Lundy	Doraville	1960
William Robinson	Troy	1960
TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESYTERY		
H. C. Jones	Prosperity, TN	1954
VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY		
J. Preston Miller	Broad Creek	1943
Murell E. Johnson, Sr.	Edgemont	1954

APPENDIX

OFFICIAL ROLL OF SYNOD
***Excused For All or Portion of Synod Meeting**

Catawba Presbytery

Ministers: Ray M. Alber, Raymond Ashmore, James C. Barker, C. Ronald Beard, J. Frank Beard, Roy E. Beckham, H. Max Bolin, J. G. Brawley, Sr. (a*), C. M. Coffey (a), J. Allen Derrick, R. Wayne Dickson, Tony D. Grant, J. B. Hendrick, G. F. Johnson, Ray A. King, Curtis W. Medlin, William F. Mitchell, Forrest J. Musselman, An Liem Nguyen, Dwight L. Pearson, Maynard Pittendreigh, John E. Pressly (a*), James H. Ragsdale, Robert J. Robinson, Forrest W. Sherrill (a*), Guy H. Smith, W. B. Sutherland, Calvin W. Todd, Rabun M. Williams, R. Marshall Wilson, Jerry R. Wolff.

Elder-Representative: Bethany (Pressly Barry), Bethel (George Lauderdale), Blacksburg (A. Z. Shillinglaw), Centennial (Zane W. Abernathy), Chester (Malcolm L. Marion), Clover (Dick Burrell), Dutch Fork (Mission), Eden Terrace (J. H. Todd), Edgemoor (Robert L. Starnes), Edwards Memorial (Leonard Hoogenboom), Faith (Walter P. Perry[M], Milton Shuping[Tu-Th]), Hickory Grove (None), Hopewell (Loy Weir), Lancaster First (John N. Blanks), Neely's Creek (Carl Lesslie, Jack Glasscock), New Hope (Marion E. Stevenson), Oak Grove (James W. Gibert), Oak Ridge (Gary Bailey), Pleasant Hill (Max Rutledge), Rock Hill First (Jennings F. Neely, Tom S. Gettys), Rogers Memorial (Olin Spears), Sharon (J. I. Chason), Sherwood Forest (Bill Howell[Tu], J. J. Allen[W & Th]), Shiloh (Leslie M. Draffin), Smyrna (Charles Whitesides [a*]), Tirzah (Claude Ligon), Union (James J. Lynn, Jr.), Unity (William D. Huey), Vietnamese Church (Mission), Wando (Mission), White Oak (Michael T. Patrick), York (Guy H. Smith, Sr.)

First Presbytery

Ministers: L. M. Allison, W. Harris Blair, Joe R. Blevins, A. C. Bridges, John L. Carson, Meredith L. Cavin, C. E. Edwards, R. B. Elliott, Jr., Charles B. Evans, III, Arthur A. Fischer, Walter P. Fleming, W. P. Grier, Gerald R. Hallman, John J. Hoeprich, Billy S. Howell, Jr., James A. Hunt, John S. Kimmons, Jr., L. P. Knox (a*), W. C. Lauderdale, R. B. Leaptrott, C. Earl Linderman, Mike Lineberger, Robert B. Luebke, Jr. (a), William A. Macaulay, Harold S. Mace, Clyde T. McCants, Bryant McLendon, J. W. McQuiston, Charles L. Mitchell, Bob E. Murdock, H. E. Pressly, W. L. Pressly, Lonnie L. Richardson, William A. Robfogel(a*), E. Timothy Robinson, Harry T. Schutte, K. C. Seawright, Robert E. Sherer, P. L. Sherrill, Gregory C. Slater, Charles A. Steele, William H. Tyson, R. M. Wallace, Jr., Zeb C. Williams, Michael E. Woodard.

Elder-Representatives: Back Creek (J. W. Oliver), Boyce Memorial (John L. McGill), Burlington First (Bill Bush), Chalmers Memorial (C. K. Chittenden), Charlotte First (J. O. Ross), Christ Community (Mission), Coddle Creek (James C. Wallace), Concord (Glenn Cochrane), Covenant (Harry Barkley), Craig Avenue (Kenneth Bigham), Crowders Creek (William S. Best), Ebenezer (R. G. Salter), Elk Shoals (Atwell Alexander), First Union (Phil Holshouser), Garrison Memorial (None), Gastonia First (Charles B. Todd), Gilead (Thomas Regans), Glenwood (J. Loyd Nance), Huntersville (W. H. Cato), Idlewild (Henry P. Bigham), Linden (Leonard B. McAbee, Sr.), Maupin Avenue (None), Mooresville (E. E. Cruse, Jr.), New Amity (Lee Donaldson), New Covenant (C. T. Hughes), New Perth (C. R. Rankin), New Sterling (Clyde Reese), Pinecrest (Jim Smith), Pisgah (Lamar Robinson, Sr.,[Tu], M. L. Pearson[W. & Th]), Pressly Memorial (None), Saint Andrew (Campbell Stewart), Sandy Plains (Louis Johnson), Statesville First (John Plyler, Frank Davidson), Stony Point (Mack Oliver), Tabernacle (R. C. Bryson, W. M. Bostick, Sr.), Westminster (None).

Florida Presbytery

Ministers: William L. Barron, Bob E. DeWitt, Douglas G. Fleming, Wayne A. Frazier, Robert F. Ingram, Kenneth I. Lotze, R. T. Nelson (a*), Grady R. Oates, Will W. Orr, Harold B. Probes, Jr., W. O. Ragsdale, David M. Rockness, John M. Rogers, Jan Senneker.

Elder-Representatives: Avon Park (Harold Stiffler), Bartow (Hollis Brewer), Chapel-By-The-Sea (Jim Ballou), Faith (Wayne Stevenson), Grace (Mission), Lakeland (Mis-

sion), Lake Placid (Allen Rhodes), Lake Wales (Frank M. Hunt, G. Ellis Hunt), New Hope (William R. Bland), Trinity (H. W. "Pete" Peterson).

Mississippi Valley Presbytery

Ministers: John S. Banks, James Coad, III (a*), John A. Coad, G. Webster Curry, Charles W. Echols (a*), William B. Everett, W. Nale Falls, Robert G. Herrmann, Bruce E. Hoyt (a*), E. Stephen Irby, G. W. Letchworth (a*), O. Neil McCarter, James D. McLurkin, Thomas G. Morris, Sr., Alan A. Morrow, Alton L. Roberts, Gilbert H. Rowell, J. C. Smith, Wayne E. Stanchfield, Charles Y. Todd, J. Roger Wade.

Elder-Representatives: Bethany (None), Brighton (F. M. Huffman), Covington (Glenn Gray), Ebenezer (Thomas H. Stewart), Elsberry (None), Greenview Heights (Mission), Havana (None), Hickory Springs (None), Hopewell (None), Lawndale (None), Midlane Park (None), Mount Zion (None), New Albany (Gene Tate), Parkway Place (Cache L. Motley), Pottsville (J. D. Almond [a*]), Richland (Harry McCalla), Rives (None), Saint Paul (David Richardson), Salem (Buford Kinney), Shady Grove (None), Sharon (G. K. Spencer), Southwest (Miguel Velez), Troy (Otis C. Berry), Westminster (N. M. Whitten), Wood Avenue (None).

Second Presbytery

Minsters: Robert W. Ackerman (a*), William F. Blakely (a*), E. L. Bland, William J. Boyd, S. Harry Cain, Conrad E. Cheatham, James Coad, Jr., James T. Corbitt, Donald W. Elliott, Billy O. Fleming, Gary R. Fravel, Michael L. Garvey (a), E. Gettys (a*), Paul L. Grier, W. C. Halliday, Ted. L. Jones, R. Eldredge Kelley, L. P. Kennerly, W. E. Kirkpatrick, Joseph B. Lennon, R. J. Marshburn, George W. McBane (a*), J. B. McFerrin, R. R. McGregor, K. F. Morris (a*), Gary L. Pierstorff, J. Edward Pitts, L. Thomas Richie, R. T. Ruble, Onesimus J. Rundus, William T. Sherer, III, J. P. Steele, F. T. White, Harry C. White, Charles W. Wilson.

Elder-Representatives: Abbeville (None), Bethel (None), Bethlehem (Marion Simpson), Cannons Creek (None), Cedar Springs (None), Doraville(William Kerr, W. Leland Ellis), Due West (T. E. Bryson), Ebenezer (Jack Hobbs), Generostee (None), Grace (Mission), Greenville (Larry B. Creswell, Ralph L. Bowers), Greenwood First (Roy Long[M], Charles Sanders [Tu-Th]), Grier Memorial (Ben Leonard), Highlands (H. Z. McConnell), Hopewell (Paul Wilson), Iva (Boyce McDonald), Louisville (John T. Watson), Lower Long Cane (W. E. Robinson, Jr.), Lyndon Grove (Dodd Vernon), Mount Carmel (R. D. McDill), Newberry (Allen N. Crosson), Ora (Milton Y. Blakely), Pressly Memorial (None), Providence (Marvin S. Turner), Spartanburg (W. C. Blakeney), Troy (None), Tucker (Richard Swofford), White Oak (Lisle Bowers), Woodruff (None), Wrens (Robert L. Whitaker), Young Memorial (Claud W. Perry).

Tennessee-Alabama

Ministers: Robert P. Brawley, L. Calvin Draffin, Charles F. Edgar, James R. Fee, R. C. Kennedy (a*), Theodore L. Owens, Harold M. Pearson, Harold N. Smith, Tommy L. Wilson (a).

Elder-Representatives: Bethel (Howard Williamson), Camden (Hugh Dale), Cleveland Street (Roger McMillin, Jr.), Fayetteville (Charles L. Patrick, Sr.), Hopewell, (J. L. Patterson), Lincoln (None), Pressly Memorial (None), Prosperity, AL (R. Burns Sanderson), Prosperity, TN (James E. Byers).

Virginia Presbytery

Ministers: James M. Bell, Sr., Paul A. Campbell, David R. Ellis, G. J. Gerard, Martin E. Gilbert, Mark B. Grier (a*), W. M. Harris, Jr., Douglas O. Jones (a), R. S. Miles, Jr., Troy L. Pritt, A. K. Whitesides (a*), R. A. Whitesides.

Elder-Representatives: Ballston Center (Robert S. Trieble), Broad Creek (None), Church of the Atonement (Arthur Stetson), Ebenezer (Paul Higgins), Edgemont (John Lee Davis), Fairlea (None), Johnson Creek (Lonnie R. McKinney), Kingsborough (Mission), Ladd (Ralph Keyes, Jr.), Lauderdale (John W. Smith), New Lebanon (None), Old Providence (Hedley Coffey[M], Dallas Hemp[Tu-Th]), Spring Valley (None), Timber Ridge (None), Wildhurst (David Hayslett).

OTHER: Immediate Past Moderator, Elder Joe H. Patrick. **Ordained ARP Ministers Serving as Missionaries Not on Roll of Presbytery:** R. L. Brunson (a*), P. G. Covone (a*), R. Boyce Wilson.

Report to Synod from WSU President

Good morning, Gentlemen! This is my second year as President of the Woman's Synodical Union and, therefore, my second opportunity to bring you greetings and a report from the Synodical.

Our statistical report, as of December 31, 1980, states Active Membership - 4,819, Total to Synodical Causes - $199,361.31, and Grand Total - $281,207.98. It should be noted that several churches failed to submit their statistical report, there is a decrease in membership of 16 ladies, and there is an increase in contributions of over $23,000.

The Synodical has met all of the requests from Synod.

A **History of the Woman's Work** which is Volume VI in our series of Bicentennial publications is part of our contribution to the approaching Bicentennial Celebration. Each Presbyterial is preparing a quilt which will be displayed as a wall hanging. After the Bicentennial, the wall hangings will be on permanent display at Synodical Hall in Bonclarken.

There is additional information on two items mentioned in the Synodical President's Report last year.

1. The New Church Site Fund which accumulated $90,000 in three years has been designated by the Board of Church Extension to purchase property in Greensboro, North Carolina.

2. The Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund does not have a student at the present time. This is a program which offers financial assistance to medical students who plan to practice medicine on the mission field.

Every family is encouraged to subscribe to **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** magazine. Synodical officers and chairmen use this as a means of informing the denomination of events and ativities which might be of interest. This is the best source of information concerning our denomination. It is important for every family to have a subscription.

The Synodical supports World Missions. Several churches support other missionaries as well as our missionaries in Mexico and Pakistan. Every year Jubilee Birthday Teas are celebrated. These honor Mrs. Imogene Covone (Mexico) and Dr. Margaret White (Pakistan). The offering is divided equally between these ladies to be used at their discretion. At the present time, there is a great deal of interest in the individual support of children.

The Synodical supports Erskine College with prayers, money, and our children. There is a sincere effort made for every high school junior and senior to visit Erskine College at least once before committing themselves to a specific college.

All activities in Bonclarken are encouraged. Adult Bible Conference, Layman's Weekend, Youth Camps and Retreats, Music Conference and this meeting of our General Synod have received special emphasis. It was brought to the attention of the Synodical that several churches were not represented during Synod. The ladies agreed to encourage perfect attendance at this meeting.

Our Witness and Outreach program is very active. Some of these activities include programs for the youth at local parks, visitation at nursing homes and homes for the aged, Christmas carolling, special activities for the youth who have no church home, visitation in hospitals, and many other things.

Our handicapped youth are encouraged to attend Camp Joy in Bonclarken; this is its second summer in operation.

Numerous workshops have been held during the year for the purpose of making items to sell in the Bonclarken Gift Shop. This money is divided between Bonclarken and Synodical.

The Synodical supports the American Bible Society, the Historical Foundation in Montreat, and the Learning Disabilities program at Erskine College.

One subject which is before our denomination is the "Role of Women in the

Church." This concerns the ordination of women. It is necessary for you to understand this subject has never been presented for discussion or debate or as a program to the Synodical. As the President of the Woman's Synodical Union, I am happy we have not used precious time and energy discussing this issue. We have continued to work together in unison for our church and our Lord.

It has been my pleasure to be with you this morning and present this program.

Mrs. Altee W. Davis, President
Woman's Synodical Union

Address by Reverend Obed Rodriguez Z.

My heart is filled with joy for the wonderful privilege which the triune God has given me in making me the bearer of this message today, standing before you as the official delegate of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of my beautiful and beloved Mexico.

My name is Obed Rodriguez Zapata. I am the secretary of the Mexican A.R.P. Synod, moderator of the San Luis Presbytery, and the pastor of the Valles A.R.P. Church, "The Divine Redeemer," a growing church.

As I begin this message I want to deliver to you a heartfelt greeting filled with fraternal love on behalf of all the Mexican ministers of the A.R.P. churches. They pray with gratitude and love to the Heavenly Father for each of you.

Speaking of our A.R.P. Church in Mexico, I would like to make mention of the following matters which relate to the actual condition which prevails:

There is at the present a fervent desire in our church to go forward spiritually and to grow constantly. We are seeing this growth in our membership, both in quantity and in quality. In quantity, as more people come into the church. There are more baptisms. There is a multiplication of churches as in one of our Tampico churches, where the congregation was divided into three groups which are located in different areas of the city. This was not motivated by any division among the members but rather by rapidly growing membership which was too much for one church in one location. There is also a growth in quality, with much emphasis being given to studies in church doctrine all over our denomination. This year God has allowed us to begin a special Bible training course for the laymen of our churches who meet once a month for conferences, classes on church history and doctrine, a book-by-book study of the Bible, preaching methods, singing, and many other topics. This open seminary is preparing our lay members to be more useful to God, to the pastors and churches from which they come.

There is in our denomination the goal of increasing our body of academically and theologically prepared ministers, realizing how important it is to have men in our pulpit who are trained for the task. We are motivating the youth of our churches along this line of thought. We are grateful to God that Our Mexican Church is responding to its financial obligations. One hundred percent of our churches, congregations, and missions give their tithe to the Presbytery in which they are found. These in turn tithe to the Synod. By putting into practice the Biblical teaching on the tithes, most of our churches are able now to cover their financial needs completely, others are meeting at least eighty percent of their needs.

Concerning the internal conflicts in the A.R.P. Church in Mexico which existed a few years ago, we are grateful to God that these problems have been erased. Where several of our ministers had left the A.R.P. ministry and were beyond the bonds of our Synod, these servants of God have now returned to our denomination and are an active part of our body once again. In the case of three pastors, Maurilio Lopez, Rodolfo de Angel, and Alvaro Jimenez, who had left our denomination, and the withdrawal of the Rio Verde congregation, all of this has been settled beautifully in Christian love and harmony.

We have grown as an ecclesiastical body of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, having formed a new presbytery called "The Presbytery of the Huastecas." It has three ordained ministers and covers the area called La Huasteca Potosina plus a portion of the state of Hidalgo. You may ask: And what is the Huasteca? I would answer that it is a beautiful corner of enchantment where God's hand has allowed an

abundant vegetation, a very warm climate, a rich cattle industry, and area where everything that is planted produces. The singing of countless birds in the early morning gives this vast region a special beauty. Here in this Huasteca Presbytery many, if not all, of our churches have been raised up by Dr. P.G. Covone and his wife, a marvelous couple which God has shared with us and with whom we have had precious moments of Christian fellowship and love.

Besides this recently formed presbytery, which was born with the glory of our Centennial celebration, there exists the desire and prayer for the formation of another presbytery which would be called "The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Evangelistic Presbytery of Tampico." With this, our Synod will be formed of five presbyteries.

There exists the project, already approved by Synod, of improving the A.R.P. Seminary in Mexico, called Ebenezer, and the individual churches will be contributing financially toward this goal of bettering its functions in every way.

Our great love for the Lord of the harvest and the harvest of the Lord has constrained us to reach out geographically in our missionary and evangelistic work. In less than two years three new churches have been born. Two of them, The Centennial Church and the Jesus Christ the Divine Saviour Church, are located in the heart of our country in Mexico City. One, the Jesus of Nazareth Church, is located in San Luis Potosi, the capital of the state bearing the same name. The formation of a fourth church, this one in Cerritos, S.L.P., is forthcoming. We also have in project the formation of congregations in some of Mexico's largest cities where many A.R.P.'s are now living and working. We hope to establish churches in Monterrey, Guadalajara, Salamanca, Victoria, and other cities.

We realize that in all of this it has been the powerful help of our loving Father, the cooperation of our churches, ministers, laymen, and missionaries whom you have sent to live among us and spread the whole Gospel through teaching, preaching and healing, the combined effort of all has allowed this growth and this progress which I am able to tell you about today. Through love and unity we will continue to move forward for Christ, with Christ, and by Christ.

We know that our God has helped us immensely through each of you who have supported us. We are grateful to Him and to you. Our fervent prayer is that you will continue to be instruments of God at work in Mexico.

In some situations silence is eloquent and sublime. Such is true in the works of creation, the arrival of dawn to begin each new day, the unannounced coming of the shadows of the night with all its mystery and charm. But there are times when the cry must be heard. If we keep our silence the world will be lost. The stones will cry out to reproach us. With our heartfelt desire to grow more and more, to progress for the honor and glory of our God, we make our voice heard today in request to you for the following needs:

1. Your fervent prayers for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Mexico.

2. Your prayers for the new officers of the Mexican Synod:

Carlos Amador, moderator; Obed Rodriguez, secretary, and Amador Pesina, treasurer. Please pray for us and for the annual meeting of Synod in July of this year.

3. Your financial support for these four urgent requests:

A. The A.R.P. Seminary in Mexico.

B. The missionary and evangelistic efforts of our denomination.

C. The reporoduction of Biblical literature in Spanish.

D. Post-graduate studies in the immediate future for one of our ministers to capacitate him for direction of the seminary.

I assure you that our prayers are with each of you as members of the A.R.P. Church in the United States and Pakistan. On behalf of my Mexican brethren, I thank you once more for what has been done in Mexico through your love and interest and support and what is being done now. We are confident that you will be with us in the future also to join hands with us for God's glory and for the winning of souls. Receive the warmest greetings of your Mexican brethren and be sure that we would be delighted to have you visit us. This would be our privilege and opportunity to show you Christian love and esteem. We take this occasion to congratulate you on the coming celebration of two hundred years as a church. May this be a time of great blessings and joy. With God's help a group of Mexican brethren will be with you for that happy occasion.

APPENDIX

"Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy, to the only wise God our Saviour be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen."

Your brother in Jesus Christ,
Obed Rodriguez Z.

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AUDITORS' OPINION

The Board of Trustees
A.R.P. Center Facility

We have examined the balance sheet of the A.R.P. Center Facility as of December 31, 1980 and the related statements of support, revenue, expenses and changes in fund balances and of changes in financial position for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, such financial statements present fairly the financial position of the A.R.P. Center Facility at December 31, 1980 and the results of its operations and changes in its financial position for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Deloitte Haskins + Sells

April 3, 1981

A.R.P. CENTER FACILITY

STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1980 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR 1979

	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total 1980	Total 1979
REVENUES:				
Rental income - General Synod	$11,178		$11,178	$11,178
Rental income - Tenants	30,254		30,254	26,328
Interest income	565		565	244
Vending machine commission	37		37	28
Transfer from fund balance				537
Miscellaneous	193		193	115
Total	42,227		42,227	38,430
EXPENSES:				
Management commissions	2,100		2,100	2,644
Maintenance	9,777		9,777	7,860
Utilities	10,225		10,225	9,399
Taxes				1,903
Insurance	504		504	405
Equipment purchases				246
Renovation	218		218	3,266
Miscellaneous	1,050		1,050	3,109
Expenditure from C. R. Younts Fund		$ 1,977	1,977	
Total	23,874	1,977	25,851	28,832
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	18,353	(1,977)	16,376	9,598
TRANSFERS TO REVENUE				(537)
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT) - BEGINNING OF YEAR	(341)	2,151	1,810	(7,251)
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT) - END OF YEAR	$18,012	$ 174	$18,186	$ 1,810

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Board of Trustees
Associate Reformed Presbyterian
Assembly Grounds, Incorporated

We have examined the balance sheet of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1980, and the related statements of revenues, expenses and changes in fund balances and changes in financial position for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. The financial statements for the year ended September 30, 1979, were examined by other auditors whose report, dated January 16, 1980, expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements.

In our opinion, the 1980 financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated at September 30, 1980, and the results of its operations and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Pannell Kerr Forster

November 21, 1980

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
BALANCE SHEET
SEPTEMBER 30, 1980 AND 1979

	1980			1979*		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
ASSETS						
Current Assets						
Cash	$ 55,655	$ -	$ 55,655	$ 31,599	$ -	$ 31,599
Certificates of deposit	40,300	-	40,300	37,390	-	37,390
Accounts receivable (Note 2)	18,661	-	18,661	4,027	-	4,027
Inventories (Note 1(d))	753	-	753	846	-	846
Prepaid insurance	4,214	-	4,214	6,082	-	6,082
Total Current Assets	119,583	-	119,583	79,944	-	79,944
Cash Held for Safekeeping (Note 6)	3,913	-	3,913	-	-	-
Property, Plant and Equipment (Notes 1(b) and 3)						
Land	-	222,380	222,380	-	223,330	223,330
Lake	-	46,600	46,600	-	46,600	46,600
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	-	318,489	318,489	-	311,925	311,925
Buildings and improvements	-	1,277,747	1,277,747	-	1,239,741	1,239,741
Total	-	1,865,216	1,865,216	-	1,821,596	1,821,596
Less: Accumulated depreciation	-	645,775	645,775	-	561,266	561,266
Property, plant and equipment - net	-	1,219,441	1,219,441	-	1,260,330	1,260,330
Other Assets						
Pinecrest Estates development costs	-	-	-	14,169	-	14,169
Pinecrest land	-	-	-	-	11,299	11,299
Total Other Assets	-	-	-	14,169	11,299	25,468
Total Assets	$ 123,496	$1,219,441	$1,342,937	$ 94,113	$1,271,629	$1,365,742
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Current Liabilities						
Accounts payable	$ 20,572	$ -	$ 20,572	$ 2,717	$ -	$ 2,717
Payroll taxes payable	2,004	-	2,004	1,756	-	1,756
Advance deposits	108	-	108	50	-	50
Sales tax payable	879	-	879	815	-	815
Other current liabilities	-	-	-	500	-	500
Total Current Liabilities	23,563	-	23,563	5,838	-	5,838
Cash Held for Safekeeping (Contra) (Note 6)	3,913	-	3,913	-	-	-
Fund Balances	96,020	1,219,441	1,315,461	88,275	1,271,629	1,359,904
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	$ 123,496	$1,219,441	$1,342,937	$ 94,113	$1,271,629	$1,365,742

*Reclassified (Note 1(e))

See notes to financial statements

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1980 AND 1979

	1980			1979*		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
Operating Revenues						
Room rentals	$ 56,458	$ -	$ 56,458	$ 55,070	$ -	$ 55,070
Apartment and cottage rentals	11,810	-	11,810	11,679	-	11,679
Food	93,864	-	93,864	77,581	-	77,581
Gift shop	12,696	-	12,696	12,209	-	12,209
Canteen	7,112	-	7,112	7,317	-	7,317
Convocation hall and kitchen rent	1,626	-	1,626	1,650	-	1,650
Camp Bonclarken - rent and fees	3,807	-	3,807	796	-	796
Homeowner fees and grounds revenue	14,273	-	14,273	10,916	-	10,916
Interest	886	-	886	2,840	-	2,840
Miscellaneous	8,720	-	8,720	3,414	-	3,414
Total Operating Revenues	211,252	-	211,252	183,472	-	183,472
Operating Expenses						
Payroll and related expenses						
Payroll	95,651	-	95,651	90,390	-	90,390
Payroll taxes and employee benefits	7,206	-	7,206	6,656	-	6,656
	102,857	-	102,857	97,046	-	97,046
Cost of sales						
Food	68,028	-	68,028	62,539	-	62,539
Gift shop	6,332	-	6,332	6,146	-	6,146
Canteen	5,783	-	5,783	5,466	-	5,466
	80,143	-	80,143	74,151	-	74,151
Other departmental and undistributed operating expenses						
Administrative and general	43,475	-	43,475	14,460	-	14,460
Maintenance	27,443	-	27,443	24,656	-	24,656
Heat, light and power	17,913	-	17,913	16,219	-	16,219
Insurance	9,036	-	9,036	11,958	-	11,958
Depreciation (Notes 1(b) and 3)	-	91,278	91,278	-	88,428	88,428
	97,867	91,278	189,145	67,293	88,428	155,721
Total Operating Expenses	280,867	91,278	372,145	238,490	88,428	326,918
(Deficiency) of Operating Revenues Over Operating Expenses	(69,615)	(91,278)	(160,893)	(55,018)	(88,428)	(143,446)
Non-Operating Revenues						
Contributions (Note 5)	103,858	-	103,858	88,187	-	88,187
Gain on sale of land (Note 1(a))	12,592	-	12,592	27,612	-	27,612
Total Non-Operating Revenues	116,450	-	116,450	115,799	-	115,799
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses	46,835	(91,278)	(44,443)	60,781	(88,428)	(27,647)
Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	88,275	1,271,629	1,359,904	23,149	1,364,402	1,387,551
Interfund Transfers:						
Cost of land sold	12,249	(12,249)	-	33,894	(33,894)	-
Purchase of property, plant and equipment (Note 1(b))	(51,339)	51,339	-	(29,549)	29,549	-
Fund Balances at End of Year	$ 96,020	$1,219,441	$1,315,461	$ 88,275	$1,271,629	$1,359,904

*Reclassified (Note 1(e))

See notes to financial statements

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1980 AND 1979

	1980			1979*		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
Funds Were Provided By						
Operations						
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	$ 46,835	$ (91,278)	$ (44,443)	$ 60,781	$ (88,428)	$ (27,647)
Add (deduct): Items not affecting funds						
Depreciation - Notes 1 (b) and 3)	-	91,278	91,278	-	88,428	88,428
Gain on sale of land (Note 1(a))	(12,592)	-	(12,592)	(27,612)	-	(27,612)
Funds provided from operations	34,243	-	34,243	33,169	-	33,169
Proceeds from sale of land (Note 1(a))	40,579	-	40,579	114,007	-	114,007
Transfer from plant fund	12,249	-	12,249	-	-	-
Transfer from operating fund	-	51,339	51,339	-	29,549	29,549
Land cost transferred to operating fund	-	12,249	12,249	-	-	-
Total Funds Provided	87,071	63,588	150,659	147,176	29,549	176,725
Funds Were Used For						
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-	51,339	51,339	-	29,549	29,549
Additions to land development costs	1,569	-	1,569	21,137	-	21,137
Land cost transferred from plant fund	12,249	-	12,249	-	-	-
Transfer to plant fund	51,339	-	51,339	29,549	-	29,549
Transfer to operating fund	-	12,249	12,249	-	-	-
Total Funds Used	65,157	63,588	128,745	50,686	29,549	80,235
Net Increase in Working Capital	$ 21,914	$ -	$ 21,914	$ 96,490	$ -	$ 96,490
Analysis of Changes in Working Capital Components						
Increase (decrease) in current assets						
Cash and certificates of deposits	$ 26,966	$ -	$ 26,966	$ 46,408	$ -	$ 46,408
Accounts receivable	14,634	-	14,634	3,451	-	3,451
Inventories	(93)	-	(93)	(123)	-	(123)
Prepaid insurance	(1,868)	-	(1,868)	549	-	549
Other current assets	-	-	-	(1,226)	-	(1,226)
	39,639	-	39,639	49,059	-	49,059
Decrease (increase) in current liabilities						
Accounts payable	(17,855)	-	(17,855)	4,609	-	4,609
Payroll taxes payable	(248)	-	(248)	(193)	-	(193)
Advance deposits	(58)	-	(58)	50	-	50
Sales tax payable	(64)	-	(64)	124	-	124
Other current liabilities	500	-	500	42,841	-	42,841
	(17,725)	-	(17,725)	47,431	-	47,431
Net Increase in Working Capital	$ 21,914	$ -	$ 21,914	$ 96,490	$ -	$ 96,490

*Reclassified (Note 1(e))

See notes to financial statements

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the company have been prepared on the accrual basis. The significant accounting policies followed are described below to enhance the usefulness of the financial statements to the reader.

a) Ownership and Operations

The company, a wholly-owned subsidiary and agency of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, provides meeting and lodging facilities to denominational organizations for worship, educational and other activities which are within the framework of the standards of the Synod. Facilities, when available, are also provided to nondenominational groups for like use.

The company, for fund raising purposes, has, on occasion, engaged in the development and sale of residential building lots.

b) Fund Accounting

The assets, liabilities and fund balances of the company are reported in two self-balancing funds as follows:

1) Operating Fund, which includes all resources other than property, plant and equipment, reports revenues and expenses of the company in the conduct of its operations.

2) Plant Fund includes all property, plant and equipment. Operating funds used for property, plant and equipment acquisitions are accounted for as transfers to plant funds. Proceeds from the sale of plant fund assets, if unrestricted, are transferred to operating fund balances or, if restricted, to deferred amounts to be used solely for plant acquisitions. Property, plant and equipment acquired prior to 1970, principally by contribution, are carried at values determined by appraisals made in 1970 less accumulated depreciation from that time. Assets subsequently acquired are carried at cost (which is based on the purchase price or fair value at date of donation), less accumulated depreciation from date of acquisition.

3) Depreciation is recognized as an expense of the plant fund and is provided on a straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives of the various classes of the assets:

Buildings and improvements	5 - 40 years
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	2 - 20 years

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

c) Income Taxes

No provision for income taxes is reflected in the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund balances inasmuch as the company, as a subsidiary and agency of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, a religious organization, is exempted from Federal income taxes under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. A determination of exemption letter, dated March 7, 1967, was received by the Synod from the Internal Revenue Service.

d) Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost and are determined on a first-in, first-out basis.

e) Reclassifications

Certain items in the 1979 financial statements have been reclassified to conform with the current year's presentation.

2. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable at September 30, 1980 and 1979, consist of the following:

	1980	1979
Amounts due from guests	$ -	$ 973
Contribution from Board Member (See Note 5)	17,780	-
Other	881	3,054
	$ 18,661	$ 4,027

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees
Erskine College and Theological
Seminary

We have examined the balance sheet of Erskine College and Theological Seminary as of June 30, 1980 and the related statements of changes in fund balances and current fund revenues, expenditures and other changes for the year then ended. Except as stated in the following paragraph, our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

A significant portion of the additions to fund balances are derived from receipts of gifts and donations that, by their nature, are not susceptible to accounting control prior to collection and initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, it was impracticable to extend our examination beyond the receipts recorded.

In our opinion, except for the effects of any adjustments that might have resulted had the cash collections of gifts and donations referred to above been susceptible to satisfactory audit tests, the above-mentioned financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College and Seminary as of June 30, 1980 and the changes in fund balances and current fund revenues, expenditures, and other changes for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year, after giving retroactive effect to the change in the method of accounting for pledges receivable as described in Note 2 to the financial statements.

Deloitte Haskins & Sells

August 29, 1980

NOTE: Financial Notes Not Printed

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 1980 WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR 1979

-- ASSETS --	1980	1979
CURRENT FUNDS:		
Unrestricted:		
Cash	$ 69,987	$ 16,259
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1980 - $6,009; 1979 - $4,519)	84,110	70,285
Due from other funds	10,630	7,205
Inventories (Note 1)	77,417	71,328
Prepaid expenses	6,726	6,823
Other assets	9,464	4,500
Total unrestricted	258,334	176,400
Restricted:		
Cash	108,132	103,037
Short-term investments	30,000	
Due from other funds		59
Total restricted	138,132	103,096
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS	$ 396,466	$ 279,496
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 99,739	$ 72,944
Accrued interest and accounts receivable	17,529	13,829
Student loan notes receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1980 - $95,376; 1979 - $63,863)	773,820	826,199
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS	$ 891,088	$ 912,972
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 223	$ 261
Accrued interest purchased	233	2,716
Investments (Notes 1 and 3)	4,337,457	4,362,750
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS	$4,337,913	$4,365,727
ANNUITY FUNDS:		
Cash	$ 1,685	$ 659
Investments	42,750	37,750
TOTAL ANNUITY FUNDS	$ 44,435	$ 38,409

-- LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES --	1980	1979
CURRENT FUNDS:		
Unrestricted:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	$ 152,350	$ 140,175
Notes payable to bank, short-term (Note 4)	200,080	150,000
Deposits and prepayments	70,745	34,913
Due to other funds	52,781	
Deferred income (Note 6)	42,421	50,216
Fund balances (deficit)	(260,043)	(198,904)
Total unrestricted	258,334	176,400
Restricted:		
Fund balances	138,132	103,096
Total restricted	138,132	103,096
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS	$ 396,466	$ 279,496
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:		
Accounts payable	$ 297	$ 107
Due to other funds	3,628	
Fund balances (Note 7)	887,163	912,865
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS	$ 891,088	$ 912,972
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:		
Overdraft in fiscal agent cash	$ 5,805	$ 65,433
Due to other funds	6,864	3,080
Fund balances	4,325,244	4,297,214
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS	$4,337,413	$4,365,727
ANNUITY FUNDS:		
Annuities payable	$ 27,892	$ 24,107
Fund balances	16,543	14,302
TOTAL ANNUITY FUNDS	$ 44,435	$ 38,409

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
BALANCE SHEET, ETC.

-- ASSETS --	1980	1979
PLANT FUNDS:		
Unexpended:		
Cash and short-term investments	$ 780,795	$ 702,252
Accrued interest receivable	22,311	8,092
Accounts receivable	11,400	
Due from other funds	52,781	
Real estate not used for plant purposes	62,046	62,046
Projects in progress	29,043	3,236
Total unexpended	958,376	775,626
Renewals and replacements:		
Cash	570	3,662
Investments	70,162	62,044
Total renewals and replacements	70,732	65,706
Invested in plant (Note 1):		
Grounds	378,733	346,148
Buildings	5,341,433	5,270,186
Equipment	2,219,994	2,077,215
Total invested in plant	7,940,160	7,693,549
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS	$8,969,268	$8,534,881

-- LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES --	1980	1979
PLANT FUNDS:		
Unexpended (Note 8):		
Notes payable (Note 4)	$ 37,007	$ 23,817
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	56	64
Due to other funds	139	4,184
Fund balance - restricted	299,622	74,010
Fund balance - unrestricted	621,552	673,551
Total fund balances (Note 2)	921,174	747,561
Total unexpended	958,376	775,626
Renewals and replacements - Fund balance	70,732	65,706
Invested in plant:		
Notes payable (Note 4)	34,583	23,847
Bonds payable (Note 5)	1,212,000	1,247,000
Fund balance	6,693,577	6,422,702
Total invested in plant	7,940,160	7,693,549
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS	$8,969,268	$8,534,881

See notes to financial statements.

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1980

	CURRENT FUNDS		LOAN FUNDS	ENDOWMENT FUNDS	ANNUITY FUNDS	PLANT FUNDS		
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED				UNEXPENDED	RENEWALS AND REPLACEMENT	INVESTED IN PLANT
REVENUES AND ADDITIONS:								
Education and general	$2,489,845							
Auxiliary enterprises	1,017,934							
Private gifts and grants		$206,439	$ 1,000	$ 237,449	$ 5,000	$ 298,539		$ 25,618
Investment income		166,363	14,428	10,545		87,212	$ 7,107	
Interest on loans receivable			13,849					
Expended for plant facilities (charged to current funds expenditures)								
U. S. Government grant		44,201						94,846
Rental income						5,300		
Total revenues and additions	3,507,779	417,003	29,277	247,994	5,000	391,051	7,107	120,464
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DEDUCTIONS:								
Educational and general expenditures	2,341,917	339,425						
Auxiliary enterprises expenditures	1,131,864	42,542						
Loan cancellations and write-offs			41,580					
Administrative and collection costs			13,955					
Realized losses on investments				219,964				
Repair of plant facilities							2,069	
Interest on indebtedness						1,602		39,025
Adjustment of actuarial liability for annuities payable					2,759			
Campaign expenditures						49,981		
Other						71,012		
Total expenditures and other deductions	3,473,781	381,967	55,535	219,964	2,759	122,595	2,069	39,025
TRANSFERS AMONG FUNDS - Additions (deductions):								
Principal and interest for plant facilities debt	(86,581)					600		85,981
Renewal and replacement	(8,000)						8,000	
Loan fund matching grant	(556)		556					
Completed projects						(95,443)	(8,012)	103,455
Total transfers	(95,137)		556			(94,843)	(12)	189,436
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) FOR THE YEAR	(61,139)	35,036	(25,702)	28,030	2,241	173,613	5,026	270,875
FUND BALANCES AT BEGINNING OF YEAR:								
As previously reported	(198,904)	103,096	912,865	4,297,214	14,302	1,844,268	65,706	6,422,702
Adjustment (Note 2)						(1,096,707)		
As adjusted						747,561		
FUND BALANCES AT END OF YEAR	$ (260,043)	$138,132	$887,163	$4,325,244	$16,543	$ 921,174	$70,732	$6,693,577

See notes to financial statements.

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHANGES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1980

	1980			1979
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL	TOTAL
REVENUES:				
Educational and general:				
Tuition and fees	$1,855,597		$1,855,597	$1,686,333
Government grants		$ 44,201	44,201	40,223
Gifts and private grants	388,047	149,143	537,190	430,683
Endowment income	173,599	188,623	362,222	326,656
Sales and services	11,818		11,818	12,397
Interest on temporary investments	3,217		3,217	8,737
Other sources	5,505		5,505	7,559
Total educational and general	2,437,783	381,967	2,819,750	2,512,588
Auxiliary enterprises	1,069,996		1,069,996	1,041,275
Total revenues	3,507,779	381,967	3,889,746	3,553,863
EXPENDITURES AND MANDATORY TRANSFERS:				
Educational and general:				
Instruction	1,084,335	77,240	1,161,575	1,049,007
Libraries	108,746	15,879	124,625	118,146
Operations and maintenance	331,551	8,834	340,385	306,005
General administrative	763,780	48,849	812,629	712,088
Student aid	53,505	188,623	242,128	264,946
Educational and general expenditures	2,341,917	339,425	2,681,342	2,450,192
Mandatory transfers for:				
Principal and interest	11,753		11,753	11,663
Renewals and replacements	8,000		8,000	8,000
Loan fund matching grant	556		556	1,432
Total educational and general	2,362,226	339,425	2,701,651	2,471,287
Auxiliary enterprises:				
Expenditures	1,131,864	42,542	1,174,406	1,000,964
Mandatory transfers for principal and interest	74,828		74,828	72,247
Total auxiliary enterprises	1,206,692	42,542	1,249,234	1,073,211
Total expenditures and mandatory transfers	3,568,918	381,967	3,950,885	3,544,498
OTHER - Excess of restricted receipts over transfers to revenue		35,036	35,036	26,000
NET INCREASES (DECREASES) IN FUND BALANCES	$ (61,139)	$ 35,036	$ (26,103)	$ 35,365

See notes to financial statements.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Stewardship
General Synod of the Associate Reformed
Presbyterian Church:

We have examined the balance sheets of the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as of December 31, 1980 and the related statements of support, revenue, expenses and changes in fund balances and of changes in financial position for the year then ended. Except as stated in the following paragraph, our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

A significant portion of the Synod's revenues are derived from contributions that, by their nature, are not susceptible to accounting control prior to collection and initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, it was impracticable to extend our examination beyond the receipts recorded.

In our opinion, except for the effects of any adjustments that might have resulted had the revenues referred to above been susceptible to satisfactory audit tests, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod at December 31, 1980 and the results of their operations and changes in their financial position for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such supplemental schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects when considered in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Deloitte Haskins & Sells

April 3, 1981

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1980

ASSETS	NOTES	EXPENDABLE OPERATING FUND	NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS PERMANENT FUND	NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS DUNLAP ORPHANAGE INVESTMENT FUND	TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY) .....DECEMBER 31,.... 1980	1979
CASH AND CASH ITEMS		$164,333	$ 2,831		$ 167,164	$161,196
ACCOUNT RECEIVABLE		2,054			2,054	3,765
FUNDS ADVANCED TO PAKISTAN		34,034			34,034	33,647
INVESTMENTS		386,912	162,895	$261,599	811,406	740,199
LAND		35,000			35,000	35,000
TOTAL ASSETS		$622,333	$165,726	$261,599	$1,049,658	$973,807
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES:						
Account payable		$ 7,893			$ 7,893	$ 22,882
Deferred income subscription	1	30,675			30,675	27,015
Note payable						33,647
Total liabilities		38,568			38,568	83,544
FUND BALANCES						
Restricted:						
Foreign Mission		147,173	$ 95,322		242,495	189,200
Church Extension		102,196	51,465		153,661	131,165
Dunlap Orphanage			18,939	$261,599	280,538	253,781
Miscellaneous		138,708			138,708	126,054
Unrestricted		195,688			195,688	190,063
Total fund balances		583,765	165,726	261,599	1,011,090	890,263
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES		$622,333	$165,726	$261,599	$1,049,658	$973,807

See notes to financial statements

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENT OF SUPPORT, REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1980

	EXPENDABLE				NONEXPENDABLE			TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY) .....DECEMBER 31,.....	
	----------RESTRICTED----------			UNRESTRICTED					
	FOREIGN MISSIONS	CHURCH EXTENSION	MISCELLANEOUS	OPERATING	PERMANENT	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	ELIMINATIONS	1980	1979
SUPPORT AND REVENUE:									
Contributions from Presbyterian and Churches				$635,992				$ 635,992	$ 594,229
Designated contributions:									
Foreign missions	$513,202							513,202	408,565
Church extension		$ 79,287						79,287	39,276
Christian education			$ 10,138					10,138	7,271
Other			156,375					156,375	135,619
Miscellaneous			81,774					81,774	29,551
A.R.P. Magazine				33,555				33,555	30,406
Adult Quarterly				19,136				19,136	16,368
Insurance premiums			110,183					110,183	91,986
Interest and dividends				28,109	$ 16,695	$ 26,757	$(16,695)	54,866	24,462
Transfer from (to) restricted funds	7,271	(22,796)	(24,425)					(39,950)	
Transfer from restricted funds	15,434	300	11,771					27,505	246,058
Dunlap Orphanage									234,408
A.R.P. Center				430				430	
Total support and revenue	535,907	56,791	345,816	717,222	16,695	26,757	(16,695)	1,682,493	1,858,199
EXPENSES:									
Foreign missions	535,907			170,170	10,755		(10,755)	706,077	667,529
Church extension		56,791		114,609	4,456		(4,456)	171,400	179,637
Christian education			7,948	40,547				48,495	42,667
Dunlap Orphanage					1,484		(1,484)		
Bonclarken				48,045				48,045	42,738
Erskine College				132,035				132,035	118,363
General Synod			71,310	20,645				91,955	50,957
Standing committees				23,526				23,526	18,186
A.R.P. Church Center				67,250				67,250	67,994
A.R.P. Magazine				60,700				60,700	48,585
Adult Quarterly				15,479				15,479	14,425
Insurance premiums			110,183					110,183	91,986
Other			156,375					156,375	208,045
Typesetting equipment				18,616				18,616	
Total expenses	535,907	56,791	345,816	711,622	16,695	- 0 -	(16,695)	1,650,136	1,551,112
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF SUPPORT AND REVENUE OVER EXPENSES				5,600		26,757		32,357	307,087
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	93,878	79,700	126,054	190,063	165,726	234,842		890,263	647,144
ADDITIONS TO FUND:									
Interest and dividends									4,688
Gifts and bequests	76,000							76,000	177,402
Transfer from (to) current receipts	(7,271)	22,796	24,425					39,950	
LESS TRANSFERS TO INCOME	(15,434)	(300)	(11,771)					(27,505)	(246,058)
OTHER TRANSFERS				25				25	
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	$147,173	$102,196	$138,708	$195,688	$165,726	$261,599	$ - 0 -	$1,011,090	$ 890,263

See notes to financial statements.

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1980

	EXPENDABLE	NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS		TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY) .....DECEMBER 31,....	
	OPERATING FUND	PERMANENT FUND	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	1980	1979
RESOURCES PROVIDED:					
Excess of support and revenue over expenses	$ 5,600		$26,757	$ 32,357	$307,087
Increase in accounts payable					22,882
Increase in deferred income	3,660			3,660	7,603
Increase in note payable					14,576
Temporary investment matured					115,340
Decrease in accounts receivable and advances	1,324			1,324	
Bequest	76,000			76,000	
Net transfers from fund balance	12,470			12,470	
Total resources provided	99,054		26,757	125,811	467,488
RESOURCES USED:					
Increase in investments	39,711		31,496	71,207	400,403
Increase in accounts receivable and advances					5,343
Other					7,772
Transfers					56,197
Decrease in accounts payable	14,989			14,989	
Decrease in notes payable	33,647			33,647	
Total resources used	88,347		31,496	119,843	469,715
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	$10,707		$(4,739)	$ 5,968	$ (2,227)

See notes to financial statements.

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE
REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1980

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Operations - The Synod is the governing body for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The accompanying financial statements include the assets, liabilities, fund balances and financial activity of the Synod's expendable and nonexpendable funds. Only funds actually received and disbursed by Synod's Treasurer, are included. Transactions and balances of other funds, such as the property fund, and of related institutions, such as Erskine College, Bonclarken, and Dunlap Orphanage, are not included in these statements. Funds forwarded by Synod's Treasurer to the Foreign Mission Field are reported in lump sums.

Certain trust and agency funds are not included in the records of the General Synod and have not been included in the accompanying financial statements. Selected unaudited information excerpted from the trustee's reports as of December 31, 1980 is summarized below:

	.....Unaudited.....	
	Book Value	Market Value
Trust Company of Georgia, Trustee		
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Fund	$1,524,031	$1,610,763
North Carolina National Bank, Agent		
Church Extension Revolving Loan Fund	813,414	813,414
North Carolina National Bank, Trustee		
A.R.P. Widows Benefit Fund	157,835	127,404
A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.	173,001	163,814

Fund Accounting - To recognize limitations and restrictions placed on the use of resources available to the Synod, the accounts of the Synod are maintained in accordance with the principles of fund accounting. Under these principles, resources for different purposes are classified according to their nature and purposes into separate funds for accounting and reporting purposes.

Funds restricted by donor, grantor, or other outside party for particular purposes are recorded as revenue in the year expended. Current restricted receipts which are not expended within the year are added to restricted fund balances.

Description of Funds

Expendable Funds:

Unrestricted Fund - This fund is the general operating fund of the Synod and includes substantially all resources over which the Synod has discretionary control.

Restricted Fund - This fund represents revenues received by the Synod, or its agencies, which have restrictions placed on their use by the donor.

Nonexpendable Funds:

Permanent Fund - This fund represents resources the principal of which is restricted for investment purposes. Earnings (primarily interest and dividends) on this fund are used to support certain specified functions of the expendable fund.

Dunlap Orphanage Fund - This fund represents certain assets of the recently closed Dunlap Orphanage located in Tipton County, Tennessee. The Synod is maintaining custody of these assets until their ultimate disposition is determined.

Deferred Income - Deferred income results from the sale of subscriptions to The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine and The Adult Quarterly. Sales of such subscriptions are recorded as deferred income when such amounts apply to subsequent periods.

Donated Property - Donated property is recorded as revenue at its estimated fair value at date of receipt.

2. INVESTMENTS

Investments are carried at aggregate cost.

3. PENSION PLAN

The Synod has a noncontributory pension plan. Funds totaling $153,000 were contributed by the Synod in 1980. According to the report of the trustees, of this amount, $17,800 was contributed from funds under the control of the Treasurer; the remainder being contributed for covered employees from other sources.

4. COMMITMENT FOR SELF-INSURANCE

In connection with a change in 1972 in the group insurance policy carried by the Synod for the benefit of its ministers and lay employees, the Synod undertook to provide death benefits for a limited group of older persons rather than to cover them under the new group policy. The initial potential liability under this program was $96,531.

Since 1974, funds have been added to the restricted Ministerial Insurance Fund to meet this obligation. As of December 31, 1980 the status of this fund was;

Balance of fund, 12/31/79	$53,383
Amount added during current year	4,270
Less amounts paid during current year	(3,000)
Balance of fund, 12/31/80	$54,653
Remaining commitment, 12/31/80	$59,838

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1980

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members	Witness and Outreach	Prayer Emphasis Offering (Week of Prayer)	World Missions General and Specials	White Cross Offering	Jubilee Birthday Offering	Self Denial Offering	Women's Synodical Union Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund	Retired Missionaries' Fund	Erskine College and Seminary	Christian Education	Bonclarken	Dunlap Home	Thank Offering	Life Membership And Memorial Fund	Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine	Special Project	American Bible Society	Contingent Funds—Synodical and Presbyterial	Miscellaneous	Total To Synodical Causes	Average Per Capita To Synodical Causes	Spent In Congregation	Grand Total	Grand Total Average Per Capita
Catawba	1,254	5,011 38	1,280 10	13,684 18	3,469 40	6,164 82	2,710 98	1,801 85	1,201,05	3,090 45	858 50	2,007 25	—	4,265 20	3,525 00	—	1 964 75	733 50	1,154 05	2,593,35	55,515 81	44 27	16,814 93	72,330 74	57 68
First*	1,484	3,867 26	850 18	11,934 50	2,811 87	4,813 93	2,129 14	888.00	723 00	1,469 00	838 00	1,947 00	—	4,697 64	3,425 00	—	4 004 03	667 00	1,113 00	1,846 75	48,025 30	32 36	29,382 47	77,407 77	52 16
Florida	398	2,409 19	504 85	3,785,27	801,00	2,068 29	175.00	755 26	80 00	374 00	209 00	349 00	—	1,779 23	700 00	—	—	100 00	911 92	84 50	15,086 51	37 91	7,455 02	22,541.53	56 64
Mississippi Valley**	440	1,312 06	609 70	5,684 12	2,312 00	2,032 30	892 55	191 50	202 00	655 50	241 00	505 50	—	3,227 26	900 00	—	—	225 00	797 85	324 15	20,112 49	45 71	4,394 12	24,506 61	55 70
Second	828	4,287 65	781 30	8,849 75	2,829 60	4,179,85	2,162 25	1,002 30	406 00	2,477 10	783 30	1,925 60	—	3,813 40	1,800 00	—	5 711 00	739 00	1,208 75	2,846 15	45,803 00	55 32	18,003 85	63,806 85	77 06
Tennessee-Alabama	165	1,002 00	176 50	2,005 01	1,554 65	920.00	592 77	97 50	340 70	278 55	57 00	157 50	—	916 35	575 00	—	181 00	116 00	298 80	5 00	9,274 33	56 21	2,055.03	11,329 36	68 66
Virginia	250	489.14	221 49	1,279.78	370 11	488 26	180 46	60 00	40 00	206 75	244 70	71 00	—	539 65	402 00	—	125 00	85 30	518 58	221 65	5,543 87	22 18	3,741 25	9,285 12	37 14
Totals	4,819	18,378 68	4,424 12	47,222,61	14,148 63	20,667 45	8,843 15	4,796 41	2,992 75	8,551 35	3,231 50	6,962 85	—	19,238 73	11,327 00	—	11,985 78	2,665 80	6,002 95	7,921 55	199,361 31	41 37	81,846 67	281,207 98	58 35

*No report from Burlington and Glenwood, **no report from Greenview Heights and Southwest

EDUCATIONAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1980

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members?	Total Number Subscriptions Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine?	Observe Day of Prayer for Self Denial?	Present Program On Missions To Youth of Congregation?	Systematic Bible Study?	Prayer Emphasis Observed?	Local Outreach Project?	Family Living Project?	General Support of Dunlap "Child At Dunlap" Child	Dunlap General Fund and Other Gifts?	Students Contacted For Erskine College?	Project For College Students In Local Congregation?	Youth Project?	Did Youth Attend Conferences and Retreats?	Send Items To Bonclarken Gift Shop?	Represented at Presbyterial, District or Presbyterial Work Conference?	History Being Written?
Catawba	1,254	855	25	16	27	28	22	20	—	—	19	7	13	17	21	25	25
First	1,484	1,410	22	20	31	32	25	22	—	—	23	11	15	22	29	34	34
Florida*	398	293	5	5	6	6	4	3	—	—	4	2	6	6	5	6	5
Missiselppi Valley**	440	421	12	8	19	18	14	12	—	—	3	2	6	3	12	15	16
Second	828	828	15	13	25	23	18	11	—	—	12	8	9	12	18	23	25
Tennessee-Alabama	165	158	6	3	7	8	6	3	—	—	4	3	1	2	8	7	8
Virginia	250	208	8	6	11	11	9	4	—	—	7	3	4	7	8	11	10
Totals	4,819	4,173	93	71	126	126	78	75	—	—	72	36	54	69	101	121	118

*No report from Tampa-New Hope, **no report from Greenview Heights

CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED

ARTICLE I
Name and Purpose

Section 1. The name shall be Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated, commonly known as Bonclarken, with headquarters at Flat Rock, North Carolina.

Section 2. The purpose of Bonclarken is to serve God through the ministry of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod by providing for the denomination opportunities for Christian worship, education, recreation and fellowship; by assuring a wholesome atmosphere for Christian development; and by making facilities available to the agencies and institutions of the Synod, its Presbyteries and local congregations to fulfill their missions and goals.

ARTICLE II
The Board of Trustees

Section 1. The management of Bonclarken, including all properties owned for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Inc., at Flat Rock, N. C., shall be vested in the Board of Trustees, composed of twelve (12) members to be elected by the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod at its regular meeting, and the following: Youth Representative—one member: Ex-officio—Representative of Woman's Synodical Union: Advisory—Moderator of Synod, Representative of Lay Ministry Committee, and President of the Property Owners Association of Bonclarken. Terms of Service: At Large—six (6) years, Youth Representative—two (2) years, Ex-officio and Advisory—determined by the office to which appointed or elected.

Section 2. Two members shall be elected each year for a period of six (6) years. The members of the Board shall be nominated by Synod's Nominating Committee and elected by the Synod at the regular annual meeting.

Section 3. The Board shall elect from its membership a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Secretary for the Bonclarken Board for a period of one year, to assume office on July first. The Board shall elect a Treasurer, not necessarily from the membership of the Board.

Section 4. Vacancies in the membership of the Board shall be filled by Synod according ot its policies.

Section 5. No employed officer or paid employee of Bonclarken shall be a voting member of the Board.

Section 6. The Board shall at each annual organizational meeting select an Executive Director at a salary to be agreed upon.

Section 7. The Board shall be responsible for carrying out the Purpose of Bonclarken and shall have the power and authority to employ such persons as it deems necessary for the carrying on of the work of Bonclarken.

Section 8. The Board may make such rules and regulations for its own government as may be consistent with this instrument and the policies of the Synod.

Section 9. The Board shall be vested with full power to manage, sell or lease any of the property under its control.

Section 10. All of the real property is vested in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, but the Board shall manage and control said property and may at any time authorize the Chairman and the Secretary of the Board to execute deed or deeds to any property deemed surplus by the Board, and/or note or notes in the name of Bonclarken in connection with the furtherance of the purpose of the organization.

Section 11. The Board shall serve first the interests and needs of the sponsoring denomination, but in the interest of oneness with God may share the facilities with other Christian and educational groups when scheduling permits.

ARTICLE III
Duties of the Officers

Section 1. The Chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Board; appoint all committees, unless otherwise specified, subject to the approval of the Board; present, or designate some member of the Board to present a report to the General Synod at its annual meeting of the achievements of the past year and the future needs; execute all legal papers in conjunction with the Secretary; and be an ex-officio member of all committees.

Section 2. In the absence or disability of the Chairman, his several duties shall devolve upon the Vice-Chairman.

Section 3. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Board and shall notify all officers of their election and all members of committees of their appointment. The Secretary shall file an annual report with the Clerk of the Synod at its annual meeting, containing a statement of all receipts and disbursements since the last annual meeting and to be signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

Section 4. The Treasurer or Executive Director shall receive all monies of Bonclarken and disburse the monies under the direction of the Board. All checks shall be signed by the Treasurer or the Executive Director. The Treasurer shall keep a full account of all monies received and disbursed and shall report the same to the Board at all its meetings and at such other times as required. The Treasurer and the Executive Director shall be bonded to such an amount as the Board shall determine.

ARTICLE IV
Meetings

Section 1. The Board shall meet at least three (3) times a year. A minimum of two weeks' notice must be given by the Secretary.

Section 2. The annual organizational meeting of the Board shall be held in August, place and exact date to be decided upon at the Spring meeting.

Section 3. A tentative agenda shall be sent to each member prior to each regular meeting.

Section 4. All regular meetings of the Board shall be opened with prayer and the order of business shall be at the discretion of the Chairman.

Section 5. Special meetings of the Board shall be called by the Chairman as necessary, and it shall be the Chairman's duty to call a special meeting if two members of the Board request a meeting in writing. Ten day's notice of a special meeting shall be sent to all members stating the time, place and purpose of the meeting.

Section 6. Seven members, including the Chairman, shall constitute a quorum for any meeting of the Board.

ARTICLE V
Committees

Section 1. There shall be an Executive Committee of the Board which shall consist of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Chairmen of the other Standing Committees. The duties of the Executive Committee shall be to handle emergencies between stated meetings of the Board, to be of general assistance to the Director, and to bring to the Board any recommendations deemed necessary for the good of Bonclarken.

Section 2. Other committees shall be appointed as provided for in the handbook.

ARTICLE VI
Amendments

Section 1. Amendments to the Constitution can be adopted only by a two-thirds vote of all the members present at any regular or special meeting. Any such amendment must be read at a previous special or regular meeting before being adopted at a subsequent meeting. Such amendment shall be submitted to the Synod before becoming a part of the Constitution.

PRESBYTERY REPORTS

AND

STATISTICAL TABLES

JANUARY - DECEMBER 1980

PRESBYTERY REPORTS

The information included herein is taken from the Presbytery Reports submitted to the Principal Clerk and from the Annual Statistical Reports submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The names of congregations, names of ministers, names of seminary students, and the names of elders lost by death appear elsewhere in the **Minutes of Synod. Information relative to** *ministers* reflects changes since the last meeting of Synod. All other information is for the period January 1—December 31, 1980.

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Hopewell, Lancaster, New Hope, White Oak. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Dutch Fork ($19,932), Faith ($1,800), Vietnamese Christian ($9,600), Wando ($16,319). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Raymond E. Ashmore (9-11-80), Roy E. Beckham (4-1-81), Tony D. Grant (11-18-80), W. Maynard Pittendreigh (9-8-80), W. Brad Sutherland (9-6-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** W. L. Barron (3-31-81), Rodney A. Foster (3-15-81). **Minister Lost by Removal From Roll:** Frank A. Stewart (3-15-81). **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Archie C. Reed (New Hope and White Oak). **Number Active Elders:** 281. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Bethel (Joseph K. Cathcart, George A. Mitchell, W. L. McDowell), Centennial (S. S. McCarty), Faith (M. C. Shuping), Hickory Grove (Jamie P. Gamble, David H. Mitchell, Jr.), Rock Hill (Jennings F. Neely, Sr., Herman S. Weisz), Rogers Memorial (Olin Spears), Shiloh (James W. Helms), Smyrna (Carlyle McGill), Tirzah (Lewis Burns), Unity (H. Grady Flynn), York (William G. Scott), Edwards Memorial (name not known). **Number of Elders Reinstated:** 44. **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Active Deacons:** 304. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 31. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 10. **Supplemental Information:** (1) The Pleasant Hill Church built a new manse. (2) The Pleasant Hill and Oak Ridge pastorate was divided effective May 31, 1981. Each will call their own minister. (3) The Presbytery purchased a mobile chapel for the Wando mission. (4) The Presbytery established the work among the Vietnamese as a mission work and appointed An Liem Nguyen as developer. (5) Sherwood Forest began a redesign of the sanctuary and a projected building program. (6) First Rock Hill is undertaking a renovation program. (7) Rogers Memorial is building a fellowship hall. (8) At the March, 1981 meeting of Presbytery the first unit was approved for Dutch Fork Mission.

FIRST PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Chalmers Memorial, Coddle Creek, Crowders Creek, Linden, Pressly Memorial, Prosperity, Tabernacle, Westminster. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Christ's Community ($29,221.76). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Mike Lineberger (6-8-81). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** James A. Hunt (5-12-81), Harold Mace (5-12-81), William Tyson(8-19-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Removed from Roll:** Richard Bodey (3-10-81), Clyde Reed (3-10-81). **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:**None. **Number Active Elders:** 346. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Back Creek (G. W. Hedgpeth, Jr., Crista L. Owens), Craig Avenue (Mike Rhyne), Crowders Creek (J. Lloyd White), Elk Shoals (Graham Johnson), First Union (Evans Hollandsworth, Richard Shaw), First Gastonia (Alvin Cain), Glenwood (Larry Holden), Huntersville (Jones Alexander), Idlewild (David Puckett, Hardy Rothrock), Linden (Tommy Holland, Thomas Hudson), New Amity (Everette Nicholson), New Covenant (W. R. McGinn), New Sterling (Rochell Brown), Pinecrest (August E. Kehr, James R. Wilcoxson), Pisgah (Eugene Sloan Kaylor), Pressly Memorial (J. A. Lindsey, George Miller), Sandy Plains (Jim Martin), Saint Andrew (Berry Cauble), Statesville First (Frank Davidson, Burton Lewis), Tabernacle (L. E. Bowers, W. Burl Johnson). **Number**

Elders Lost by Certificate: None. **Number Active Deacons:** 347. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 64. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 23. **Supplemental Information:** (1) Back Creek: Have clinical assistant, planning for Educational Building, have basketball team. (2) Concord: Special discipleship program expanded from Sunday School to evening group. (3) Covenant: Continue to operate Child Care Center, are projecting and planning for future building needs. (4) Glenwood: Plan to develop facilities downstairs, have highway exit built, and have formed Session/Diaconate Liason Committee. (5) Garrison Memorial: Upgrading musical ministry. (6) Huntersville: Every Member Visitation & Evangelism Program. (7) Linden: Church debt paid-in-full. (8) Sandy Plains: District captain visitation, missions project for Mexico, sancutary renovation ($20,000). (9) Tabernacle: Committee working with Senior adults, plans to hire summer intern. At the Spring Stated Meeting on March 10, 1981, First Presbytery unanimously accepted the report and recommendations of the Prosperity Church Commission. This Commission had been appointed two years ago following the first vote of the Prosperity Church for withdrawl from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The recommendations as adopted are as follows: (1) That the Prosperity Church be allowed its desire to withdraw from First Presbytery of the the ARP denomination to become an independent congregation. (2) That any financial settlement that should be made between the Prosperity congregation and First Presbytery be a matter of conscience with the congregation and of a voluntary nature. (3) That the Prosperity congregation be commended for any continuing support they may feel led to give to the causes of the ARP denomination. (4) That the Prosperity Commission of First Presbytery be dissolved, its work having been completed.

FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: New Hope. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Faith ($4,000), Grace Presbyterian ($12,000). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Ken Lotze (2-24-81). **Ministers Received By Certificate:** William L. Barron (3-31-81). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** W. B. Sutherland (8-26-80), William H. Tyson (8-26-80), Will H. Faires (1-20-81), L. H. Bullock (1-20-81). **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** None. **Number Active Elders:** 75. **Number Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Avon Park (LeRoy Roth), Lake Placid (Joe Powell), Lake Wales (Henry Bullard). **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 68. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 9. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 3. **Supplemental Information:** (1) Faith Prsbyterian Mission Church at Merritt Island requested that it become a self-supporting, organized congregation by January 1981. Their congregation in meeting of June 9, 1980, voted unanimously to request this of their Provisional Session. In Call Meeting of October 26, 1980, Florida Presbytery voted to approve the request of Faith Mission church to become a self-supporting, particular church by January 1, 1981. (2) Covenant Church of Winter Haven, following the necessary steps for procedure in such matters, voted in meeting of their congregation held at noon on October 26, 1980, to withdraw from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod. This was the report of the Presbytery's Synod Commission and it was unanimously adopted in the Stated Meeting of Floriday Presbytery held on October 26, 1980 at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. It was voted to retain Teaching Elders Leonard Bullock and Will Faires until they requested transfer to another Presbytery.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ebenezer, Havana, Hickory Springs, Lawndale, Rives, Sharon, Troy. **Mission Churches and Supplements:**Greenview Heights ($12,166.66), Providence of St. Charles ($348.75). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Alan A. Morrow (9-19-80), Gilbert H. Rowell (7-6-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** Charles Carroll (3-10-81). **Ministers Divested of Office:** Richard Dale Maddox (3-10-81). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Vernie Bartlett (Hickory Springs), James Ragsdale (Havana). **Number Active Elders:** 111. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Brighton (Robert Smith), Richland (Loraine McDaniel, Johnny Roundtree), Salem (Scott McDill), Saint Paul (James C. New). **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Active Deacons:** 96. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 8. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 2.

SECOND PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Abbeville, Cedar Springs, Due West, Generostee, Louisville, Lower Long Cane, McElroy Memorial, Mount Carmel, Troy, Tucker, Woodruff. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Grace ($3,000). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** R. Eldridge Kelley (9-28-80), Maynard Pittendreigh (6-16-80). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Ted L. Jones (6-4-80), J. Edward Pitts (6-8-81), O. J. Rundus (10-21-80). **Ministers Lost by Death:** Arthur M. Allan (5-20-81). **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** Roy E. Beckham (3-10-81), Tony D. Grant (11-6-80), Harold S. Mace (5-15-81),Maynard Pittendreigh (6-16-80). **Minister Removed From Roll:** P. Allen Larson (6-8-81). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Charles E. Edwards (Due West), L. M. Allison (Generostee), Ray A. King (Lower Long Cane and Troy), J. Calvin Smith (Cedar Springs). **Number of Active Elders:** 183.**Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Due West (James W. Gettys), Greenwood (Charles R. Sanders, Jr.), Grier Memorial (L. H. Humbert), Highlands (Raymond Fortenberry, Ric Smith), Louisville (John F. Blumer, III, Phillip M. Prichard), Newberry (Robert M. Renwick), Troy (T. A. Robinson). **Number of Elders Lost by Certificate:** None. **Number of Active Deacons:** 179. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 24 **Number of Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 4. **Supplemental Information:** While not a part of the 1980 report, it should be noted that the McElroy Memorial Church, Atlanta, Georgia, was dissolved on April 12, 1981.

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Hopewell, Lincoln. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** None. **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Harold N. Smith (3-21-81). **Minister Lost by Death:** None. **Minister Lost by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Hascal Bain (Linoln), Phillip Messick (Hopewell). **Number Active Elders:** 63. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Fayetteville (Fred Jobe, Charles Patrick), Cleveland Street (Roger McMillin, Jr.). **Elders lost by Certificate:** None. **Number Active Deacons:** 54. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 6. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 0.

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ballston Center, Broad Creek, Spring Valley, Timber Ridge, Wildhurst. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Kingsborough ($7,000), Johnson's Creek ($1,169). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** None. **Ministers Lost by Death:** None. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** None. **Ministers not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Robert W. Siemens (Ballston Center). **Number Active Elders:** 97. **Elders Received by Ordination or Certificate:** Lauderdale (James A. Kirby, Jr.). **Elders Lost by Certificate:** Wildhurst (John Myles). **Number Active Deacons:** 72. **Number Deacons Ordained:** 6. **Number Deacons Lost by Death or Certificate:** 0.

STATISTICAL TABLES
January 1 - December 31, 1980

The annual statistical reports have been tabulated for printing in the **Minutes of Synod**, using information submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center as of December 31, 1980.

The following notes of explanation should be reviewed prior to drawing conclusions from the statistical information:

1. **MEMBERSHIP**

The **Communicant Membership Total at Beginning of Year** for 1980 has been recorded as that number reported in the 1980 **Minutes of Synod** as the 1979 **Communicant Membership Total at End of Year.** Differences have been adjusted in either *Accession by Reaffirmation* or *Losses by Removal from Roll.* Churches which reported a 1980 **Beginning of Year** figure which was "smaller" than the 1979 **End of Year** will show a loss by *Removal from Roll.* Those which reported a 1980 **Beginning of Year** figure which was "larger" than the 1979 **End of Year** will show an *Accession by Reaffirmation.* Churches which reported differences are indicated by asterisk. Differences reported are: Pleasant Hill (reported a 1980 **Beginning of Year** smaller by one than the 1979 **End of Year**, thus they show a loss of one by *Removal From Roll*); Sharon, S.C. (−1); Smyrna (−1); Tirzah (−4); Chalmers Memorial (−35); Garrison Memorial (−6); Pressly Memorial, N.C. (+1); Sandy Plains (+1); Westminster, N.C. (−1); Chapel-by-the-Sea (−4); Grace, Fla. (+2); Elsberry (+33); Havana (+2); Hopewell, Ms. (+1); New Albany (+1); Parkway Place (+10); Bethel, Ga. (−14); Bethlehem (−7); Due West (−1); Grace, S.C. (−11); Hopewell, Ga. (+1);Pressly Memorial, S.C. (+6); Providence, S.C. (−3); Young Memorial (−2); Bethel, Ala. (+10); Prosperity, Ala. (−4); Ebenezer, Va. (+2); Johnson Creek (+2); and Ladd (+14). These adjustments reflect a net loss of 9.

Churches which have not reported are indicated by two asterisks. The only figures reported are those for **Communicant Membership Total at Beginning of Year**, and **Communicant Membership Total at End of Year,** except for the Covenant, Florida congregation which withdrew from the denomination. Churches not reporting are: Vietnamese Christian Church, Prosperity, N.C., Covenant, Fla., Lawndale, Rives, Cedar Springs, Lower Long Cane, McElroy Memorial, and Tucker.

2. **RECEIPTS**

A. **Auxiliary Treasurers:** This column reflects receipts reported through the auxiliary organizations, i.e., church school, men's and women's organizations, and youth groups.

b. **Other Receipts:** This column reflects receipts through Bequests and Wills, Synod and Presbytery Supplements, Transfers from Savings, etc. These receipts are not a part of the regular tithes and offerings of the membership.

3. **AVERAGE PER CAPTIA GIVING**

This reflects the average given by each ACTIVE COMMUNICANT MEMBER, excluding those funds reported as Other Receipts.

4. **DISBURSEMENTS**

Paid on Voluntary Commitment—No attempt was made to reconcile the amounts reported here and the total amount reported by Synod's auditor. These figures represent the totals reported in the Statistical Reports.

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERIES

	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES									
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Catawba.....	5,756	79	118	33	70	109	35	5,772	4,586	702	93	2,648	3,281	133	99	147	80	51	16	1,305	289	50	1,194
First.....	8,891	113	175	68	89	165	112	8,881	6,270	1,136	134	3,724	4,923	233	178	125	133	43	79	1,568	328	42	1,825
Florida.....	2,844	69	85	80	36	544	42	2,456	2,070	307	65	1,297	996	126	78	35	80	17	21	390	35	61	495
Mississippi Valley	2,680	22	44	68	26	60	131	2,597	1,745	292	39	995	1,539	79	38	35	34	21	11	430	125	93	730
Second.....	4,848	79	201	52	47	112	89	4,932	3,687	569	90	1,986	2,506	166	75	140	66	45	26	840	182	91	1,171
Tennessee-Alabama.	965	11	19	13	15	11	6	976	687	69	17	379	500	20	15	4	1	8	0	159	47	0	140
Virginia.....	2,529	45	16	25	21	36	6	2,552	1,504	277	53	1,141	1,174	33	47	40	6	5	34	313	0	32	788
TOTALS FOR 1980...	28,513	418	658	339	304	1,037	421	28,166	20,549	3,352	491	12,170	14,919	790	530	526	400	190	187	5,005	1,006	369	6,343
TOTALS FOR 1979...	28,648	379	637	183	345	533	456	28,513	21,249	3,471	399	12,153	14,864	997	630	481	469	306	232	4,912	1,036	441	6,233

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Catawba.....	$1,144,145	$ 88,728	$184,840	$ 19,700	$130,601	$ 370	$129,047	$1,697,061	$ 364,717	$162,808	$ 35,792	$ 313,014	$ 400,182	$11,212	$ 27,918	$164,549	$ 31,176	$ 47,956	$125,938	$ 16,016	$1,701,278
First.....	1,632,157	80,163	212,466	66,056	105,633	369	219,575	2,316,050	512,928	290,180	47,415	372,985	600,347	18,786	35,035	193,675	26,018	51,997	91,338	59,757	2,300,461
Florida.....	578,627	109,822	155,813	42,928	34,901	457	24,750	946,841	180,017	138,210	70,134	147,864	227,574	1,176	13,742	62,354	49,466	34,195	23,576	9,859	958,167
Mississippi Valley	601,163	31,236	51,842	15,444	58,165	458	42,053	799,903	256,071	46,204	12,211	109,545	186,940	5,705	18,747	53,503	14,146	30,326	50,236	33,269	816,903
Second.....	962,522	45,115	202,797	15,839	88,171	406	182,695	1,497,139	334,169	158,367	11,779	458,108	283,101	5,244	22,157	123,803	28,190	35,536	80,654	12,553	1,553,661
Tennessee-Alabama.	172,670	13,424	10,032	1,921	20,052	323	3,673	221,772	74,423	11,970	8,117	18,264	41,557	320	4,066	21,333	9,652	1,483	14,490	0	205,675
Virginia.....	270,411	16,367	39,208	12,964	38,621	295	66,542	444,113	131,836	22,221	8,694	86,467	99,834	8,348	8,010	26,190	5,241	12,907	29,378	6,268	445,394
TOTALS FOR 1980...	$5,361,695	$384,855	$856,998	$174,852	$476,144	$ 386	$668,335	$7,922,879	$1,854,161	$829,960	$194,142	$1,506,247	$1,839,535	$50,791	$129,675	$645,407	$163,889	$214,400	$415,610	$137,722	$7,981,539
TOTALS FOR 1979...	$5,155,891	$322,707	$951,196	$146,892	$439,799	$ 361	$653,836	$7,670,321	$1,673,378	$867,405	$120,485	$1,358,309	$1,656,624	$53,680	$129,410	$596,939	$135,766	$218,692	$380,422	$284,438	$7,475,548

Catawba Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, W. L. Barron	198	0	1	1	1	1	0	198	159	31	4	112	138	4	3	0	0	0	7	36	0	0	54
Bethel, J. R. Wolff	207	0	5	4	1	3	0	212	156	21	1	76	70	9	5	0	0	0	0	59	0	0	69
Blacksburg, R. M. Williams	111	0	0	0	2	1	0	108	59	11	0	35	30	2	3	2	2	0	0	11	0	20	0
Centennial, J. C. Barker	489	1	14	1	11	9	1	484	393	64	9	308	308	0	5	9	7	10	0	112	0	0	61
Chester, D. L. Pearson	314	10	20	0	3	9	0	332	230	46	5	130	206	7	8	6	8	0	0	100	25	0	70
Clover, C. W. Todd	410	10	4	4	5	7	0	416	306	35	2	213	217	0	0	31	12	6	0	93	40	0	0
Dutch Fork, J. F. Beard	27	0	15	1	0	2	14	27	23	9	2	10	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eden Terrace, W. F. Mitchell	63	2	8	3	0	1	0	75	61	8	0	35	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	40
Edgemoor, J. A. Derrick	141	0	1	0	0	2	0	140	106	20	2	84	90	10	6	4	3	0	0	38	0	0	43
Edwards Memorial, R. E. Ashmore	55	3	4	4	1	3	2	60	52	11	1	33	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
Faith, W. M. Pittendreigh, Jr.	124	7	2	0	0	6	0	127	86	31	0	68	81	9	4	15	0	0	0	21	25	0	29
Hickory Grove, R. M. Wilson	58	0	0	0	1	0	0	57	34	2	1	22	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
Horewell, W. W. McKown, Clerk	74	0	0	0	3	0	0	71	43	7	0	23	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0
Lancaster First, J. N. Blanks, Clerk	355	13	2	0	1	7	0	362	317	54	5	223	214	10	6	5	4	8	0	106	35	0	0
Neely's Creek, G. F. Johnson	526	10	9	7	4	10	3	535	458	56	10	213	350	10	12	17	7	15	0	110	10	0	109
New Hope, M. E. Stevenson, Clerk	30	0	0	0	1	0	0	29	18	0	0	7	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
Oak Grove, J. A. Derrick	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	20	7	1	14	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Oak Ridge, H. M. Bolin	99	1	0	1	1	0	0	100	75	15	1	51	57	2	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	25
Pleasant Hill, H. M. Bolin*	133	1	0	0	1	1	1	131	29	15	1	40	73	9	0	5	0	0	0	19	20	0	42
Rock Hill First, R. J. Robinson	493	2	10	0	8	13	0	484	404	47	6	195	215	13	11	16	13	0	0	94	0	0	200
Rogers Memorial, F. J. Musselman	241	3	4	0	3	8	0	237	180	29	4	135	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	15	0	80
Sharon, J. H. Boyce*	107	3	2	0	3	1	4	104	89	9	3	45	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Sherwood Forest, C. R. Beard	249	3	4	0	2	4	0	250	225	44	2	88	92	0	5	6	5	0	0	42	31	0	42
Shiloh, R. W. Dickson	225	2	1	0	6	3	0	219	178	33	10	78	144	6	4	0	7	0	0	55	40	0	85
Smyrna, R. M. Wilson*	66	0	1	0	1	0	3	63	63	1	5	30	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0
Tirzah, C. W. Medlin*	255	2	4	0	1	6	4	250	198	20	2	74	100	8	12	4	3	3	0	47	16	0	75
Union, J. A. Derrick	144	2	4	0	1	3	0	146	122	11	3	62	90	8	6	5	5	4	0	43	0	0	36
Unity, G. H. Smith, Jr.	340	4	1	5	2	3	3	342	283	57	13	158	239	26	9	10	4	5	9	86	32	30	91
Vietnamese Mission, A. L. Nguyen**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wando, W. R. Sutherland, Jr.	18	0	2	0	0	0	0	20	16	1	0	8	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak, W. R. Patrick, Clerk	35	0	0	0	2	1	0	32	23	2	0	15	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
York, T. D. Grant	133	0	0	2	5	5	0	125	110	5	0	64	78	0	0	12	0	0	0	65	0	0	43
TOTALS	5,756	79	118	33	70	109	35	5,772	4,586	702	93	2,648	3,281	133	99	147	80	51	16	1,305	289	50	1,194

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Bethany.....	$ 35,340	$ 682	$ 5,909	$ 65	$ 3,731	$ 288	$ 1,000	$ 46,727	$ 13,572	$ 3,873	$ 35	$ 14,890	$ 8,173	$ 328	$ 960	$ 3,000	$ 617	$ 1,265	$ 3,731	$ 0	$ 50,444
Bethel.....	48,457	1,689	75	1,440	7,438	379	326	59,425	18,474	1,693	1,440	8,305	16,719	544	1,296	5,500	1,422	1,440	2,474	0	59,307
Blacksburg.....	18,107	1,127	2,137	0	3,173	416	1,259	25,803	11,784	1,520	0	2,210	2,760	0	710	2,400	1,127	0	2,927	0	25,438
Centennial.....	121,614	3,382	22,883	255	12,520	409	1,923	162,577	22,249	33,399	183	22,737	37,431	967	1,519	20,073	2,813	6,182	13,712	0	161,265
Chester.....	78,903	16,741	24,487	0	6,273	550	0	126,404	26,760	16,728	1,200	32,849	38,266	726	1,704	11,530	1,991	0	5,677	0	137,431
Clover.....	78,881	1,493	7,703	10,027	5,547	339	21,028	124,679	19,100	9,599	10,027	34,361	33,009	653	1,220	9,000	1,465	2,500	4,899	0	125,833
Dutch Fork.....	6,656	0	0	0	0	289	20,049	26,705	15,705	0	0	700	4,474	39	1,344	1,036	400	0	0	0	23,698
Eden Terrace.....	21,774	509	1,067	0	1,513	408	0	24,863	11,850	720	0	4,059	4,430	169	806	1,400	409	0	1,572	0	25,415
Edgewoor.....	21,064	1,053	3,057	0	3,177	267	0	28,351	6,706	1,200	0	3,057	9,258	271	461	3,400	951	0	3,573	0	28,877
Edwards Memorial..	27,109	837	0	0	277	543	0	28,223	11,033	0	597	5,830	4,913	123	922	2,000	194	500	252	0	26,364
Faith.....	19,974	118	0	0	2,712	265	13,738	36,542	7,253	3,799	0	3,401	16,052	175	885	1,020	102	60	2,527	0	35,274
Hickory Grove.....	7,997	606	0	0	960	281	0	9,563	5,447	160	0	0	2,667	73	394	1,603	606	0	960	0	11,910
Hopewell.....	11,543	573	4,995	0	1,645	436	3,439	22,195	3,500	391	0	0	1,728	157	0	1,200	416	0	4,621	2,296	14,309
Lancaster First...	66,061	2,770	0	7,613	12,011	279	0	88,455	0	14,199	0	0	31,037	659	1,522	13,044	2,560	13,150	11,847	5,000	93,018
Neely's Creek.....	90,276	35,836	25,494	0	8,684	350	0	160,290	21,276	18,364	16,430	12,179	28,142	645	1,224	14,292	2,370	15,454	10,944	0	141,320
New Hope.....	2,100	1,100	200	0	720	229	0	4,120	2,085	0	900	0	0	193	0	800	100	0	0	0	4,078
Oak Grove.....	5,927	942	0	0	4,113	549	0	10,982	2,610	0	0	0	4,242	46	209	900	1,443	0	5,403	0	14,853
Oak Ridge.....	23,378	281	9,395	0	1,009	454	0	34,063	7,242	1,356	0	14,825	6,314	213	0	1,900	281	0	709	0	32,840
Pleasant Hill.....	26,601	1,729	11,870	0	2,585	432	24,473	67,258	7,487	1,800	253	57,970	5,505	320	462	5,072	753	0	2,585	0	82,207
Rock Hill First...	90,748	3,298	25,557	0	9,996	321	0	129,599	24,153	19,996	1,769	2,126	30,350	802	1,774	13,671	1,313	500	10,044	0	106,498
Rogers Memorial...	52,827	1,082	2,317	0	3,101	330	0	59,327	15,594	10,293	206	4,063	27,715	376	1,200	5,100	805	3,400	0	0	68,752
Sharon.....	27,672	1,608	318	0	5,562	395	0	35,160	13,406	824	0	0	5,165	463	912	5,125	1,275	2,205	3,018	1,720	34,113
Sherwood Forest...	33,900	345	7,115	0	3,883	201	0	45,243	14,520	4,389	0	7,115	7,850	313	1,202	5,947	345	0	3,883	0	45,564
Shiloh.....	48,442	1,902	4,505	0	5,126	337	233	60,208	17,199	3,720	763	2,280	10,207	1,112	1,300	7,850	736	1,000	4,692	7,000	57,859
Smyrna.....	11,279	479	0	0	1,446	210	14,104	27,308	4,878	300	0	19,034	4,963	84	442	2,640	479	0	1,446	0	34,266
Tirzah.....	32,214	0	0	300	6,076	195	0	38,590	14,950	1,770	0	0	11,959	320	1,378	2,936	446	300	6,076	0	40,135
Union.....	23,629	998	0	0	4,697	240	706	30,030	6,540	0	0	8,950	7,622	282	472	2,700	892	0	4,697	0	32,155
Unity.....	62,131	3,402	22,931	0	6,213	335	4,675	99,352	18,667	5,928	1,955	26,035	25,525	563	1,618	12,339	1,350	0	6,213	0	100,193
Vietnamese Mission	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wando.....	4,233	481	194	0	0	307	16,182	21,090	10,129	0	34	7,177	4,004	0	1,053	1,021	0	0	0	0	23,418
White Oak.....	9,186	1,942	0	0	1,530	550	2,525	15,183	880	1,400	0	9,961	1,663	317	0	1,850	1,867	0	1,246	0	19,184
York.....	36,122	1,723	2,631	0	4,883	412	3,387	48,746	9,668	5,387	0	8,900	8,039	279	929	4,200	1,648	0	6,210	0	45,260
TOTALS.....	$1,144,145	$ 88,728	$184,840	$ 19,700	$130,601	$ 370	$129,047	$1,697,061	$ 364,717	$162,808	$ 35,792	$ 313,014	$ 400,182	$11,212	$ 27,918	$164,549	$ 31,176	$ 47,956	$125,938	$ 16,016	$1,701,278

First Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES									
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP		
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Back Creek, A. C. Bridges	374	0	7	1	4	5	4	369	271	55	6	117	248	8	9	11	8	7	10	76	30	0	120
Boyce Memorial, W. H. Tyson	337	7	6	0	4	5	0	341	255	53	9	124	232	12	9	13	10	0	0	73	0	0	119
Burlington First, E. T. Robinson	288	4	12	8	3	1	0	308	177	25	5	160	324	15	0	0	0	0	0	56	27	0	115
Chalmers Memorial, R. Satterfield, Clerk*	175	1	0	0	4	4	35	133	50	5	1	80	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0
Charlotte First, P. L. Sherrill	90	0	0	0	0	0	4	86	43	2	0	30	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0
Christ Community, J. S. Simmons, Jr.	0	11	3	24	0	0	0	38	12	3	3	22	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coddle Creek, J. C. Wallace, Clerk	286	3	1	0	3	17	1	269	155	25	7	72	132	10	0	6	6	0	9	50	0	0	0
Concord, G. R. Slater	126	1	6	1	1	0	0	133	77	16	1	49	75	5	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	12
Covenant, C. L. Mitchell	153	1	2	3	0	6	1	152	91	18	0	36	71	0	21	0	0	0	0	34	0	0	65
Crais Avenue, C. A. Steele	210	0	1	0	2	2	0	207	148	27	0	68	85	0	19	12	7	0	4	30	30	0	63
Crowders Creek, K. R. Oates, Clerk	279	4	7	3	3	3	0	287	256	33	3	136	195	7	7	8	10	0	0	68	40	0	68
Ebenezer, J. L. Carson	292	0	11	3	4	6	11	285	237	73	7	140	227	15	11	7	7	0	0	65	0	0	0
Elk Shoals, C. E. Linderman	67	2	0	0	1	0	0	68	41	10	2	45	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	30
First Union, B. S. Howell, Jr.	268	3	7	1	1	8	2	268	136	17	2	35	89	6	6	0	0	0	0	102	14	12	29
Garrison Memorial, A. A. Fischer*	81	2	0	0	0	3	6	74	74	3	0	28	7	0	0	2	3	2	0	12	0	0	0
Gastonia First, H. T. Schutte	369	7	19	2	5	4	18	370	327	30	8	200	200	7	7	0	6	4	19	97	0	0	0
Gilead, W. A. Macaulay, Jr.	161	0	2	3	2	1	0	163	116	33	4	60	95	7	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	58
Glenwood, B. E. Murdock	449	4	2	3	3	0	0	455	346	39	5	131	175	15	0	0	0	0	7	60	0	0	84
Huntersville, M. L. Cavin	157	4	5	1	2	1	0	164	136	24	3	57	114	0	15	0	9	4	0	36	0	0	59
Idlewild, R. M. Wallace, Jr.	192	6	16	0	0	8	0	206	182	69	10	92	84	20	7	12	7	4	8	25	0	0	0
Linden, H. N. McElroy, Clerk	292	1	0	0	4	3	0	286	185	24	0	100	169	12	5	3	5	3	0	40	0	30	105
Maupin Avenue, J. R. Blevins	129	1	2	0	1	4	0	127	80	6	2	52	83	0	0	10	0	0	0	20	12	0	0
Mooresville, B. McLendon	208	1	3	0	0	4	0	208	181	11	2	100	107	0	6	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	0
New Amity, W. P. Flemins	125	0	9	0	2	3	0	129	67	15	0	60	66	9	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	38
New Covenant, L. L. Richardson	392	2	6	4	5	8	1	390	203	35	5	237	124	0	10	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	43
New Perth, R. E. Sherer	289	4	6	0	7	2	0	290	225	20	1	102	222	18	12	8	9	5	0	56	50	0	75
New Sterlings, C. E. Linderman	347	10	2	0	1	14	0	344	228	47	5	194	158	16	0	11	6	0	0	43	0	0	87
Pinecrest, C. B. Evans	181	7	5	5	0	7	0	191	181	15	6	105	87	4	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	53
Pissah, R. B. Elliott, Jr.	452	7	8	2	2	9	28	430	396	81	8	229	269	6	10	13	15	8	8	101	0	0	158
Pressly Memorial, R. R. Rary, Clerk*	189	2	5	2	2	8	0	188	90	0	3	40	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0
Prosperity, W. M. Lindley, Clerk**	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew, Z. C. Williams	158	1	6	0	0	3	0	162	129	25	1	56	98	10	4	0	18	0	0	24	0	0	0
Sandy Plains, W. A. Robfosel*	105	1	2	1	4	0	0	105	60	4	1	37	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	47
Statesville First, R. B. Leaptrott	955	12	8	1	11	13	0	952	641	258	16	410	539	25	10	9	7	6	14	113	0	0	147
Stony Point, W. P. Flemins	37	0	0	0	0	1	0	36	28	5	0	20	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabernacle, G. R. Hallman	505	4	4	0	8	12	0	493	425	26	8	290	275	6	10	0	0	0	0	111	125	0	250
Westainster, J. R. Young, Clerk*	28	0	2	0	0	0	1	29	21	4	0	10	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	8,891	113	175	68	89	165	112	8,881	6,270	1,136	134	3,724	4,923	233	178	125	133	43	79	1,568	328	42	1,825

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES											
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Back Creek.....	$ 81,550	$ 9,449	$ 6,972	$ 1,626	$ 7,380	$ 395	$ 6,131	$ 113,108	$ 18,490	$ 17,975	$ 6,153	$ 7,540	$ 23,947	$ 1,558	$ 1,273	$ 12,940	$ 2,866	$ 1,626	$ 6,214	$ 0	$ 100,582
Boyce Memorial....	49,265	1,807	23,425	0	7,368	321	1,162	83,027	11,879	4,395	438	23,425	26,186	552	1,233	8,000	1,369	0	7,368	5,000	89,845
Burlinston First..	58,337	623	0	255	1,875	345	0	61,090	17,864	6,586	166	11,301	11,836	764	1,276	5,300	623	651	1,875	0	58,242
Chalmers Memorial.	15,500	180	0	0	1,633	346	27,574	44,887	11,159	6,176	0	0	12,961	0	640	1,700	180	0	1,632	0	34,448
Charlotte First...	10,057	71	0	0	1,018	259	0	11,146	5,319	0	0	0	4,039	0	384	315	71	0	1,018	0	11,146
Christ Community..	12,687	1,410	100	0	0	1,183	33,510	47,707	24,200	2,265	0	0	10,090	100	1,400	1,000	0	0	0	5,000	44,055
Coddle Creek.....	28,062	312	3,183	687	3,739	232	1,285	37,268	2,686	1,256	0	12,124	5,539	270	967	4,200	312	1,312	2,879	0	31,545
Concord.....	28,732	233	0	0	2,075	403	2,737	33,777	12,886	1,600	0	0	13,505	456	864	3,424	233	350	750	0	34,068
Covenant.....	22,670	10,146	844	240	0	373	11,136	45,036	17,520	1,440	1,150	10,146	7,500	487	1,128	3,720	570	470	0	2,553	46,684
Crais Avenue.....	37,547	823	5,138	0	0	294	2,323	45,831	18,629	6,264	520	8,339	8,344	339	1,251	2,000	114	114	0	0	45,914
Crowders Creek....	79,202	1,088	3,173	5	5,074	346	7,028	95,570	15,937	4,548	0	21,567	29,254	950	864	10,000	1,088	4,600	3,098	404	92,310
Ebenezer.....	64,421	21,400	12,000	15,613	4,971	500	38,000	156,405	18,850	22,950	13,200	50,000	41,898	200	936	2,400	0	0	4,971	0	155,405
Elk Shoals.....	7,003	810	1,206	0	817	240	0	9,836	2,760	240	0	389	1,368	93	265	800	717	0	1,114	1,000	8,746
First Union.....	22,490	735	8,804	0	1,683	248	10,750	44,462	9,803	3,927	437	13,029	9,740	876	0	1,927	644	0	1,501	0	41,884
Garrison Memorial.	18,544	0	2,442	0	0	284	0	20,986	11,939	0	0	1,030	9,119	75	749	1,020	43	0	0	0	23,975
Gastonia First....	146,896	2,519	6,875	39,241	13,010	638	15,570	224,111	25,673	34,259	0	12,500	82,455	450	1,927	17,000	1,338	29,425	10,173	26,000	241,200
Gilead.....	24,598	437	1,793	0	3,120	258	0	29,948	12,914	0	0	15,831	6,177	270	691	2,300	167	0	2,235	0	40,585
Glenwood.....	47,399	1,239	4,616	0	0	154	1,563	54,817	18,597	7,764	0	6,661	14,986	612	1,109	3,648	1,239	0	0	0	54,616
Huntersville.....	28,485	6,090	9,367	0	1,289	333	0	45,231	12,962	4,210	210	10,604	10,121	325	852	4,500	1,115	0	1,289	0	46,188
Idlewild.....	46,312	91	6,791	0	0	292	751	53,945	25,614	9,109	50	9,664	10,616	300	1,000	0	91	0	0	0	56,444
Linden.....	43,456	9,314	13,264	244	2,022	369	1,146	69,446	6,766	10,457	8,620	16,058	12,350	364	1,444	7,000	609	244	2,022	0	65,934
Maupin Avenue.....	27,323	125	3,371	904	2,886	433	148	34,757	11,842	3,997	904	4,926	7,955	129	768	2,000	148	515	2,514	0	35,698
Mooresville.....	54,468	873	0	0	0	306	5,000	60,341	14,971	8,700	0	6,909	17,852	343	960	4,838	803	0	0	0	55,376
New Amity.....	19,143	0	0	0	0	286	0	19,143	11,889	0	160	0	4,104	187	465	2,500	166	0	0	0	19,471
New Covenant.....	47,515	1,046	2,538	1,028	1,695	265	3,377	57,199	17,128	8,817	0	5,848	15,085	281	1,200	5,800	1,046	1,228	0	0	56,433
New Perth.....	61,450	350	0	0	3,572	291	0	65,372	17,860	11,358	0	0	18,766	900	1,248	7,000	2,800	0	3,740	2,000	65,672
New Sterling.....	47,667	1,252	1,554	600	3,497	239	0	54,570	18,353	4,313	250	914	15,556	500	1,344	7,050	1,252	1,670	2,983	800	54,985
Pinecrest.....	38,468	806	26,750	1,821	736	379	898	69,479	15,405	4,181	7,496	26,359	22,997	572	1,453	4,680	848	0	736	0	84,727
Pissah.....	99,891	1,389	40,450	2,500	16,987	407	32,626	193,843	19,040	33,002	154	47,456	28,407	1,020	1,445	15,800	774	2,500	16,788	0	166,386
Pressly Memorial..	10,087	44	14,635	0	1,143	288	0	25,909	5,150	0	0	14,635	5,425	20	488	270	24	0	0	0	26,012
Prosperity.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew.....	27,970	0	0	0	1,832	231	3,189	32,991	14,808	0	0	0	13,581	520	0	2,360	0	0	1,267	0	32,536
Sandy Plains.....	18,230	3,228	13,175	1,292	3,906	664	7,800	47,631	10,790	880	2,267	20,976	6,024	360	840	2,800	960	1,292	2,866	0	50,055
Statesville First.	164,284	0	0	0	0	256	0	164,284	26,883	39,154	3,581	14,244	47,186	2,319	2,500	21,000	1,500	5,800	0	0	164,167
Stony Point.....	6,278	0	0	0	0	224	0	6,278	3,879	200	53	0	3,671	0	140	1,033	100	0	0	0	9,076
Tabernacle.....	133,350	2,273	0	0	12,305	348	0	147,928	16,653	29,717	1,606	0	41,707	2,549	1,931	23,250	2,208	200	12,305	17,000	149,126
Westainster.....	2,820	0	0	0	0	134	5,871	8,691	5,830	440	0	510	0	45	0	100	0	0	0	0	6,925
TOTALS.....	$1,632,157	$ 80,163	$212,466	$ 66,056	$105,633	$ 369	$219,575	$2,316,050	$ 512,928	$290,180	$ 47,415	$ 372,985	$ 600,347	$18,786	$ 35,035	$193,675	$ 26,018	$ 51,997	$ 91,338	$ 59,757	$2,300,461

Florida Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES											
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP				
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Avon Park, J. M. Rogers	199	0	5	0	8	1	0	195	195	10	2	114	138	10	16	0	10	0	7	30	0	0	65
Bartow, G. R. Oates	363	8	8	1	2	11	0	367	318	49	3	188	164	12	11	9	9	8	7	65	35	52	30
Chapel-By-The-Sea, J. Senneker*	251	24	0	22	2	6	7	282	271	35	17	149	121	10	16	11	11	5	6	35	0	0	50
Covenant, (Withdrawn)**	489	0	0	0	0	489	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith, W. A. Frazier	85	4	0	12	0	10	0	91	73	16	3	37	83	15	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	64
Grace, D. G. Flemins*	24	3	4	8	0	0	8	31	31	5	0	14	22	6	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	9	0
Lake Placid, B. E. DeWitt	316	10	32	15	3	4	0	366	357	30	6	149	52	15	0	15	0	0	0	72	0	0	45
Lake Wales, D. M. Rockness	727	9	18	16	15	6	1	748	593	96	24	486	243	35	27	0	50	0	0	125	0	0	96
New Hope, W. R. Bland, Clerk	200	3	4	2	1	17	24	167	68	35	3	57	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	94
Trinity, H. B. Probes	190	8	14	4	5	0	2	209	164	31	7	103	121	23	8	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	51
TOTALS	2,844	69	85	80	36	544	42	2,456	2,070	307	65	1,297	996	126	78	35	80	17	21	390	35	61	495

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Avon Park.....	$ 51,566	$ 4,617	$ 9,966	$ 0	$ 1,845	$ 349	$ 645	$ 68,639	$ 17,682	$ 9,503	$ 862	$ 1,760	$ 21,364	$ 0	$ 1,344	$ 5,500	$ 1,272	$ 1,697	$ 1,854	$ 4,400	$ 67,238
Bartow.....	117,701	31,379	32,588	14,847	8,400	644	470	205,385	23,720	26,393	0	4,920	86,839	77	2,667	19,276	31,379	5,450	8,400	0	209,121
Chapel-By-The-Sea.	65,272	0	15,870	0	0	299	0	81,142	21,129	12,435	0	25,063	13,108	100	0	3,250	0	7,579	0	0	82,664
Covenant.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith.....	42,328	1,281	2,375	122	1,027	646	7,482	54,615	17,887	1,907	3,416	14,060	10,471	232	1,090	1,440	398	2,102	0	5,459	58,462
Grace.....	14,021	175	2,141	651	0	548	11,000	27,988	17,123	0	0	0	6,878	324	1,008	500	141	1,500	0	0	27,474
Lake Placid.....	41,882	3,923	39,595	0	12,490	274	0	97,890	19,052	6,255	4,845	55,209	6,156	178	1,471	6,738	1,312	2,465	5,306	0	108,987
Lake Wales.....	142,335	67,079	47,041	23,760	7,486	485	4,000	291,701	25,255	70,838	59,268	31,155	63,987	143	3,904	20,000	14,000	2,000	6,596	0	297,146
New Hope.....	35,224	0	5,037	0	998	607	0	41,259	18,159	0	0	0	0	0	1,152	250	234	1,980	0	0	21,775
Trinity.....	68,298	1,368	1,200	3,548	2,655	470	1,153	78,222	20,010	10,879	1,743	15,697	18,771	122	1,106	5,400	730	9,422	1,420	0	85,300
TOTALS.....	$ 578,627	$109,822	$155,813	$ 42,928	$ 34,901	$ 457	$ 24,750	$ 946,841	$ 180,017	$138,210	$ 70,134	$ 147,864	$ 227,574	$ 1,176	$ 13,742	$ 62,354	$ 49,466	$ 34,195	$ 23,576	$ 9,859	$ 958,167

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	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethany, A. L. Roberts	110	0	0	0	0	0	59	51	51	0	0	27	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31
Brighton, G. H. Rowell	265	0	3	0	3	0	0	265	163	48	1	97	178	0	11	0	5	8	0	68	30	0	119
Covington, O. N. McCarter	82	1	0	1	0	0	0	84	72	2	3	42	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	13	0	0
Ebenezer, P. E. Smith, Clerk	94	0	1	0	0	0	0	95	45	1	0	24	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Elsberry, A. A. Morrow*	54	1	1	33	0	12	10	67	37	15	0	43	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34
Greenview Heights, J. A. Coad	24	0	6	4	0	2	0	32	31	12	4	15	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	12	39
Havana, J. H. Rassdale, Supply*	24	1	5	2	0	0	0	32	32	0	0	21	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Hickory Springs, W. L. Green, Clerk	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	18	0	0	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hopewell, A. L. Roberts*	62	5	0	2	1	1	0	67	43	6	8	33	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
Lawndale, C. S. Carroll**	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Midlane Park, W. E. Stanchfield	99	2	3	0	2	0	0	102	102	5	1	60	42	22	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0
Mount Zion, J. Coad, III	58	0	0	2	1	0	0	59	37	5	1	17	37	8	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
New Albany, W. B. Everett*	270	2	1	1	5	11	0	258	189	20	1	84	130	12	5	10	6	0	0	41	0	0	62
Parkway Place, J. D. McLurkin*	122	0	1	11	6	3	26	99	95	5	2	63	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	0	15	54
Pottsville, T. G. Morris	183	2	0	0	0	0	2	183	109	19	6	63	104	15	9	8	5	0	0	24	6	0	75
Richland, G. W. Curry	212	2	0	0	0	6	0	208	150	14	3	75	105	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	15	10	0
Rives, C. Crisser, Clerk**	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul, J. R. Wade	127	1	16	2	1	7	16	122	101	45	1	59	94	7	5	8	9	7	4	14	18	0	63
Salem, C. Y. Todd	241	1	1	4	0	3	0	244	209	35	2	98	187	15	8	9	6	6	7	30	25	43	130
Shady Grove, J. H. Daniel, Clerk	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	17	11	0	0	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon, B. E. Hoyt	75	0	1	0	2	0	0	74	40	8	0	16	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Southwest, E. S. Irby	84	3	3	6	1	5	16	74	57	30	6	47	91	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	42
Troy, O. C. Berry, Clerk	55	0	0	0	2	0	1	52	24	3	0	10	20	0	0	0	3	0	0	10	0	0	0
Westminster, R. G. Herrmann	145	0	1	0	1	7	1	137	72	9	0	41	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	18	0	0
Wood Avenue, N. Falls	111	1	1	0	0	3	0	110	57	10	0	43	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	13	33
TOTALS	2,680	22	44	68	26	60	131	2,597	1,745	292	39	995	1,539	79	38	35	34	21	11	430	125	93	730

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Bethany.....	$ 9,581	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 1,034	$ 208	$ 0	$ 10,615	$ 6,000	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 3,144	$ 80	$ 384	$ 500	$ 320	$ 0	$ 2,270	$ 0	$ 12,698
Brighton.....	40,599	3,251	14,195	2,816	9,722	433	0	70,583	10,538	6,678	328	11,465	12,125	1,029	1,166	8,184	2,419	2,825	9,515	13,543	79,815
Covington.....	27,961	5,778	779	0	3,656	530	3,152	41,326	13,496	0	2,749	1,458	9,496	71	806	2,500	3,305	0	3,062	0	36,943
Ebenezer.....	7,003	726	820	0	1,579	225	0	10,128	2,940	0	352	0	2,635	45	0	1,200	329	223	1,228	0	8,952
Elsberry.....	16,483	460	0	0	0	458	0	16,943	6,130	0	400	0	6,810	414	514	900	195	936	0	0	16,299
Greenview Heights.	24,135	265	350	163	1,544	853	17,971	44,428	15,900	635	148	350	6,245	50	1,032	120	117	0	74	18,000	42,671
Havana.....	7,250	95	0	0	1,056	263	0	8,401	4,800	0	396	1,046	2,140	36	0	600	325	0	810	0	10,153
Hickory Springs...	3,027	0	0	0	399	190	100	3,526	1,630	0	0	0	828	223	0	550	0	0	317	0	3,548
Hopewell.....	7,337	0	1,593	0	778	226	0	9,708	3,960	375	0	1,517	2,086	0		317	500	208	0	586	9,549
Lawndale.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Midlane Park.....	31,964	1,587	5,606	514	878	398	281	40,830	15,810	1,200	1,364	5,606	11,101	0	1,152	2,400	223	0	0	0	38,856
Mount Zion.....	14,587	2,037	891	27	2,081	530	3,380	23,003	8,726	410	1,946	4,271	3,072	396	974	630	91	27	2,085	0	22,628
New Albany.....	83,822	4,171	0	0	5,766	496	0	93,759	17,000	11,994	0	29,873	26,641	0	1,600	0	454	5,395	5,766	0	98,723
Parkway Place.....	41,428	2,008	3,434	0	3,056	526	1,548	51,474	15,486	4,796	1,001	10,954	14,461	358	1,152	5,640	1,129	376	1,792	0	57,145
Pottsville.....	26,561	1,013	672	228	3,496	293	2,063	34,033	12,155	0	465	3,525	7,744	324	875	2,750	548	228	2,698	0	31,312
Richland.....	46,979	3,069	1,018	0	6,317	383	0	57,383	19,970	6,632	763	3,508	10,782	441	1,507	5,500	944	0	6,317	0	56,364
Rives.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul.....	45,581	0	18,460	0	629	640	243	64,913	18,243	0	0	31,779	12,889	675	1,396	1,500	0	2,800	629	0	69,911
Salem.....	49,445	3,046	565	7,852	7,113	325	2,977	70,998	19,415	4,250	1,735	0	14,834	816	1,440	9,300	1,408	11,900	5,327	0	70,425
Shady Grove.....	1,316	0	0	0	0	120	0	1,316	750	0	0	188	483	0	81	205	0	0	0	0	1,707
Sharon.....	13,190	857	390	50	1,587	402	0	16,074	11,940	1,020	0	0	4,155	297	995	1,100	600	50	1,186	0	21,343
Southwest.....	33,510	57	2,213	3,554	996	708	0	40,330	17,977	2,157	292	3,149	9,196	60	1,416	600	0	3,554	839	315	39,555
Troy.....	6,780	72	856	240	3,073	459	1,802	12,823	3,600	714	0	856	2,638	0	0	606	72	240	3,073	0	11,799
Westainster.....	42,079	2,013	0	0	2,291	644	3,831	50,214	15,150	5,343	200	0	13,880	390	1,163	6,001	508	1,564	2,198	825	47,222
Wood Avenue.....	20,545	731	0	0	1,114	393	4,705	27,095	14,455	0	72	0	9,555	0	1,094	2,400	659	0	1,050	0	29,285
TOTALS.....	$ 601,163	$ 31,236	$ 51,842	$ 15,444	$ 58,165	$ 458	$ 42,053	$ 799,903	$ 256,071	$ 46,204	$ 12,211	$ 109,545	$ 186,940	$ 5,705	$ 18,747	$ 53,503	$ 14,146	$ 30,326	$ 50,236	$ 33,269	$ 816,903

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Abbeville, M. Steifle, Clerk	64	4	0	0	3	1	0	64	44	2	2	22	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel, O. J. Rundus*	90	0	0	2	3	2	14	73	60	17	3	41	65	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	0	0	37
Bethlehem, T. Jones*	69	0	4	0	1	3	7	62	45	10	0	23	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0
Cannon's Creek, G. L. Pierstorff	65	4	0	0	0	1	0	68	42	12	1	20	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	25
Cedar Springs, H. J. Tuck, Clerk**	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doraville, R. J. Marshburn	775	15	40	10	6	17	26	791	579	29	20	279	291	28	21	12	8	12	6	111	35	0	101
Due West, L. Ware, Clerk*	327	2	12	0	7	3	1	330	289	53	7	197	231	16	7	10	8	0	0	108	20	39	137
Ebenezer, M. L. Garvey	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	30	18	0	10	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
Generostee, L. M. Allison	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	29	3	0	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grace, J. B. Lennon*	52	0	0	1	0	0	11	42	23	0	0	13	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	8	0	0
Greenville, R. E. Beckham	622	10	19	14	5	34	0	626	550	70	10	250	337	15	14	3	13	10	6	114	50	0	131
Greenwood, D. W. Elliott	244	1	26	4	1	4	0	270	265	58	6	110	162	10	0	28	0	0	0	60	0	0	74
Grier Memorial, J. T. Corbitt	110	7	24	2	0	6	2	135	135	25	9	54	118	15	0	19	0	0	0	23	0	0	54
Highlands, S. M. Cain	257	11	41	6	7	15	7	286	204	45	8	169	164	19	0	0	0	0	0	34	35	0	105
Honewell, C. E. Cheatham*	104	0	1	1	1	0	16	89	50	0	0	10	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
Iva, W. E. Kirkpatrick	112	3	1	0	1	0	0	115	82	33	2	63	72	0	7	0	5	0	0	27	0	0	75
Louisville, K. F. Morris	141	3	6	2	2	2	0	148	115	25	3	86	70	15	0	15	5	4	1	36	0	0	68
Lower Long Cane, R. A. King**	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyndon Grove, A. M. Allan	76	1	3	0	2	0	0	78	77	1	0	15	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	12	0	0
McElroy Memorial, C. J. Adams, Clerk**	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Carmel, J. B. McFerrin	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	0	0	4	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newberry, E. L. Bland	274	8	2	1	4	7	0	274	264	32	2	126	175	11	8	4	0	0	2	52	0	0	86
Ora, G. R. Fravel	121	0	0	0	0	7	0	114	114	20	2	63	77	9	0	0	8	0	0	30	22	0	84
Pressly Memorial, R. E. Kelley*	38	0	0	6	0	0	0	44	39	0	0	30	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Providence, W. T. Sherer, III*	124	2	2	0	1	0	3	124	94	14	2	58	81	0	4	6	0	0	0	28	0	14	28
Spartanburg, H. C. White	217	3	4	0	0	2	0	222	137	36	0	93	83	0	0	17	0	0	0	36	0	0	49
Troy, R. A. King	73	0	0	0	1	0	0	72	45	4	1	20	24	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	20	0
Tucker, T. Dishroom, Clerk**	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak, C. W. Wilson	184	3	2	3	2	2	0	188	147	23	8	90	162	17	6	10	6	13	8	34	0	0	65
Woodruff, G. S. Anderson, Clerk	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0	0	8	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wrens, M. L. Garvey	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	50	19	0	31	37	0	0	3	3	0	0	28	0	0	0
Young Memorial, L. T. Richie*	238	2	14	0	0	6	2	246	154	20	4	90	73	11	8	10	10	6	0	46	0	18	52
TOTALS	4,848	79	201	52	47	112	89	4,932	3,687	569	90	1,986	2,506	166	75	140	66	45	26	840	182	91	1,171

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Abbeville.....	$ 11,137	$ 875	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 273	$ 0	$ 12,012	$ 4,455	$ 1,804	$ 500	$ 1,100	$ 1,765	$ 67	$ 195	$ 1,550	$ 375	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 11,811
Bethel.....	22,265	553	1,389	2,145	2,341	478	451	29,144	10,150	500	0	1,323	8,938	97	0	2,800	553	2,189	2,416	0	28,966
Bethlehem.....	13,511	190	0	0	1,632	341	0	15,333	8,625	780	100	675	1,550	47	756	200	90	0	1,625	0	14,448
Cannon's Creek....	18,197	0	775	0	553	465	1,412	20,937	9,932	250	0	5,279	1,358	48	769	800	60	0	244	99	18,839
Cedar Springs.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doraville.....	108,478	5,087	8,356	0	4,371	218	7,095	133,387	24,667	29,208	0	7,184	39,760	694	2,157	18,000	5,087	4,760	4,053	0	135,570
Due West.....	60,623	6,194	7,861	5,210	13,467	323	0	93,355	12,755	14,445	1,428	0	25,597	792	776	12,060	4,304	5,210	13,467	0	90,834
Ebenezer.....	7,120	100	0	0	370	253	0	7,590	4,938	650	310	0	203	36	0	775	75	282	0	0	7,269
Generostee.....	2,696	239	0	0	664	124	2,000	5,599	3,150	0	0	0	400	45	0	850	239	0	0	0	4,684
Grace.....	10,698	508	650	0	0	515	7,102	18,958	12,300	0	189	1,752	3,057	29	0	600	445	0	0	1,002	19,374
Greenville.....	157,673	6,171	44,889	0	11,642	401	74,375	294,750	26,280	40,698	1,924	120,467	49,575	690	1,900	25,248	4,247	5,207	11,642	6,952	294,830
Greenwood.....	57,136	7,871	51,057	362	2,575	449	993	119,994	19,593	10,234	0	63,990	27,638	0	1,392	9,108	1,367	0	4,495	0	137,817
Grier Memorial....	54,416	1,949	25,353	3,108	735	634	76,551	162,112	23,753	4,184	1,179	173,128	11,111	0	1,675	2,100	1,051	6,816	0	0	224,997
Highlands.....	69,487	1,056	3,286	0	16,619	443	0	90,448	19,745	17,083	0	14,218	13,391	431	1,408	6,000	881	0	16,742	0	89,899
Hopewell.....	21,265	0	0	0	2,322	472	0	23,587	13,941	0	0	3,658	3,869	60	931	728	257	1,000	2,322	0	26,766
Iva.....	24,371	185	24,621	0	2,556	631	0	51,733	10,050	1,492	0	27,021	6,931	110	816	2,400	185	300	2,556	0	51,861
Louisville.....	38,172	708	4,411	0	0	376	3,200	46,491	11,200	0	0	10,010	16,851	122	960	5,455	501	0	0	0	45,099
Lower Long Cane...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyndon Grove.....	24,593	92	6,319	0	1,974	428	0	32,978	14,235	2,010	0	6,150	0	87	1,032	1,510	92	0	1,319	0	26,435
McElroy Memorial..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Carmel.....	1,616	149	0	50	0	165	0	1,815	1,200	0	50	0	210	24	0	206	125	0	0	0	1,815
Newberry.....	47,178	1,591	9,345	0	6,557	245	2,568	67,239	16,997	5,755	1,968	7,909	13,588	482	1,056	8,159	1,411	0	5,348	0	62,673
Ora.....	32,067	2,360	0	4,214	7,775	407	5,354	51,770	14,778	2,053	350	2,172	7,700	252	1,021	6,397	2,507	9,197	6,155	0	52,582
Pressly Memorial..	8,308	427	0	0	391	234	0	9,126	2,860	0	0	0	0	38	0	720	427	25	391	0	4,461
Providence.....	30,833	1,080	4,843	0	3,288	426	0	40,044	16,500	0	0	4,843	10,590	214	1,250	4,300	970	0	1,361	0	40,028
Spartanburg.....	35,802	5,348	6,772	450	6,017	397	642	55,031	14,431	11,036	1,560	0	11,558	260	1,296	3,500	1,168	450	5,045	0	50,304
Troy.....	6,295	20	605	0	435	163	0	7,355	2,140	0	1,542	0	4,711	70	0	550	150	0	135	0	9,298
Tucker.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak.....	28,394	576	1,465	135	1,338	217	0	31,908	11,712	2,800	0	2,065	7,657	163	978	2,187	889	0	1,338	0	29,789
Woodruff.....	1,128	190	0	125	0	111	0	1,443	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,200
Wrens.....	11,191	100	550	40	0	238	0	11,881	11,428	0	100	0	0	0	596	600	0	100	0	0	12,824
Young Memorial....	57,872	1,496	250	0	549	391	952	61,119	11,154	13,385	579	5,164	15,093	386	1,193	7,000	734	0	0	4,500	59,188
TOTALS.....	$ 962,522	$ 45,115	$202,797	$ 15,839	$ 88,171	$ 406	$182,695	$1,497,139	$ 334,169	$158,367	$ 11,779	$ 458,108	$ 283,101	$ 5,244	$ 22,157	$123,803	$ 28,190	$ 35,536	$ 80,654	$ 12,553	$1,553,661

Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethel, R. P. Brawley*.....	53	0	0	10	1	0	0	62	45	6	2	29	50	0	0	0	1	4	0	17	0	0	0
Camden, R. P. Brawley.....	111	0	6	0	2	0	0	115	104	20	2	42	87	10	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	20
Cleveland Street, L. C. Draffin.....	106	4	6	0	3	2	0	111	93	6	4	67	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	16	0	0
Fayetteville, J. R. Fee.....	228	2	6	0	4	2	2	228	170	20	6	120	152	0	5	4	0	0	0	26	31	0	60
Hopewell, J. L. Patterson, Clerk.....	27	3	0	0	0	0	0	30	21	1	0	8	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Memorial, J. B. Hayes.....	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	107	56	0	0		20	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
Pressly Memorial, T. L. Owens.....	114	0	1	0	1	0	0	114	54	2	1	45	22	0	0	0	0	4	0	18	0	0	0
Prosperity, Ala., R. P. Brawley*.....	50	1	0	0	1	2	4	44	44	0	0	18	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	6
Prosperity, Tn., C. F. Edgar.....	169	1	0	3	3	5	0	165	100	14	2	50	85	10	10	0	0	0	0	34	0	0	54
TOTALS.....	965	11	19	13	15	11	6	976	687	69	17	379	500	20	15	4	1	8	0	159	47	0	140

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES												
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Bethel.....	$ 13,286	$ 3,151	$ 10	$ 0	$ 3,503	$ 443	$ 2,095	$ 22,045	$ 4,650	$ 300	$ 3,077	$ 10	$ 2,265	$ 50	$ 50	$ 2,125	$ 75	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 12,602
Camden.....	19,522	2,699	4,418	0	2,672	282	0	29,311	7,482	2,268	1,566	4,418	4,909	0	501	3,761	1,133	0	2,672	0	28,710
Cleveland Street..	31,522	1,235	4,907	571	2,502	438	0	40,737	13,646	3,092	2,379	4,920	6,864	50	1,000	1,800	1,806	0	2,149	0	37,706
Fayetteville.....	54,255	5,760	697	1,350	5,357	397	0	67,419	18,670	5,060	0	4,817	17,983	50	1,324	8,286	5,760	1,350	5,531	0	68,831
Hopewell.....	8,838	0	0	0	170	429	0	9,008	5,000	0	1,095	2,285	699	40	65	1,020	164	0	100	0	10,468
Lincoln Memorial..	5,886	0	0	0	245	109	1,578	7,709	5,350	575	0	1,642	0	40	0	200	0	0	0	0	7,807
Pressly Memorial..	12,057	0	0	0	630	235	0	12,687	9,075	0	0	0	2,682	0	0	300	0	0	630	0	12,687
Prosperity.....	6,175	0	0	0	825	159	0	7,000	2,900	675	0	172	948	40	147	1,075	135	133	561	0	6,786
Prosperity.....	21,129	579	0	0	4,148	259	0	25,856	7,650	0	0	0	5,207	50	979	2,766	579	0	2,847	0	20,078
TOTALS.....	$ 172,670	$ 13,424	$ 10,032	$ 1,921	$ 20,052	$ 323	$ 3,673	$ 221,772	$ 74,423	$ 11,970	$ 8,117	$ 18,264	$ 41,557	$ 320	$ 4,066	$ 21,333	$ 9,652	$ 1,483	$ 14,490	$ 0	$ 205,675

Virginia Presbytery	COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									YOUTH FELLOWSHIP						ADULT FELLOWSHIP			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women Of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Ballston Center, R. S. Trieble, Clerk.....	123	4	0	1	0	0	0	128	100	10	3	50	60	0	15	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	146
Broad Creek, J. Smith, Clerk.....	127	0	0	0	3	0	0	124	30	2	0	85	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebenezer, R. S. Miles, Jr.*.....	276	7	1	2	3	1	1	281	198	15	11	76	133	0	6	8	0	0	15	21	0	0	102
Edgemont, W. M. Harris, Jr.....	315	7	0	1	2	3	4	314	226	12	4	154	153	4	10	4	0	0	0	44	0	0	110
Fairlea, T. L. Pritt.....	114	4	0	0	1	4	0	113	94	11	2	46	80	6	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0
Johnson Creek, D. R. Ellis*.....	139	3	3	3	1	0	0	147	68	8	6	42	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	67
Kingsborough, G. J. Gerard.....	50	3	1	2	0	1	0	55	36	36	5	39	65	0	8	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	95
Ladd, M. E. Gilbert*.....	113	1	0	14	0	5	0	123	53	11	1	24	61	0	0	7	6	5	3	17	0	32	53
Lauderdale, R. A. Whitesides.....	527	1	4	1	5	11	0	517	249	60	5	417	199	7	7	12	0	0	0	44	0	0	120
New Lebanon, T. L. Pritt.....	81	2	0	0	1	0	0	82	37	3	1	15	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Old Providence, J. M. Bell, Sr.....	409	12	7	1	3	4	0	422	291	83	14	136	192	16	1	9	0	0	16	46	0	0	95
Spring Valley, J. H. Dixon, Clerk.....	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	5	0	0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
Timber Ridge, C. D. McGuffin, Clerk.....	180	1	0	0	2	3	0	176	77	16	0	39	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0
Wildwurst, H. A. Mays, Clerk.....	69	0	0	0	0	4	0	65	40	10	1	14	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
TOTALS.....	2,529	45	16	25	21	36	6	2,552	1,504	277	53	1,141	1,174	33	47	40	6	5	34	313	0	32	788

	INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES								DISBURSEMENTS TO ALL CAUSES													
	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Ballston Center...	$ 31,951	$ 1,885	$ 0	$ 8,466	$ 1,950	$ 443	$ 1,091	$ 45,343	$ 7,800	$ 1,827	$ 1,340	$ 6,946	$ 15,483	$ 600	$ 288	$ 2,300	$ 545	$ 5,566	$ 1,456	$ 0	$ 44,151
Broad Creek.....	4,226	35	955	0	0	174	116	5,332	2,250	0	0	0	906	325	0	725	35	0	774	0	5,015
Ebenezer.....	22,412	217	1,021	0	2,643	133	411	26,704	17,158	1,233	117	1,367	3,747	403	1,132	1,185	100	0	2,271	0	28,713
Edsemont.....	47,927	1,389	17,800	4,322	4,541	336	9,343	85,322	23,157	9,344	1,212	23,771	12,363	1,300	1,440	4,200	1,069	4,500	4,541	910	87,807
Fairlea.....	18,074	175	0	0	5,573	253	177	23,999	11,245	900	175	2,076	3,846	600	845	2,500	0	0	2,895	0	25,082
Johnson Creek.....	16,342	1,091	0	0	2,103	287	1,169	20,705	8,422	600	213	0	8,552	300	800	800	297	0	681	1,000	21,665
Kingsboroush.....	9,904	1,707	9,986	0	545	615	16,328	38,470	17,251	80	644	17,817	1,001	250	0	550	137	0	341	0	38,071
Ladd.....	8,169	170	0	0	0	157	0	8,339	1,820	0	0	1,011	4,105	520	0	570	170	0	0	0	8,196
Lauderdale.....	41,109	1,109	4,279	0	4,892	206	8,334	59,723	15,813	5,090	730	8,238	18,853	800	1,200	2,500	379	0	1,388	3,862	58,853
New Lebanon.....	8,484	0	1,676	0	676	293	8,072	18,908	4,450	647	0	8,072	3,023	200	230	800	0	0	0	0	17,422
Old Providence....	42,309	8,052	2,370	176	13,636	229	200	66,743	16,995	1,980	4,089	3,500	8,558	2,500	1,152	8,000	2,124	2,454	13,000	0	64,352
Spring Valley.....	254	54	0	0	95	81	112	515	0	0	39	0	261	0	0	105	15	0	95	0	515
Timber Ridge.....	7,895	156	1,121	0	976	132	1,788	11,936	3,250	520	135	0	4,475	250	284	1,000	42	387	763	496	11,602
Wildhurst.....	11,355	327	0	0	991	317	19,401	32,074	2,225	0	0	13,669	14,661	300	639	955	328	0	1,173	0	33,950
TOTALS.....	$ 270,411	$ 16,367	$ 39,208	$ 12,964	$ 38,621	$ 295	$ 66,542	$ 444,113	$ 131,836	$ 22,221	$ 8,694	$ 86,467	$ 99,834	$ 8,348	$ 8,010	$ 26,190	$ 5,241	$ 12,907	$ 29,378	$ 6,268	$ 445,394

RULES OF PROCEDURE

1. The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall meet annually on the second Monday of June at 7:30 o'clock P.M. At the opening service, the retiring Moderator will present a sermon, or if he is a ruling elder, will present an appropriate address. This service will include the celebration of the Lord's Supper and the Constitution of the Synod with prayer. The Synod will then adjourn for the night.

2. All business sessions will be opened with a period of worship.

3. Following the period of worship each morning, the minutes of the preceding day's sessions shall be read for approval. The minutes of the final day's session(s) shall be read for approval immediately prior to the final adjournment.

4. TUESDAY MORNING: (a)The Roll prepared in accordance with the **Rules of Order**will be constituted by the Principal Clerk immediately following the opening period of worship. (b)Unfinished business shall follow the constituting of the roll. (c)After disposition of the unfinished business, the Retiring Moderator shall present to the Synod the Moderator-Elect, who shall present the Vice-Moderator and announce his committees for the current meeting. (d)There shall be a Call for Reports from the boards and committees and for memorials from presbyteries. The reports of the boards, unless there is a request for reading, shall be referred without reading to the appropriate Moderator's Committee. The memorials from presbyteries, after having been read to the General Synod, will be referred to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials. Presbytery reports shall be referred to a Moderator's Committee. The reports of the committees shall be considered by the Synod as a whole, unless referred by the Moderator to a Moderator's Committee. (e)The budget of the General Synod shall be presented for adoption at this first business session of the Meeting of the General Synod. Once adopted, the budget allocations approved therein supersede budget requests included in individual reports, if different.

5. TUESDAY AFTERNOON: Tuesday afternoon shall normally be left open for the meeting of Moderator's Committees.

6. WEDNESDAY MORNING: At 9:30 A.M. the Order of the Day shall be nominations for Moderator. Each nominee for the office shall previously have assured his nominator of his willingness to serve if elected. Nominating speeches and the seconding speeches are to be limited to five minutes, each with only one seconding speech per nomination. Each nominee shall be prepared to make a brief statement (not more than five minutes) to the General Synod immediately following the completion of the nominations which should be an expression of his willingness to serve if elected and his aspirations for the future of the denomination. The floor is open each year for the nomination of teaching or ruling elders.

7. WEDNESDAY EVENING: (a)On Wednesday evening, Fraternal Delegates shall be recognized to be followed by a program sponsored by the Committee on Inter-Church Relations. Presentation of the American Bible Society, The Lord's Day Alliance, and similar organizations approved by Synod, shall be left to the Committee on Inter-Church Relations as to time, place and procedure. (b)At 9:30 P.M., the order of the day will be the election of a Moderator from those nominated in the Morning Session.

8. THURSDAY MORNING: On Thursday morning a Vice-Moderator Elect shall be elected by Synod. The Moderator-Elect shall be allowed to submit a name in nomination.

9. Upon request, boards and committees of the General Synod and the Woman's Synodical Union shall be given program time for special presentations. Additionally, the program will include a memorial service.

10. The hours for the opening of all sessions of the Synod, except for the opening session, shall be designated by the Committee to Plan Synod's Program.

11. The annual meeting shall be concluded by Friday noon.

12. GENERAL: The reports of all boards and standing committees shall be concise, and shall be typewritten, and in triplicate. The reports shall be marked "Official Copy",carefully edited for errors in phraseology, grammar, and spelling; and must be filed with the Bill Clerk prior to the first item of new business. The reports of all

Moderator's Committees shall conform to the above format for reports of boards and committees. When a report is open for consideration, the chairman shall have the right to open and close the discussion, and no member shall speak more than twice nor longer than ten minutes, unless given permission by the Synod. The narrative portion of the report shall be read only as an aid for discussion when needed. Normal procedure will be to read orally only the recommendations of the committee.

13. FRATERNAL DELEGATES from bodies with which we are in mutual fraternal relationship, will be granted seats to the delegate section of our General Synod, non-voting privileges on the floor, and acceptance into Moderator's Committees of their choice, on an advisory basis only.

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Note: Presbytery Representatives are indicated by "(P)," Youth Representatives by "(Y)," Woman's Synodical Union Representatives by "(WSU)." For telephone listings "O" refers to Office and "H" to Home.

Alexander, J. Pressly: 1923 Ferncliff Road, Charlotte, NC 28211. 704-366-4830—Bonclarken (84)

Alexander, John M.: 1407 Florida Ave., Hillcrest, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-3455(O), 704-867-6962(H)—World Witness (83)

Alexander, Mrs. John M.: 1407 Florida Ave., Hillcrest, Gastonia, NC 28952. 704-876-6962—Erskine(84); Bicentennial Anniversary

Amick, Carroll R.: 301 Shareditch Rd., Columbia, SC 29210. 803-772-1624—Lay Ministry (82)

Anderson, Spencer: 1140 Evergreen Cr., Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-328-6286(O), 803-328-1793(H)—Christian Education (83)

Ashburn, James P.: 257 E. Broad St., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-8106(O), 704-873-5965(H)—Foundation (83)

Averyt, Mrs. W. W.: Rt. 2, Box 123, Orrville, AL 36767. 205-996-8536—Theological and Social Concerns (WSU-83)

Baker, Roy: 902 Home Trail, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-864-8689—Lay Ministry (82)

Beckham, Mrs. Roy: 613 Laurel Court, Lancaster, SC 29720. 803-283-2797—Lay Ministry (WSU-83)

Bell, Robert W.: P.O. Box 111, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8538—Stewardship (Y-83)

Bender, Mrs. Michael S.: 314 Pimlico Rd., Greenville, SC 29607. 803-288-5874—Inter-Church Relations (84)

Best, William S.: 2033 Artwood Ln., Rt. 2, Charlotte, NC 28210. 704-525-7568—Historical Concerns (84)

Bigham, John A.: 3205 Michigan, Columbia, SC 29205. 803-256-9084—Director of Lay Ministry; Lay Ministry (Advisory Member); Historical Concerns (82); Bi-Centennial Anniversary

Blumenstein, John: P.O. Box 504, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8934—Minister and His Work (Y-82)

Bostick, Welch M., Jr.: 15 Runnymede Rd., Greenville, SC 29615. 803-232-4641(O), 803-288-8278(H)—Foundation (84)

Boswell, Clarence A.: 150 E. Davidson St., Bartow, FL 33830. 813-533-7117(O), 813-533-5841(H)—Moderator-Elect

Bryson, R. C.: 540 Manning Drive, Charlotte, NC 28209. 704-523-6437—Foundation (83)

Burdette, Aubrey: 10612 N. 26th St., Tampa, FL 33612. 813-971-2574—Foundation (84)

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Cannon, Olin B.: Mimosa Dr., Louisville, GA 30434. 912-625-3032(H), 912-625-7216(O)—Erskine (85)

Carter, Rex: 123 Broadus Ave., Greenville, SC 29601. 803-242-3566(O)—Erskine (87)

Cashion, James T.: 1303 E. Broad St., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-873-6603—Erskine (87)

Cerney, John: 2732 Janellen Dr., Atlanta, GA 30345. 404-636-3626—Bonclarken (83)

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Craig, Miss Florence: 4011 S. Manhattan, Apt. 151, Tampa, FL 33611. 813-839-1032—Ministry to Senior Citizens (84)

Craig, Pat: 508 Picadilly Circle, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-0509(H), 704-864-7787(O)—Erskine (84)

Creel, Miss Teru: Erskine College, Due West, SC 29639—Publications (Y-83)
Dagenhart, Barry: Erskine Seminary, Due West, SC 29639—Theological and Social Concerns (Y-82)
Dale, Miss Jane: Box 637, Camden, AL 36726. 205-682-4538—Bonclarken (82)
Davis, Mrs. Atlee: 540 S. Jackson, Bartow, FL 33830. 813-533-9140—Executive Board (WSU President)
Deaton, W. A.: 1130 Boling Rd., Charlotte, NC 28207. 704-374-5455(O), 704-376-7051(H)—Publications (84)
DeHamer, Janus: 3909 McGregor Dr., Columbia, SC 29206. 803-787-2110—World Witness (82)
Draffin, Mrs. Calvin: 207 Broad St., New Albany, MS 38652. 601-534-8303—Lay Ministry (84)
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Earhart, Robert E.: Rt.1, Box 406, Spottswood, VA 24475. 804-377-2471(H), 703-248-0711(O)—Christian Education (P-82)
Echols, Mrs. Emma: Rt.6, Box 260, Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-324-1769—World Witness (84)
Falls, Robert P.: Rt. 6, Box 983, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-0145(H), 704-864-9971(O)—Erskine (86)
Faulkner, Shannon D.: Rt. 1, Atoka, TN 38004. 901-837-2659(O), 901-837-8431—Dunlap
Fee, Sam D.: 1307 Herring Dr., Covington, TN 38019. 901-476-9605—World Witness (83)
Ferguson, Buddy: Erskine College, Due West, SC 29639—Historical Concerns (Y-82)
Fravel, Bob: Box 181, Spottswood, VA 24475. 804-377-2282—Dunlap
Fravel, Frank E.: 220 W. Frederick, Staunton, VA 24401. 703-885-5774—Erskine (84)
Gettys, James W., Jr.: P.O. Box 354, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8851(O), 803-379-2464(H)—Publications (84)
Gettys, Paul: 237 St. David Dr., W. Columbia, SC 29169. 704-372-2416(O), 803-356-0663(H)—Bi-Centennial Anniversary
Hemp, Dallas: Rt. 1, Middlebrook, VA 24459. 703-886-3080—Stewardship (P-83)
Hendrix, Grady: 8 Pierates Crux, Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464. 803-884-2369(H), 803-792-3953(O)—Erskine (83)
Hicklin, Miss Ann: 825 Lucas, Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-327-5610—Christian Education (84)
Hogan, Ed: One Cleveland St., Greenville, SC 29601. 803-232-8297(O), 803-268-3290(H)—Director, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center; Secretary, Board of Annuities and Relief; Secretary, Board of Stewardship
Huffman, Mrs. F. M.: Brighton, TN 38011. 901-476-6592—Bonclarken (83)
Hunt, Mrs. Frank: Sunset Dr., Lake Wales, FL 33853. 813-676-1131—Dunlap
Hunt, Mrs. John R.: Rt. 10, Box 105, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-225-3614—Theological and Social Concerns (85)
Hunt, John R.: 1310 N. Boulevard, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-225-3614(H), 803-226-2431(O)—Erskine (86)
Johnson, Merwyn S.: Erskine Seminary, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8885(O), 803-379-8193(H)—Theological and Social Concerns (Advisory-82)
Johnston, Ben: One Cleveland St., Greenville, SC 29601. 803-232-8297(O), 803-288-4928(H)—Editor, The ARP
Johnston, Mrs. Joann: 5110 Raintree Lane, Greenville, SC 29615. 803-288-4928—Ministry to Senior Citizens (83)
Junker, David A.: Rt. 10, Gallerie Place, Easley, SC 29640. 803-295-3769(H), 803-295-2500(O)—Ministry to Senior Citizens (85)
Kennedy, Mrs. Barron: 203 Botany Rd., Greenville, SC 29615. 803-244-9487—Ministry to Senior Citizens (84)
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Lauderdale, Mrs. W. C.: P.O. Box 356, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2718—Worship (85)

Leaptrott, Jeff: 400 Heather Lane, Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-6620—Erskine (Y-82)
Lesslie, J. Dixon: Box 231, Fort Mill, SC 29715. 803-324-3190(O). 803-547-5014(H)—Bonclarken (82)
Lesslie, James W.: 13608 Andulusia Ave., Matthews, NC 28105. 704-847-4305—Church Extension (85)
Lesslie, W. Herman: 408 Elizabeth Dr., Greenville, SC 29615. 803-244-5384—Center Facility (82)
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Lewis, Mrs. Richard: 851 Milton Ave., Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-328-0890—Lay Ministry (83)
Long, H. H.: 1374 Rainier Falls Dr. NE, Atlanta, GA 30329. 404-261-2137(O), 404-634-0564(H)—Treasurer, Retirement Plan Fund; Nominations (P-83)
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Lutz, John: 2705 Camp Rotary Rd., Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-854-7473(O), 704-864-7328(H)—Christian Education (85)
Magill, J. Marion: 501 West 120th St., New York NY 10027—Bi-Centennial Anniversary
Mann, Terry: Rt. 1, Box 238A-3, Ft. Meade, FL 33841. 813-537-1089—Worship (84)
Mariner, John E.: One Cleveland St., Greenville, SC 29601. 803-232-8297(O), 803-268-4041(H)—Executive Secretary, World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions
McBride, Mrs. T. B.: P.O. Box 153, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8352—Annuities and Relief (85)
McCalla, Harry: Rt. 2, Atoka, TN 38004. 901-829-4441—Dunlap
McGill, John C.: 703 Hillside Dr., Kings Mountain, NC 28086. 704-739-5278—Erskine (87)
McGill, Katherine: Erskine College, Due West, SC 29639—Inter Church Relations (83)
McGill, Tripp: Erskine College, Due West, SC 29639—Worship (Y-82)
McLennon, Clarence: 717 S. Main, Covington, TN 38019. 901-476-8642—Stewardship (P-85)
McMillen, Roger H., Jr.: P.O. Box 991, New Albany, MS 38652. 601-534-8071—Ecclesiastical Commission (85)
Miller, Mrs. R. G. Jr.: P.O. Box 3114 CRS, Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-366-2128—Worship (82)
Morrison, Mrs. George (Edna): Box 53, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2788—World Witness (86)
Morrison, Mrs. Payton: Rt. 3, Box 135, Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-4755—Worship (82)
Morrow, Miss Ruth: Box 5592, Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-9997—Stewardship (83)
Moss, Joseph R.: P.O. Box 259, York, SC 29745. 803-684-4346(H), 803-684-4238(O)—Erskine (82)
Murdock, Ms. Kathleen: 906 Fifth St., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-4045—Worship (84)
Neely, Jennings F., Sr.: 1121 Mary Dale Ln., Rock Hill, S.C., 29730. 803-327-3132(O), 803-327-2393(H)—Foundation (85)
Nelson, R. Tom, Jr.: P.O. Box 1260, Lake Wales, FL 33853. 813-676-1423(O), 813-676-1338(H)—Ecclesiastical Commission (85)
Newton, Forrest L.: 4374 Glenda Way, Doraville, GA 30360. 404-449-4324—Annuities and Relief (84)
Oates, Mrs. Julia: P.O. Box 120, Pottsville, AR 72858. 501-968-5750—Historical Concerns (85)
Oates, Robert: 7304 H. St., Little Rock, AR 72205. 501-663-8030—Church Extension (83)
Oates, Mrs. T. M.: 1741 Matthew Dr., Rock Hill, SC 29730. 803-366-4437—Lay Ministry (85)

Parkinson, E. B.: 211 E. Seven Oaks Dr., Greenville, SC 29605. 803-242-0154(H), 803-242-1750(O)—Erskine (82)
Parkinson, Gordon: Box 445, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2899—Ministry to Senior Citizens (83)
Parsons, Mrs. John L.: 136 DeSota Ave., Indian Lake Estates, FL 33855. 813-692-1388—Worship (WSU-83)
Patrick, Joe: 507 E. Creswell Ave., Greenwood, SC 29646. 803-271-0928(O), 803-223-3535(H)—Executive Board (82); Bi- Centennial Anniversary
Patrick, William B., Jr.: Suite 212 Greenwood Building, Drawer No. 1207, Greenwood, S.C. 29646. 803-229-2511(O), 803-299-6946(H)—Stewarship (85)
Pearson, Mrs. Charles: 1316 Park Lane, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-9037—Inter-Church Relations (WSU-83)
Pearson, Mrs. Crawford: Box 157, Flat Rock, NC 28731. 704-692-5320—Ministry to Senior Citizens (85)
Pennell, M. M., Jr.: Rt. 2, Box 13, Gray Court, SC 29645. 803-268-8420(O), 803-876-3727(H)—Lay Ministry (84)
Perry, Walter P.: 725 Wren St., Sumter, SC 29150. 803-775-1727—Annuities and Relief (82)
Phillips, D. G., Jr.: 1600 Shady Lane, Columbia, SC 29206. 803-777-8490(O). 803-782-7943(H)—Theological and Social Concerns (84)
Pierce, Gwin A., Jr.: P.O. Box 1656, Spartanburg, SC 29304. 803-583-8334(O), 803-579-2844(H)—Annuities and Relief (84)
Pratt, Logan V.: 2719 Normandy Rd., Charlotte, NC 28209. 704-333-0688(H), 704-372-9000(O)—Foundation (82)
Pressly, Mrs. David: 576 Dogwood Rd., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-873-9073—Church Extension (82)
Pressly, Mrs. John L.: P.O. Box 237, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2307—Erskine (WSU-85)
Pressly, Mrs. W. L.: 514 Dogwood Rd., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-5986—Foundation (85)
Rampey, Charles: 1423 Elam Abode Terrace, Columbia, SC 29210. 803-772-8168—Lay Ministry (84)
Ramsey, Bob: 205 Oak Knoll Terrace, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-224-2261—Lay Ministry (83)
Ramsey, Mike: 205 Oak Knoll Terrace, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-224-2261—Church Extension (Y-82)
Read, William A. Jr.: 760 East Wabash, Bartow, FL 33830. 813-533-3682 —Stewardship (P-85)
Richardson, David O.: 3133 Rosebay Lane, Memphis, TN 38134. 901-388-9339(O), 901-523-6040(H)—ARP Foundation (83)
Richie, Mrs. Harriett: 507 Boulevard, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-224-9392—Publications (85)
Richie, Herman H.: Rt. 1, Box 234, Fairfield, VA 24435. 703-377-2453—Worhsip (82)
Robinson, David: Rt. 1, Box 5, Lake Placid, FL 33852. 813-465-3688(H), 813-465-3445—Erskine (83)
Robinson, R. M.: 5548 Barfield Rd., Memphis, TN 38117. 901-320-2591(O), 901-683-5615(H)—Ecclesiastical Commission (83)
Robinson, Mrs. R. M.: 5548 Barfield Rd., Memphis, TN 38117. 901-683-5615—Nominations (WSU-83)
Robinson, T. Lamar, Jr.: 1926 Kingston Dr., Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-5078—Bonclarken (85)
Salley, Harry G.: 1414 Thor Dr., Columbia, SC 29210. 803-772-8947—Lay Ministry (85)
Sanders, Charles R., Jr.: 129 N. Cedar Dr., Greenwood, SC 29645. 803-229-2571(O), 803-229-5241(H)—Publications (82)
Sanders, Mrs. Frances: 129 N. Cedar Dr., Greenwood, SC 29646. 803-229-5241—Christian Education (84)
Sanderson, Burns: Route 1, Box 1, Uniontown, AL 36786. 205-628-6006—Foundation (85)

Schafer, Mrs. John R.: Box 388, Troutman, NC 28166. 704-528-5745—Lay Ministry (85)
Shannon, Paul: Box 727, New Albany, MS 38652. 601-534-4552(H), 601-534-5861(O)—Dunlap; Nominations (P-82)
Sides, David W.: Rt. 2, Stony Point, NC 28678. 704-585-2503—Bonclarken (86)
Simpson, Martin: 714 Douglas St., Covington, TN 38019. 901-476-9893—Dunlap
Sloan, James P.: 103 Maple St., Clinton, SC 29325. 803-833-2196—Historical Concerns (83)
Smith, J. Geddeth: 2502 Duncan St., Columbia, SC 29205. 803-799-3534—Bi-Centennial Anniversary
Spencer, Mrs. Rachel: 436 Summit Ave., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-5770—Worship (84)
Starnes, P.H.: Rt. 5, Box 158, Lancaster, SC 29720. 803-285-1567(0), 803-285-6522(H)—Stewardship (83)
Steele, Mrs. Palmer: Box 386, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-8374—Christian Education (82)
Stuart, W. H., Jr.: P.O. Box 1378, Bartow, FL 33830. 813-533-4196(O), 813-533-7358(H)—Erskine (82)
Taylor, T. DuRant: P.O. Box 8, Chester, SC 29706. 803-377-4549—Foundation (84), Stewardship (P-84)
Tinkler, W. Phillips: 119 Partridge Rd., Greenwood, SC 29646. 803-227-4190(O), 803-223-5718(H)—Theological and Social Concerns (83)
Todd, Charles B.: Box 398, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-865-4621—Annuities and Relief (84)
Todd, Walter B., Sr: 1644 Kathwood Dr., Columbia, SC 29206. 803-782-1034—Stewardship (82)
Trieble, Robert S.: 90 High Street, Ballson Spa, NY 12020. 518-885-5305(O), 518-885-5545(H)—World Witness (82)
Tysinger, Jim: 2781 Watkins Ave., Doraville, GA 30319. 404-457-2375(H), 404-885-5048(O)—Erskine (85)
Waites, Mrs. T. A.: P.O. Box 4896, Columbia, SC 29240. 803-254-9699—Dunlap
Waites, T. A.: P.O. Box 4896, Columbia, SC 29240. 803-254-9699—Annuities and Relief (82)
Walker, William L.: 611 Woods Dr., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-873-2221(O)—Annuiteis and Relief (83)
Wallace, Terry: P. O. Box 2634, Gastonia, NC 28052. 704-864-5946—Bonclarken (83); Minister and His Work (P)
Ware, Lowry: Star Route, Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2267—Bi-Centennial Anniversary
White, Miss Martha Ann: 271 Winfield Dr., Hillbrook Forest, Spartanburg, SC 29302 (Y-83) 803-579-1655.—Annuities and Relief
Whitten, Nat C.: 4025 Millbranch, Memphis, TN 38116. 901-398-7719—Nominations (Y-82)
Wills, Mrs. Elizabeth T.: P.O. Box 457, Flat Rock, NC 28731. 803-377-7481(O), 704-692-8672(H)—Publications (82)
Woodard, Mrs. Michael (Sara): 1314 Forest Park Dr., Statesville, NC 28677. 704-872-9032—World Witness (85)
Young, J. H.: 1310 N. Boulevard, Anderson, SC 29621. 803-226-2431(O), 803-225-2901(H)—World Witness (86)
Young, E. Reynolds: P.O. Box 447 Due West, SC 29639. 803-379-2817(H), 803-459-2053(O)—World Witness (87)
Younts, Charles R.: 913-914 Healey Bldg., 57 Forsyth St., N.W., Atlanta, Ga 30303. 404-524-8623(O), 404-233-5124(H)— Center Facility (84)

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1985 — William Drum, Mrs. T. B. McBride, Martin Gilbert
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1983 — James P. Ashburn, David O. Richardson, R. C. Bryson
1984 — T. DuRant Taylor, Aubrey Burdette, Welch M. Bostick, Jr.
1985 — Jennings F. Neely, Sr., Mrs. W. L. Pressly, Burns Sanderson
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1982 — R. Marshall Wilson, Miss Jane Dale, Dixon Lesslie
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1984 — Roy E. Beckham, J. Frank Beard, J. Pressly Alexander
1985 — T. Lamar Robinson, Jr.
1986 — David W. Sides
1987 — Dwight L. Pearson
Youth Representative: Elizabeth Lewis (1982)
WSU Representative: Leadership Training Chairman
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1984 — Mrs. Charles Sanders, Jr., Miss Ann Hicklin
1985 — John S. Kimmons, Jr., John Lutz
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Youth Representative: YPCU President
WSU Representative: Youth Chairman
Advisory Members: Erskine College Chaplain, ETS Professor of Christian

Education, Director of Christian Education, Moderator of the General Synod
Chairman: Reverend James R. Fee, 305 N. Lincoln Ave., Fayetteville, TN 37340
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1983 — Robert Oates
1984 — R. J. Robinson
1985 — James W. Lesslie, III
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Youth Representative: Mike Ramsey (1982)
WSU Representative: Witess and Outreach Chairman
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1983 — P. L. Grier, R. B. Elliot, Jr., Miss Alice Love, Grady Hendrix, David Robinson
1984 — W. M. Harris, Jr., J. A. Derrick, Pat Craig, Mrs. John Alexander, Frank E. Fravel
1985 — Mrs. John L. Pressly (WSU), Jim Tysinger, Olin B. Cannon, G. W. Curry, G. H. Smith, Jr.
1986 — Robert P. Falls, Charles A. Steele, John R. Hunt, James R. Fee, Wayne A. Frazier
1987— James T. Cashion, Rex Carter, John C. McGill, Robert M. Wallace, Jr., James D. McLurkin
Youth Representative: Jeff Leaptrott (1982)
Ex-Officio Member: President of Alumni Association
Advisory Members: President, all Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, Secretary, all Deans, delegate from Seminary Faculty, two delegates from the College Faculty, the Chaplain, President and Vice-President of the Student Government Association, President of the Seminary Student Body, the President of the Woman's Synodical Union and the Chairman of its Higher Education Committee, and Moderator of Synod.
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1984 — W. A. Deaton, James W. Gettys, Jr.
1984 — Mrs. Harriett Richie, Lonnie L. Richardson
Youth Representative: Teru Creel (1983)
WSU Representative: Publications Director
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PROCEEDINGS

ERSKINE COLLEGE, DUE WEST, SOUTH CAROLINA

Monday, June 14, 1982
8:00 P.M.

The Bicentennial Anniversary Celebration of the Associate Reformed Church began with the premiere presentation of *Sing a New Song Unto the Lord,* a musical by Alec Wyton with script by Mary Sieber.

Following a prelude by Cortlandt Koonts, William Bruce Ezell, Jr., the President of Erskine College, welcomed delegates and guests to Erskine College. Psalm 100 was sung and the Synod was constituted with prayer by retiring Vice-Moderator G. C. Slater. Paul L. Sherrill, Chairman of the Bicentennial Anniversary Committee, presented Dr. Alec Wyton who directed the premiere performance of *Sing a New Song Unto the Lord.* The complete program of the performance is to be printed in the *Bicentennial Supplement.*

The evening was concluded with the Benediction pronounced by L. P. Kennerly, Chaplain of Erskine College. Delegates and visitors adjourned to the John C. Todd Lobby of the Galloway Physical Activities Center for a reception hosted by President and Mrs. Bruce Ezell.

Tuesday, June 15, 1982
9:00 A.M.

The morning session of the 178th General Synod began with a service of worship in the Due West Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, led by G. C. Slater.

The order of worship was as follows:

Prelude ..... *Crimond* ..... Mueller
Call to Worship
*Song of Praise ..... Psalter No. 379
*Invocation
Prayer of Confession
Reading from Revelations
*Apostles' Creed
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Postlude ..... *Psalm 19* ..... Marcello
*Congregation Standing

J. M. Bell led in prayer to open the business session at Lesesne Auditorium.

The roll was constituted by the Principal Clerk. Results of the presbyteries' votes on the admendments to the *Form of Government* proposed in 1981 were announced.

Having received amendments 4, 5, and 6 to the *Form of Government* from the General Synod, the presbyteries voted on the proposed amendments as follows:

Amendment	# Voting	# Voting Yes For Approval	# Voting No For Disapproval
No. 4	232	231	1
No. 5	237	231	6
No. 6	227	208	19

A motion carried that all items of unfinished business be postponed until that portion of the meeting where they naturally occur.

C. E. Edwards led in prayer for retiring Moderator W. W. Orr who is in the Memorial Hospital at Charlotte, N.C. A motion carried that a telegram be sent as an official communication to Mr. Orr from the Synod, expressing our prayer, concern, and love for him.

Retiring Moderator Orr's address was read by Vice-Moderator G. C. Slater.

MODERATOR'S MESSAGE
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Denomination Bicentennial
June 14-17 1982 Due West, S.C.

Fathers and Brethren:

No moderator has ever been so indebted to others. A heart attack in February demanded an almost total re-allocation of the duties of this office to others. An enormous debt of gratitude is due to many, so many, especially to the Vice Moderator, the Rev. Greg Slater, and to his congregation, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Congregation of Concord, N.C. The response has been instantaneous, cordial, and generous. I am sincerely grateful.

This time of forced idleness has given me time for reading and reflection. My reading shelf has been enriched by lendings and gifts of magazine articles, and books dealing with the history of our denomination, before, during, and after that historic year of 1782. You may be interested in a few items other than church union that were on the minds of our forefathers.

When the Associate and the Reformed met to unite much of the talk out under the trees was of the Revolution. A midnight meeting (May 20, 1775) saw the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence develop. The next month, (June 15, 1775) George Washington was elected Supreme Commander of the Continental Army. People found it hard to believe that he would not accept a salary for his services. Two days later (June 17, 1775) the Battle of Bunker Hill was a moral victory; (March, 1776) Charleston, S.C. established the first independent government; on July 6, 1776 the Declaration of Independence was published in the *Pennsylvania Evening Post,* having been adopted July 4. The Continental Congress resolved the words "United States" were to replace the "United Colonies," (September 9, 1776). In that same year Nathan Hale spoke these famous words, "I regret that I have but one life to give for my country" (September 22, 1776). September 11, 1777 was a black day for the colonists—George Washington was defeated in the Battle of Brandywine. The population of the Colonies is 2,781,000 in

1780. It is October 7, 1780 and the British and the Tories are roundly defeated at the Battle of Kings Mountain, and a few months later (January 17, 1781) General Morgan and the colonist forces inflict heavy losses on the British under Colonel Tarlton. On October 19, 1781, General Cornwallis surrendered at Yorktown, Virginia. The Revolutionary War was virtually over. Time to think of other things. Mr. Webster published his famous blue-back speller. Two bodies of devout Presbyterians with equivalent Scottish backgrounds decide it is time to unite.

Today there is much that passes as "Presbyterian" that is not Presbyterian at all in spite of the use of the name. The name *Presbyterian* has no power in itself to make a well-disciplined and lawful body of a heterogeneous group of congregations that practice permissiveness. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Denomination has for 200 years stood firmly for the disciplines inherent in the best traditions of Presbyterianism. Sheeps clothing has always been easy to come by. Fathers and Brethren, stand tall, our forefathers did not loosen their firm moorings in any time of stress and storm.

The past year has been a unique year in many ways. We shall mention one. Several congregations have sought connectional fellowship with the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. With some the matter is complete, with others some details need yet to be settled, and with still others a mutual inquiry is in progress. We feel convinced this attraction is due to the long and continued even-handed exercise of the best traditions of the Presbyterian form of church government.

I shall read two passages of scripture (Phil. 3:1-10; Acts 1:4-8). The first is that on which my father spoke 100 years ago at the Centennial Celebration. The second is the Lord's command to his disciples on the Mount of Ascension.

In the first passage, Paul commands us to forget certain things, and to remember others. Note the things Paul feels he must lay aside. They were treasured things, matters of rich heritage, concerning occasions of pride. Listen to him:

> "Circumcised on the eighth day,
> of the stock of Israel,
> of the tribe of Benjamin,
>
> An Hebrew of the Hebrews;
> as touching the law a Pharisee;
> concerning zeal . . ., which is in the law, blameless."

When Paul calls for forgetfulness he is not advocating a general amnesia. There are some things Paul will never forget.

Paul will never forget those long years of slavery his people spent in Egypt, nor the leadership of Moses, nor the blood sprinkled on the doorpost that saved the life of Israel's first born; nor will Paul forget Moses on Mt. Sinai and the 10 Commandments he brought down. Though he was not in the Upper Room he well knew what transpired there and would never forget how the Lord changed the Passover into the Lord's Supper. Never again would there be a need for a sacrificial Lamb. A 2000-year-old-hope had happened; the dream had become a reality; the long awaited Messiah had come. Paul is a specially chosen messenger to tell it to all the world! "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with loving kindness and tender mercies; who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy youth is renewed like the ealgle's" (Psalm 103:1-5).

As the surgeon wields his scalpel with utmost care when excising diseased tissue so Paul uses extreme caution in separating things that need to be forgotten from those things which must never be forgotten.

I felt the need of assistance from others regarding what we as a denomination need to forget and what we need to remember. A questionnaire developed beyond all doubt that we need as did Paul to forget everything and all things that produce within us a smug complacency. There is among us a holy discontent with our tendency to pride. Other denominations may be handicapped with hierarchy. Many among us feel we are laden with aristocracy. It may be true. It is possible that some us gave a great deal of care well ahead of time as to our parentage, while others of us were just born. If any of us feel

above others of us we need to do exactly what Paul has done, namely, strip ourselves of all semblance of pride.

Paul did it. Jesus did it. Listen to Paul tell the Philippians:

"Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God but made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men; and being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the Cross" (Phil. 2:5-8).

Jesus said, "Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the Kingdom of heaven."

A second matter was mentioned over and over again and again in the questionnaires. It has to do with things that separate us. One person put it this way, "We as Christians must learn to hold different opinions without holding grudges." Some of us may still be of the opinion that no good thing can come out of Nazareth. Is General Sherman still remembered to the exclusion of others? Is it true that we think all other Seminaries are in Nazareth? Brethren, if any among you so think, consider this: The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church has outrun the ability of one Seminary to meet all its needs. And, if it could, it would not be good. No good college wants its entire Faculty drawn from its own Alumni.

The transfusion of blood, the intermingling of ideas, the various points of view are the very essence of education. Let us in the new Century lay aside all ideas of Aristocracy, and the Provincialism that separates brother from brother. This had to be done in the first century. Peter and Paul demanded that the Gentiles be received without becoming Jewish proselytes. It took some real loving.

Over 80% of the returned questionaires mentioned these two items. Paul was not at the Mt. of Olives when Jesus ascended. But he knew by heart the words Jesus spoke. Jesus first makes certain that the disciples can have NO DOUBT of His resurrection, "he showed himself alive by many infallible proofs, being seen of them 40 days, and speaking of the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God . . . commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me. For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence . . . Ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: And ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth."

Paul understood as did others, and, each according to his ability they went to work. They toiled in season, and out of season, they labored in every land, they loved the Lord and counted no sacrifices too great to make for Him. Many, almost all of that first generation were Martyrs for their faith. Yet, in 3 centuries the Cross of Jesus Christ was on the banner of the Emperor Constantine. Persecution did at least two things:

A. It drew them together in a rich bond of fellowship impossible to describe, and,

B. It concentrated their attention on ESSENTIALS. PERSECUTION today would settle jealousies, and differences...

Paul says: "THIS ONE THING I DO: In absolute obedience to the Lord's command—I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." If this takes me to my death, so be it, I will not deviate, I will not be afraid of what man can do to me; I will tell of the greatness of God in Christ Jesus . . . All other things are as nothing to me.

In Acts 1:18 we read: "Ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you." Jesus knew that at least two things were essential following His Crucifixion.

A. That his disciples be assured beyond any doubt of His Resurrection, He spent 40 days making sure that even Thomas was sure that He, Jesus, was actually, positively alive. And,

B. He knew that the Disciples would never make it without the power of the Holy Spirit. He said, "Ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence." Is it true that the Baptism frightens us? Is it true that our fear of the Holy Spirit has caused us time and again to hide behind locked doors, or to flee Jerusalem in disobedience to the Lord's orders? "Ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not

many days hence."

One of the most popular ministers in the chapel programs at Westminster College was Dr. Samuel Shoemaker of Pittsburgh. The students requested him more times than he could come. Dr. Shoemaker didn't dispense with the Holy Spirit with an annual nod at Pentecost. He taught us there are some rather simple things that have to be learned about the Holy Spirit, namely:

A. The Holy Spirit is not to be feared.

B. There is no power in the spiritual world apart from the Holy Spirit. There is a form of godliness which denies the power thereof. We have all experienced that.

C. It is possible to live as a church member in not only pre-pentecostal days, but pre-resurrection days. It is possible to go along as Thomas did before he was convinced Jesus was alive.

D. The Holy Spirit was given to the church and has never been withdrawn. He is the Lord's agent—a full-fledged person of the Godhead.

Finally,

E. Whoever doubts the power of the Holy Spirit, let him look about. There are clear evidences of His Presence and Power today.

The Rev. Dale Schlafer is one of our Westminster College Alumni. He wrote sometime ago the committee on the minister and his work of Denver Presbytery for information regarding a matter that had been mandated by the General Assembly. The next Sabbath day he was surprised on arriving at the church to find the doors padlocked and armed guards stationed about it. The end of the story is beautiful. His people decided they would not go to court in legal contention. Instead they found a Christian School with an auditorium large enough to accommodate their congregation. Since that time they have been blessed with astonishing growth. The following is copied from his letter:

> "We have just organized our first (daughter) church. It is in Aurora, Colorado, a suburb of Denver. We sent 81 adults, 2 pastors and 5 trained elders. The church is now averaging 170 per week and Peter Wagner, church growth expert, said he could offer no criticism of the process because it was so good. With one behind us, we are looking forward in about 3 years to planting our next church. The interesting thing is that we, as the mother church, have taken less than 6 months to replace the people we sent and are amazed at the 730 in attendance for November, 1981. With a new members' class of 125, we are growing almost too quickly. We continue to meet in a Christian School and at this time, have no plans to move." (meaning to build)

What did our Lord say? *"I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."* Where the Holy Spirit is, there is undefeatable truth, unconditional love, and uncontainable power.

W. W. Orr

Mr. Slater presented Moderator-Elect C. A. Boswell, who was escorted to the podium by his pastor, G. R. Oates. Following the presentation of the Moderator's Shield, Mr. Boswell made personal remarks to the Synod.

The retiring Moderator's Bible was presented to G. C. Slater to convey to Mr. Orr.

Mr. Boswell challenged the Synod as to its task and his own intentions as Moderator, using II Timothy 3:15 as his guideline. G. R. Oates led in prayer for the meeting of Synod.

Members of Mr. Boswell's family were introduced to the Synod.

J. L. Carson was recognized as Vice-Moderator.

The names of delegates expected from other bodies were read and those present were introduced. Delegates from other bodies expected

at this Bicentennial Anniversary are Reverend Carlos Amador, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Mexico; Reverend Alexander Deen Samuel, Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Pakistan; Reverend Don Becksvoort, Christian Reformed Church; Mr. Henry Boss, Presbyterian Church in America and North American Presbyterian Alliance of Reformed Churches; Dr. John Leith, Presbyterian Church, United States, and World Alliance of Reformed Churches; Dr. James Cook, Reformed Church in America; Reverend Robert H. Cox, Reformed Presbyterian Church, Evangelical Synod; Dr. Robert Copeland, Reformed Presbyterian Church in North America; and Miss Mary Thompson and Reverend Harold Pearson, Lord's Day Alliance.

Seminary students, ministers who have joined the denomination since the last meeting of Synod, military chaplains, and other special guests were introduced. Reverend Jack Heinsohn, former General Synod Evangelist, Reverend John LeHeup, Stated Supply at the First Presbyterian Church of Frostproof, Reverend Robert Grigg, Stated Supply at Tirzah, and Reverend David Johnston and Elder David Banks of the Fairmont Presbyterian Church of Sewickley, Pa, were introduced. New ministers introduced were Barry Dagenhart, Guy R. Everson, Robert J. Hamilton, John H. Hopkins, Richard C. Lewis, Jr., Neal R. Mathias, Joe W. O'Cain, Guy Oliver, Stewart J. Rankin, David W. Setzer, Mark S. Shuttleworth, George C. Stulting, Robert P. Taylor, and Robert Washington.

The appointments to the Moderator's Committees were made as previously published.

Vice-Moderator J. L. Carson presented the official program of the 178th General Synod, which was adopted.

The Moderator called for the reports for reference.

Memorials from the Presbyteries were read to the Synod prior to their submission to the Moderator's Committees.

C. F. Edgar, Chairman of the Board of Stewardship, presented the 1983 budget and recognized those churches having met or exceeded the 1981 Voluntary Commitment goal. The list of those recognized is in the body of the Report of the Board of Stewardship. The *Recommended Allocation of Synod's Unrestricted Income for Budget Year 1983* was adopted.

RECOMMENDED ALLOCATION OF SYNOD'S UNRESTRICTED INCOME FOR BUDGET YEAR 1983

The Board of Stewardship has received the submitted budgets of boards and committees and in particular their requests for funds from Synod's unrestricted income. The attached recommended allocation of Synod's projected unrestricted income for 1983 reflects no significant deviations in the percentage of allocations to Synod's major boards, except as noted below:

a. **A.R.P. Center:** The proposed recommended allocation was decreased by $6,714 and made available to meet other needs. The amount decreased

represented the amount previously budgeted as rent which in turn was transferred to the A.R.P. Center Facility Account. It is the consensus of the Board of Stewardship that with funds added to the A.R.P. Center Facility Account in 1982, there is sufficient operating reserve to meet normal contingencies. The release of these funds can be applied to other ministries as noted below. We again express our gratitude to Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Younts for the gift of the Center. The Board of Stewardship has also recommended the listing of the Computer Services under the Center Agency budget.

b. **Church Extension:** The Board granted the full request of the Board of Church Extension, thus moving toward the stated goal of equal allocation of its resources to Church Extension and World Witness. The Board was aware of the request of Synod to equalize the funding in budget year 1983, but felt it was unwise to provide funding in excess of that requested, especially in the light of the requests of other agencies. The Board of Stewardship will continue in its efforts to equalize the allocation between Church Extension and World Witness and then to provide 50 per cent of its available resources to these two agencies. To reach this level it will be necessary to **reduce** the percentage levels of other agencies and ministries, and the Board of Stewardship is hopeful that this can be done without hurting other agencies.

c. **Special Requests:** The Board of Stewardship received the following special requests for the 1983 budget year:

(1) From Erskine College

(a) $7,000.00 to complete funding for the Carson Professorship in Missions.

(b) $8,000.00 to fund ARP ministers to continue their education toward an appropriate terminal degree with an agreement that they will return for at least a set period of time to teach in the Seminary.

(2) From Board of Publications and Emphases Committee for continuation of the Devotional Guide in *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.* The Board of Publications reported that an additional $9,250 would be required for printing and mailing. This amount was added to the request of the Board of Publications on the attached budget.

These special requests were met to the extent possible, with $5,000.00 recommended for each. It is the belief that these agencies can secure the additional funding within the guidelines recommended in the Report of the Board of Stewardship. No additional funds appear available from Synod's unrestricted income for 1983.

The budgets of the individual agencies should be carefully reviewed as a part of the consideration of the General Synod and for its moderator's Committees.

The recommended allocation of funds by the Board of Stewardship is reflected in column 4 of the attached as **1983 Recommended Amount** and is based on the following estimate of income. The **Anticipated Designated Budget Income** is shown as information:

Budgeted Unrestricted Income for 1983	
Voluntary Commitments	$ 878,855
Interest, Miscellaneous Receipts	25,000
A.R.P. Foundation Unrestricted Gift	10,000
Unused Funds from Prior Funds	8,877
	$ 922,732

Allocation of Synod's Unrestricted Income

AGENCY	1982 Approved Allocation	1982 % Of Total	1983 Requested Amount	1983 Recommended Amount	1983 % Of Total	Anticipated Designated Budget Income	1983 Total Budget Income
Annuities and Relief	$	$	$	$	$	$	**$ 237,082**
Board Travel & Expenses	1,500	.18	3,000	3,000	.33	235	
Christmas Benevolent Fund						35,000	
Widow's Benefit Fund						23,847	
Group Insurance Premiums						175,000	
A.R.P. Center					**9.84**		**90,797**
General Operating	85,344	10.08	93,201	86,297			
Computer Services	4,500	.53	4,500	4,500			
A.R.P. Foundation							**8,000**
Board Travel and Expenses	3,000	.35	3,000	3,000	.33		
Special Offering (Capital)						5,000	
Bonclarken							**85,775**
Operating Supplement	54,937	6.49	56,775	56,775	6.15		
Camp Bonclarken	1,000	.12	1,000	1,000	.11		
Special Offering						14,000	
WSU						14,000	
Christian Education							**97,977**
Operating Supplement	60,651	7.16	64,677	64,677	7.01		
Adult Quarterly Subscriptions						19,000	
WSU						7,600	
Conference Registration						3,000	
Other						3,700	
Church Extension							**288,192**
Operating Supplement	184,535	21.80	201,892	201,892	21.88		
Interest						5,000	
WSU						45,000	

Publications		**2.78**			**3.30**		**75,911**
Board Travel and Expenses	1,500		1,500	1,500			
Magazine Supplement & Subscriptions	22,011		35,054	28,986		42,425	
Advertising Income						2,000	
Miscellaneous						1,000	
Direct Support						5,000	
Opportunity Fund						30,000	
Other						1,300	
Erskine College and Seminary							**227,006**
Operating Supplement	135,608	16.02	152,000	147,822	16.02		
Synod Scholarships	19,893	2.35	22,300	21,684	2.35		
A.R.P. Student Union	500	.06	500	500	.05		
WSU						22,000	
Special Offerings						30,000	
Special Request			15,000	5,000	.54		
Executive Board of Synod		**2.91**			**2.92**		**28,355**
Synod Officers							
Moderator of Synod	2,000		2,200	2,200			
Moderator-Elect	500		500	500			
Principal Clerk Hon. & Expenses	2,100		2,310	2,310			
Reading Clerk Honorarium	100		100	100			
Bill Clerk Honorarium	100		100	100			
Treasurer of Synod	10,662		11,728	11,728			
Board Travel and Expenses	1,000		750	750			
Emphasis Committee Travel & Expenses	1,000		1,000	1,000			
Minutes of Synod							
Typesetting	1,827		1,827	1,827			
Printing, Mailing, Misc.	4,600		4,600	4,600			
Plan Book							
Typesetting	307		340	340			
Printing, Mailing, Misc.			1,000	1,000			
Meeting of General Synod	375		450	450		1,450	

Allocation of Synod's Unrestricted Income

AGENCY	1982 Approved Allocation	1982 % Of Total	1983 Requested Amount	1983 Recommended Amount	1983 % Of Total	Anticipated Designated Budget Income	1983 Total Budget Income
Stewardship		.65			.79		7,525
Board Travel and Expenses	3,000		3,450	3,450			
Audit	2,500		3,500	3,500		250	
E.C.F.A Membership			325	325			
World Witness							
Operating Supplement	208,490	24.63	240,848	227,269	24.63		811,734
Interest Income						9,200	
Direct Support						281,630	
General Specials						31,000	
Designated Specials						237,635	
One Great Hour of Sharing						25,000	
Commission & Committees		3.30			3.18		36,100
Ecclesiastical Commission	1,000		1,000	1,000			
Historical Concerns	1,650		2,050	2,050			
Inter-Church Relations	4,250		5,350	5,350			
Lay Ministry	6,600		6,600	6,600		2,000	
Minister and His Work	4,550		5,050	5,050			
Ministry to Senior Citizens	1,750		1,750	1,750			
Nominations	1,800		1,800	1,800			
Theological and Social Concerns	750		750	750			
Worship	5,000		5,000	5,000		4,750	
Bicentennial Anniversary	600						
American Bible Society						5,548	5,548
General Synod Contingency	5,000	.59	5,000	5,300	.57		5,300
TOTAL	$ 846,490	100%	$ 954,527	$ 922,732	100%	$1,082,570	$2,005,302

L. P. Kennerly welcomed the Synod on behalf of Erskine College and made comments concerning further activities of the week.

Following announcements, Synod adopted a motion to adjourn for the afternoon meetings of Moderator's Committees, the second presentation of the Bicentennial music, and Erskine tours.

Tuesday, June 15, 1982
7:00 P.M.

The evening session began with *An Evening with George Beverly Shea,* a special musical worship service featuring Mr. Shea and Mr. John Innes. They were introduced by Vice-Moderator John Carson. At the conclusion of their concert, they were presented with commemorative tokens.

Following a recess, Mr. Boswell introduced W. H. Stuart, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Erskine College, who made the presentation on behalf of Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary. Mr. Stuart called Dr. Bruce Ezell to the podium and Dr. Ezell presented print No. 1 of the Bicentennial Prints to Moderator Boswell. These prints, which were made possible through the National Gallery of Scotland, were also presented to each congregation at registration.

J. D. Lesslie, Chairman of the Board of Bonclarken, introduced Mr. Ronald T. Cannell, the new Director of Bonclarken, who addressed the Synod and invited the Synod to return to Bonclarken in 1983.

J. B. Hendrick, Chairman of the Board of Church Extension, spoke on behalf of Church Extension and introduced L. M. Allison who addressed the Synod with regard to Church Extension.

The Report of the Committee on Historical Concerns was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORICAL CONCERNS

The Committee held its annual meeting on February 23, 1982, with all members present. The meeting was held at the Historical Foundation, Montreat, North Carolina. The Committee is greatful for the hospitality extended. The expanded facilities of the Historical Foundation give evidence for greater service.

The Committee continues to explore ways to aid and encourage the church in collecting, preserving, and communicating her history. The following items are noted for the General Synod:

1. Mrs. Edith Brawley has been appointed "coordinator of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Materials" at the Erskine College Library. A job description for the position is to be prepared by the College Librarian, Mr. John Wilde.
2. The Committee is grateful to the many Associate Reformed Presbyterians who have contributed to the fund to construct the addition to the Historical Foundation. Churches and individuals are encouraged to join the Foundation. The Committee has asked that the Historical Foundation provide it with a copy of the Foundation's annual report.

3. With respect to the 1982 Bicentennial Celebration, the Committee has made plans for the following:
   (a) To video tape selected portions of the 1982 meeting.
   (b) To have official photographs, to include a picture or pictures of delegates.
   (c) To have an exhibit by the Historical Foundation for the Meeting of Synod.
4. Officers elected for July 1, 1981 - June 30, 1982 are:
   Chairman: Mr. William Best
   Vice Chairman: Mrs. Julia Oates
   Secretary: Mr. John Wilde
5. The Committee will meet February 22, 1983, at the ARP Center, Greenville, S.C.

Recommendations

1. That the budget for 1983 be as follows:
   For Historical Foundation, Montreat N.C. $1,250.00
   For Coordination of ARP Materials, Erskine 300.00
   For Committee Travel and Expenses 500.00
2. That Synod direct each Board and Agency of the General Synod to have as an agenda item the investigation and implementation of a records management program for the purpose of preservation of historical documents, and to report actions taken to the next meeting of the General Synod.
3. That Synod request each Presbytery to have as an agenda item at its Fall 1982 Meeting, the investigation and implementation of a records management system for the purpose of the preservation of historical documents and to report action taken back to the General Synod.
4. That Synod request each Presbytery to request that each of its Sessions have as an agenda item the investigation and implementation of a record management program for the purpose of the preservation of historical material and to report actions back to its Presbytery and to Synod.
5. That the Committee on Historical Concerns provide assistance and record management advice to the Boards, Agencies, Presbyterias, and Sessions as they seek to implement a record management program.
6. That local congregations and church members be encouraged to support the Historical Foundation.
7. That other actions of the Committee, as recorded herein, be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,
John A. Bigham, Chairman

The Report of the Committee on Lay Ministry was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF LAY MINISTRY

The Committee met twice during the past year. Programs for the 1982 Adult Bible Conference were reviewed. The mini-workshops sponsored by the Committee in 1981 will be continued at the 1982 Adult Bible Conference. The Committee is making an effort to develop guidelines concerning the Adult Bible Conference director and assistant director: a job description and, in conjunction with the WSU, a budget are being considered for adoption. Guidelines for selection of directors and assistant directors are also under consideration.

The Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That the 1983 assistant director of the Adult Bible Conference be the Reverend Dwight Pearson; that Mr. Pearson be director in 1984 and 1985.
2. That the Director of Lay Ministry be Mr. John Bigham.
3. That the Budget for Lay Ministry be as follows:
   Salary of Director of Lay Ministry $1,200.00
   Expenses of Director 1,000.00

Conference expenses 4,650.00
Committee expenses 1,300.00

4. That October 10, 1982 be Lay Ministry Day throughout Synod.

Carroll R. Amick
Chairman

The Report of the Committee on the Minister and His Work was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK

Synod's Committee on the Minister and His Work was convened by Dr. W. C. Lauderdale at Erskine Theological Seminary on April 13, 1982 with six members present.

Reverend Thomas L. Richie outlined a procedure, in which he has participated, for training Sessions and Pulpit Committees to facilitate their selection of candidates.

Reverend Robert J. Robinson was elected Chairman; Reverend Robert P. Brawley, Vice-Chairman and Glenn H. Burnett, Secretary. Reverend Clyde T. McCants was reappointed representative to the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains & Military Personnel, with term expiring 1985.

The Annual Report of the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains and Military Personnel was reviewed and confirmed (attached). Recognition is given to the following Associate Reformed Presbyterian Ministers currently serving:

MILITARY CHAPLAINS	INSTITUTIONAL CHAPLAINS
Lt. Fred R. Archer	Chaplain Robert W. Ackerman
Major John S. Banks	Chaplain William J. Boyd
LTC James M. Craig	Chaplain Lee P. Kennerly
Capt. Charles W. Echols, Jr.	
Col. Douglas O. Jones	
Cdr. Robert E. Lubke	
Cdr. Charles S. Rimmer	

It was noted that the annual distribution of Tax Guides to Ministers have often been late, delayed at the source. A special effort will be made to rectify this.

Motion passed to interchange among the Presbyteries, through the medium of Dr. Lauderdale's office, the section of the Manuals of Procedure pertaining to this committee's work.

The 1983 budget was adopted to submit to the Board of Stewardship.

Recommendations

1. That each Presbytery provide a copy of the Minister and His Work portion of its Manual of Procedure to Dr. W. C. Lauderdale's office.

2. That this committee be invited to conduct a pilot training program at an early opportunity, in either Catawba, First or Second Presbytery, to assist a Pulpit Committee in preparing to serve, Reverend Thomas Richie to conduct and this committee to underwrite the expense.

3. That the 1983 budget for the Committee be adopted:

Committee Expense	$1,900
Tax Guides	150
Presbyterial Council	3,000
	$5,050

4. That the Rev. Ike Barnett, Associate Director of the Presbyterian Council be given five minutes to speak at the reading of this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert J. Robinson, Chairman

The Presbyterian Council
For Chaplains and Military Personnel
Annual 1981 Report

The Council represents the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the Presbyterian Church US, and the United Presbyterian Church, USA in the matters relating to their chaplains and members serving in the Armed Forces and the Veterans Administration Medical Centers. It is responsible for the procurement, endorsement, ecclesiastical support and supervision of the chaplains. The Council is composed of twenty-seven elected representatives, including the Stated Clerks of each denomination.

On 31 December 1981 there were 229 chaplains serving on Active Duty in the Armed Forces and full-time in the Veterans Administration Medical Centers.

There is a waiting list for Presbyterian chaplains desiring Active Duty in the Army and Air Force, but opportunities are available for those who wish to serve in the Navy. Two years of experience as an ordained minister are required prior to serving on Active Duty; however in the Reserve Corps of the Chaplaincies, a minister may be commissioned immediately upon ordination and serve in the National Guard or Reserve Forces while pastoring a civilian congregation.

In order to strengthen the relationship between chaplains and the denomination, the Council sponsors retreats annually in Europe and the United States and engages in on-site visitation with chaplains and their commands.

The Council expresses appreciation for the denomination support enabling it to provide the best qualified chaplains to minister in the name of the church to the military and veteran community. We solicit the prayers of our church people for the veterans and for the men and women still in uniform.

The Report of the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens was presented with the exception of Recommendation #2 which will be presented at the time of the Dunlap Report. The remainder of the report was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY TO SENIOR CITIZENS

Our committee held two meetings, with six of the nine members being present for both meetings and the other three for one or the other.

Phase I of the Comittee's Work: Ministry in Congregations to Individual Personal and Spiritual Needs.

Our committee has continued to supply material for the "Silver Threads" section of **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** It was decided that, in consultation with the Editor, a change in the format of this material would be sought. It is hoped to present items concerning ministry to, or activities of, senior citizens more as news items rather than under the "Silver Threads" heading.

After hearing complimentary remarks about the material in the little folder sent out to congregations earlier—but complaints that little had been reported in the way of results—it was decided to make another effort, sending copies to the ministers and clerks of Session. Also, a questionnaire was planned to gather information on what is being, or might be done in this ministry, as well as to gain an idea of the number of people who might be involved.

A letter was sent from our committee to each presbytery asking that a presbytery retreat for senior adults, similar to that of the First Presbytery, be considered. One presbytery responded to the letter.

Phase II of the Committee's Work: Providing Housing for the Elderly.

A. Our committee noted that the tri-presbytery Board of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., has met with some disappointment and delay but has the strong belief that, since their project in Gaston County, NC, still has HUD ap-

proval, the promised funding for it will come through within the next few months. That Board also has a promising proposal for another HUD project in Spartanburg, SC. The report of the Board of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., is attached.

B. Our committee is pleased that the Due West Retirement Center is now a part of the ministry of the Second Presbytery to senior citizens. It is also glad to note that the boards of the two projects dealing with housing for the elderly do not consider themselves to be competitors in any sense but rather complementary to each other. Neither board asks the Synod or the presbyteries, as such, to assume any financial responsibility, though voluntary support is needed and appreciated. The ARP Home, Inc., project is to be financed almost entirely by the federal government, though the three presbyteries involved have authorized voluntary offerings to be taken in their churches to provide one-half of one per cent of the cost, as HUD requests. The DWRC project, not being government supported, will require much more generous support, even though the occupants themselves will furnish two-thirds to three-fourths of the initial construction costs (four-fifths to five-sixths of the total building costs when the whole project is completed in later years.). The donations needed are being sought from individuals who wish to help our denomination proceed in this needy endeavor rather than from church bodies, as such. However, a few congregations have voluntarily sent donations. The DWRC Board earnestly requests the interest, prayers, and support of our people. A door of opportunity for our denomination to have such a Center is open at this time if sufficient donations are received to supplement the funds of the prospective occupants. But this opportunity must be seized quickly; otherwise those hoping to enter will have to use their funds now intended for our project to go elsewhere. Then our church might begin another period of years of waiting before another such opportunity occurs. The report of the DWRC is attached.

C. Our committee proposed to the Board of Dunlap a method by which it seems possible to preserve ownership of the Dunlap campus for our denomination, and we hope, enable it to be used as a retirement home in the western areas of our Church. We will give our recommendations at the end of our report but include the preamble here:

> "The committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens sees a need for ministry to senior citizens in the area of a retirement home/center for those who live and have families in the western areas of our denomination. The facilities of the William H. Dunlap Orphanage appear very suitable to this purpose and would provide the opportunity of almost immediate ministry without substantial financial investment.
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> "The committee has taken note of the desire of the Mississippi Valley Presbytery to have such a ministry at Dunlap (see page 440, 1981 Minutes of Synod). Further, the Committee notes that as of the date of its meeting (April 2) the property, while still in the hands of the Dunlap Board, has been offered for sale. If such a ministry is to be seriously considered, action should be taken by the 1982 General Synod to retain this property for this ministry."
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> Since we understand that the Dunlap Board accepted the proposals of this committee, we assume that the Board will present the same idea, with further information and support.

D. Representatives of our Committee met with the Board of Stewardship in January; and three matters came from this meeting for this Committee.

1. In response to our committee's request the Board of Stewardship adopted a motion as follows:

   a. That the Board of Stewardship grant permission for the committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens to receive memorials and bequests for use in its ministry to senior citizens.

   b. That the committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens be allowed to announce this action of the Board of Stewardship.

2. Further, the Board of Stewardship asked that "the committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens be requested to report to Synod on its scope of activities and specifically as it relates to the needs, authorities, relationships, etc., of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., and the Due West Retirement Center."

In response we call attention to the handbook on **Authorities and Duties** as it concerns our committee. Under Authority item (2) reads, "help with the provision of housing and health care for the elderly in some form by our denomination." Item (4) under Duties reads, "To cooperate with efforts connected with our Church to provide housing and/or health care for the elderly by helping with publicity and promotion in all possible ways and to report to the Synod concerning them if they are not Synod-wide projects, having no direct access to the Synod."

Perhaps the "them" and "they" above are somewhat vague, but we understand the reference to be to the word "efforts." The two efforts under way at present are the government supported Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., and the privately supported (and Presbytery connected since March 9, 1982) Due West Retirement Center. If the Dunlap proposal is adopted, that would be another such effort. We imagine most of the questions of the Board of Stewardship was related to the Due West Retirement Center, which at the time of their meeting had no formal connection with our Church. We recognize the questionable nature of our relationship with the DWRC, which was based on its very strong informal connection with our denomination. Now that this connection is formal as well as informal we know of no reason to suppose that the scope of our committee's activities relating to the afforementioned efforts is not covered by the statements of its authorities and duties. If there are questions about specific activities of the committee we will be glad to try to answer them.

3. The Board of Stewardship asked our committee to recommend to the Synod "disposition of the annual income from the Katherine E. Thompson bequest. (Note: In 1971 Synod accepted a bequest from the estate of Miss Katherine E. Thompson to be held in Trust to invest and re-invest the same and to use the interest, income and profits therefrom to aid in building a 'Home for the Elderly' in the ARP denomination. The gift was originally $3,000 but with interest amounts to $6,476.77 as of 1-1-82)". We will present a recommendation on this.

E. Our committee passed along to the proper committee of Synod such requests as we had for the display of exhibits during this meeting.

F. The budget request for the committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens for 1983 is the same as last year's:

Committee Expense	$1250
Printing and Mailing	500
TOTAL	$1750

Recommendations

1. That presbyteries implement retreats for senior adults if possible.
2. Concerning the Dunlap property: **NOTE: Not Adopted. See Dunlap Report.**
   a. That this recommendation by considered in connection with recommendations of the Board of Dunlap.
   b. That the Synod instruct the Board of Dunlap to liquidate and turn over to the Synod the unrestricted property and funds of that Board for use in ministry to senior citizens:
      (1) By buying, either outright or on a term basis, the Dunlap Campus property for use as senior citizens housing if it is feasible to do so through some satisfactorily established board, and
      (2) By designating all possible residual funds for use in providing housing for senior citizens in other areas of our church, with specific allocations from such funds to be the responsibility of the Board of Stewardship, with the aim of total distribution within two years.

3. In view of the urgent need of the Due West Retirement Center for funds for building at this time, we recommend that the accumulated interest in the Katherine E.

Thompson bequest, some $3,500, be given to the Board of that Center for that purpose.
NOTE: Action Deferred. See later action.

4. That the proposed budget for 1983 for the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens be adopted as presented by the Board of Stewardship.

Respectfully submitted,
Gordon Parkinson

Update Report of
The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc.
April 22, 1982

We are currently working on two fronts. One in North Carolina and another in South Carolina.

First, The Belmont Project:

Because of the slow moving machinery of the federal bureaucracy the option in Belmont expired and the owner declined to renew it. This was a serious set-back for us, coming at the very time that HUD was completing their work on our project. In September '81, HUD verbally promised to have the final signatures before the option expired on October 23. Then to assist us in renewing the option, HUD promised to have the final closing before the end of '81. However, all our pleas for an option renewal failed.

We have just completed two months of work on another property in Stanley which was reviewed and approved by HUD. The property was zoned for single family housing. On April 19th, the zoning board denied our request to change the zoning to multi-family housing. Therefore we are currently in a feverish search for suitable property, four to six acres, zoned for multi-family housing, with public utilities on or near the property, in Gaston county, excluding Gastonia. Our 3 million dollar fund reservation for 100 units (apartments) is still in order until September 1982.

Second, The Spartanburg Project:

A committee of the Board of Directors is working toward making an application to HUD for a loan to construct 90 - 100 units (apartments) in Spartanburg. Two sites are available which have been reviewed and approved by HUD. The application is due on June 15th. The full Board is planning to meet in May to review the application and property before submitting it to HUD.

All of the Board members and many senior citizens are disappointed at the slow rate of progress. However, we are "turning every stone" we can in an effort to provide housing in a Christian setting for senior citizens. We appreciate your interest, inquiries, and prayers.

Walter P. Fleming,
Chairman

Report of the Board of Directors
of the Due West Retirement Center

The DWRC made much progress in 1981. Still more has taken place in 1982 to date; and we would like our report to include matters as they are in early May, 1982.

In February, 1982, the Board of Foreign Missions (World Witness) and the Due West Retirement Center reached agreement on a plan for World Witness to secure a permanent lease on one of the Central Complex apartments. This apartment will furnish a place where a single missionary or couple may live after retiring from active service.

In February requests were made for one-time financial assistance for building construction from two funds which might be open to discretionary use by the Synod or First Presbytery: (1) Dunlap funds, either the operating fund or the proceeds of the sale of the unencumbered land and (2) the proceeds from the sale of the property of the First Charlotte church. Although the project is located in Second Presbytery its use is in no wise restricted to people from that presbytery.

On March 9, 1982 the Second Presbytery accepted the offer of the Due West Retire-

ment Center for the Center to become a part of the ministry of Second Presbytery to senior citizens. The Presbytery is to be represented by three members with staggered terms on the DWRC Board of Directors. Synod had earlier indicated that any attempts at housing for the elderly should be made at the presbytery level.

In March the Architects were given instructions to prepare the final construction documents so as to be ready for contract letting in the late summer this year.

A campaign for tax-exempt donations was launched at the end of March. As of June 14 some $288,000 remains to be raised of the $400,000 required to claim the W. H. Stuarts' challenge offer of $100,000 to assure construction beginning this fall. The urgency about this matter lies in the fact that a group of prospective residents has been assembled who are willing—even eager—to put in an amount approximately double the amount of the donations being sought, making possible a $1.5 million facility next summer. Failure to reach our goal and start construction will mean that many of this group will have to withdraw their offer and seek another place. These prospective residents already have on deposit advance payments of nearly $300,000 toward payment for their apartments. They are waiting for us to assure construction of the dining hall, kitchen, driveways, etc., through our campaign for donations.

As for apartments as yet unspoken for there are only two studio apartments left, four one-bedroom and two two-bedroom apartments in the Central complex building. In the Neighborhood Cluster Apartments only one of the initially planned six is unclaimed—though more of these can be added, in groups of three. One individual cottage is planned to date, with a deposit made on a second one to be built in the future.

The Report of the Committee on Worship was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WORSHIP

The Committee on Worship submits the following report of our activities on behalf of the denomination.

Jamie Hunt is serving on behalf of the Worship Committee in developing the daily devotionals that are being published in *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.*

A. C. Bridges continues faithfully to prepare the Psalm/Hymn of the Month which appears in *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.*

The 1981 Bonclarken Music Conference brought 348 participants (74 Adult Choir members, 144 Youth Choir members, 106 Junior Choir members, and 24 Primary Choir members). The 1982 Music Conference will be held 12-16 July 1982. The clinicians will be Dr. Walter Ehret (Adult), Ms. Peggy Barber (Youth), and Mr. Stephen Ortlip (Primary/Junior). Terry Mann of Lake Wales is the conference director.

The committee is developing worship manuals for use by local congregations. The committee is also developing methods of presbyteries establishing worship commitees and workshops on the presbytery level.

Linda Miller has compiled on behalf of this committee a booklet to be used by the church organist. It will be sent to each congregation.

Recommendations

1. That the attached budget for 1982 be approved.
2. That congregations consider using the Psalm/Hymn of the Month as published in *The Associate Reformed Presbyterian* as a means of learning new hymns and psalms.
3. That appreciation be extended to A. C. Bridges for his efforts in preparing the Psalm/Hymn of the Month.
4. That congregations consider using the booklet for the church organist as it will be published and distributed to local congregations as a means of instructing and inspiring the organist as he/she seeks to meet the congregation's musical needs.
5. That appreciation be extended to Linda Miller for her efforts in compiling the booklet for the church organist.
6. That ministers and sessions encourage participation in the Bonclarken Music Con-

ference and that local churches consider paying the expenses of their choir director and/or organist.

7. That appreciation be extended to Terry Mann for his efforts in directing the conference.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Murdock, Chairperson

Budget 1983

Music Conference	
Adult Director	$600
Youth Director	600
Primary/Junior Director	600
Accompanists (3)	600
Recreation Director	100
Recreation Expenses	100
Crafts Director	100
Crafts Expenses	150
Lifeguard	50
Board and Travel for Staff	4,000
Music for Conference	4,000
Underwriting Recording	300
Publicity and Mailing	400
Worship Conference (Erskine Theological Seminary)	400
Committee	
Travel Expenses	800
Miscellaneous	200
TOTAL	$13,000
Supplement from Synod	$ 5,000

The Report of the Treasurer was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF SYNOD'S FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 1981

We are pleased to report that all obligations were paid. Voluntary Commitments including additional contributions and late payments totaled $702,837.39. This represents 99.61% of the total Voluntary Commitments pledged. Four churches did not pay their commitments in full (one less than last year.) Five churches and/or missions did not make contributions.

We are not making a separate report on commitments and payments by individual churches since this data is contained in the statistical report of each presbytery.

A statement of the auditor's opinion and balance sheets will be submitted for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.** A copy of the formal audit will be filed with the Principal Clerk of Synod, a copy has been given to members of the Board of Stewardship, and a copy will be filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The audit includes detailed reports of the transactions of the Treasurer and of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

SPECIAL OFFERINGS AND DESIGNATED CAUSES
RECEIVED 1981—CHURCHES

American Bible Society	$ 5,548.50
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc.	6,922.87
Benevolent Fund	38,657.65
Bonclarken	13,380.86
Erskine Theological Seminary	16,641.63
Erskine College	11,795.68
One Great Hour of Sharing	30,991.39
Opportunity Fund	26,293.09
	$150,231.67

We wish to express our appreciation to everyone for their loyal support and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
W. M. Kennedy, Treasurer

A motion carried to print the address of the Moderator in the Minutes.

The Report of the Moderator's Commitee on A.R.P. Foundation, Inc. was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON A.R.P. FOUNDATION, INC.

The Moderator's Committee on the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc., met at 1:30 p.m., June 15, 1982.

Your committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That the report of the Foundation be printed in the **Minutes of Synod.**
2. That the recommendations of the Board be approved.

REPORT OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A.R.P. FOUNDATION, INC.

The Board of the Foundation met during the year at its regularly scheduled meetings, with the annual meeting being held at the A.R.P. Center, Greenville, S.C. on May 7, 1982.

Officers of the Foundation for 1981-82 were James P. Ashburn, Chairman; R. C. Bryson, Vice-Chairman; and Welch M. Bostick, Jr., was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

At the annual meeting James P. Ashburn was re-elected Chairman; R. C. Bryson was re-elected Vice-Chairman; and Welch M. Bostick, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer.

The Board voted to give the General Synod an unrestricted gift of $11,250 to be applied as a non-designated contribution toward the 1983 denominational budget. The Foundation also voted to distribute $3,000 during 1982 to the Board of Christian Education for the purchase of audio-visual materials for use by the entire denomination. Additionally, $2,000 will be distributed to the Board of Stewardship to assist in funding the R. W. Carson Chair at Erskine Theological Seminary for academic year 1982-1983.

A copy of the Foundation's 1982 and 1983 budget is attached.

Response to Foundation Sunday held March 14, 1982, was encouraging. With about 50 churches reporting, the 1982 offering totals approximately $5,900, a 28% increase over the same point a year ago. All funds received through the special offering become a part of the Foundation's permanent investment.

The Board accepted the resignation of Mr. David Richardson and requested the Committee on Nominations to recommend to the General Synod a replacement. The Board

continues to request that appointees to the Foundation Board be individuals with investment and financial abilities.

In keeping with the authority granted by the General Synod at its last meeting, the Foundation has assumed investment responsibility for substantially all of Synod's endowment-type funds. During the year, the Foundation's Board and its investment committee have worked diligently with Synod's Treasurer and others in effecting the transfer of these funds to the Foundation. The Foundation is now investing funds of World Witness, The Widow's Benefit Fund, the denominational permanent funds, and the Dunlap Home funds.

The Foundation's permanent funds are as reflected on the attached schedule. The investment return for the past year has exceeded 11%.

The Board has voted to amend its Bylaws to provide a standing committee on Foundation Development. Activities of this committee will include publicity of Foundation activities and developmental work.

The Foundation's Board will meet on January 28, 1983, April 15, 1983, and October 28, 1983.

The Board expresses appreciation to Logan V. Pratt, Gerald J. Gerard, and W. C. Halliday, retiring members of the Board, for their faithful service to the Board.

Recommendations

1. That March 13, 1983 be designated as Foundation Day and that the church calendar be so marked.
2. That appointments to the Board be of individuals with investment and financial background.
3. That all other activities of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,
James P. Ashburn, Chairman

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
Widow's Benefit Funds Wasting Trust
December 31, 1981

Assets at Beginning of Year		$194,732.03
Interest Earned		20,202.80
		$214,934.83
LESS: Payments to Widows	$24,284.94	
Trust Expenses	1,472.77	(25,757.71)
Assets at End of Year		$189,177.12

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ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
BUDGET

Income	1982	1983
Allocation from Synod	$ 3,000	$ 3,000
Special Offering for Capital Purposes	5,000	8,000
Interest on Investments	17,000	22,500
	$25,000	$33,500
Expenditures		
Commission to Fiscal Agent	$ 1,000	$ 3,000
Board Travel and Expense	3,000	4,000
Brochures and Promotion	1,000	2,250
Benevolence		
Unrestricted Gift to Synod	10,000	11,250
Addition to Principal	5,000	8,000
Reserve for Other Benevolences	5,500	5,000
Special Services To Foundation	-	-
	$25,000	$33,500

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION, INC.
Summary of Transactions
Foundation Account

Cumulative Gifts to January 1, 1981	$170,301.22
Gifts—Current Year	8,331.47
Total Gifts To December 31, 1981	$178,632.69
Cumulative Cash Balance (Income)	10,056.71
Total Gifts and Cash	$188,689.40
NCNB Turst A/C Balances:	
Income Cash	$ 56.70
Principal Cash	592.79
Investments—At Cost	188,039.91
Total Assets	$188,689.40
Income	
Interest	$ 13,781.99
Dividends and Collective Funds	6,889.64
Total Income	$ 20,671.63
Expenses	
Distributions	$ 10,000
Custodial Fees	200.00
Board Meeting Expense	3,136.53
Promotion	—
Total Expenses	$ 13,336.53
Cash Balance for Year	$ 7,335.10
Prior Year Accumulated Income	2,721.61
Total Income Cash	$ 10,056.71

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Bonclarken was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON BONCLARKEN

Recommendations:

1. That the General Synod request the Nominating Committee to consider a more equitable distribution of Bonclarken Board members among the seven presbyteries. (We note that on the basis of Nominating Committee Report at this meeting, three presbyteries will not be represented and four members will be from one city.)

2. That the report of the Board of Trustees of Bonclarken Assembly Grounds, Inc. be adopted, including the five recommendations. (We note with reference to Recommendation 1, that the last Lord's Day in January, 1983, is January 30, a fifth Sunday.)

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BONCLARKEN ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INC.

The Trustees of Bonclarken report to the One Hundred Seventy-eighth meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as follows.

Synod annual meeting as the opening of Bonclarken season has been missed this year. We sincerely invite the resumption of this tradition in 1983.

We offer thanks to the leadership of all the various conferences, workshops, camps and retreats for their contribution to the success of our conference ministry. We further solicit your prayers and efforts in this endeavor.

The financial and statistical report derived through implementation of the accounting procedures system designed by Pannell Kerr Forster has pointed to the desirability of continuing denominational activities during a much extended season. Non-denominational revenues account for an extremely high ratio of revenue. Synod, Woman's Synodical Union, Supplemental Offerings and Love Gifts continue to keep Bonclarken in operation. Again thanks to Mr. J. Kolb Stuart for this tool as it guides us toward continuing success, in both programs and finances.

R. Dale Sherrill took up the duties of Maintenance Supervisor in June, 1981. He resides at Bonclarken with his wife and two daughters. Ronald T. Cannell accepted the Director's position, arriving in October, 1981. He and his wife reside at Bonclarken in Terrace I apartment. Mrs. Joan Wright was named as Administrative Assistant after the resignation of Mr. Joseph Marston. She is handling accounting responsibilities. In-house food service has been reinstated.

Traditional conferences are again planned for this season. These include Camp Joy for Exceptional Youth, Adult Conference, Music Conference, and Youth Conferences.

Camp Bonclarken for Boys and Girls ages 8-12 is again sponsored by the Bonclarken Board.

Numerous improvements have been made. Apartments Terrace II, Lakeview I and II are available year round having had permanent heat installed. Terrace I has been remodeled into permanent residence for the director and his wife. The Chapel has had new heaters installed and a complete new roof. The Hotel has extensive porch roof repairs. Camp bath house up-grading has been accomplished through donation from the Y.P.C.U.

The trustees express gratitude to the General Synod, Synodical Union, and numerous other groups and individuals for support to the conference ministry with interest, prayer, effort and gifts during this year.

Relative to the Bonclarken operational review (1980 "Report of Moderator's Committee", **Minutes of Synod,** p. 228, the Board submits:

A. The full Accounting and Statistical report is enclosed with this report. **(Note: Submitted to General Synod but not presented herein.)**

B. The timely information derived is of great value and importance.

C. The implementation to date has been influenced by personnel changes and will become more complete as time goes on.

D. The obvious value can be more completely documented at the next annual meeting of Synod.

The Trustees recommend the following:

1. That Bonclarken Day Offering for Operating Budget Supplement be received on the last Lord's Day in January, 1983.
2. That increased support be given to all conferences, camps and retreats by all congregations and pastors through prayer, publicity and attendance.
3. That the agencies of the General Synod responsible for programming at Bonclarken investigate opportunities for additional new and innovative activities throughout the year.
4. That the membership join in prayer for our faithful stewardship to the ministry of the conference center.
5. That if it please the court the 1983 General Synod resume the custom of meeting at Bonclarken.

The Financial and Statistical Report is attached to the official copy of this report. **(See Appendix.)**

Respectfully submitted,
J. Dixon Lesslie, Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on the Executive Board was presented.

A motion carried to adjourn and J. H. Boyce pronounced the Benediction.

Wednesday, June 16, 1982
9:00 A.M.

The morning worship was led by W. H. Blair on the subject of *The Church Becomes a Fellowship.*

W. A. Macaulay introduced two fraternal delegates who brought fraternal greetings to the Synod—The Rev. M. Don Becksvoort of the Christian Reformed Church and Dr. James Cook of the Reformed Churches in America.

The minutes of Monday's and Tuesday's sessions were presented and adopted.

The floor was opened for nomination for the office of Moderator.

C. E. Edwards nominated R. J. Marshburn and G. F. Johnson seconded the nomination. There were no other nominations and a motion carried that Mr. Marshburn be elected by acclamation. Mr. Marshburn was escorted to the podium and addressed the Synod.

The Bicentennial Committee report was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

Fathers and Brethren

It has been a blessing to us to give the Bicentennial Synod a "Celebration" turn

(a) By Praise: Our *Sing a New Song Unto the Lord.*

(b) By Books: *Set of Six* history books that relate our past, evaluate our present, and elevate us to the challenge of the century that lies ahead.

(c) By Fellowship: At one of our historic sites, Erskine. Our feet stood where the feet of our forebears trod, move we forward to serve our God. "Faith of our Fathers" alive anew in us.

But our task does not end with the close of this Synod. "We've a Song to be sung" to

and by all A.R.P.'s, by all Christian people, and to all the world. So we go forth from here singing a new song, proudly relating our history, and making future history brighter with the light of Jesus. Rejoicing! Praying! Saying "it has been good for brethren to dwell together in unity."

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That we thank all who have contributed to these celebration days.
2. That this committee follow through on plans to assist Presbyteries and local areas to come to know "Our New Song."
3. That this committee complete the editing and distribution of the "Set of Six" books.
4. That this committee continue to be available to help Presbyteries and local areas in their Bicentennial plans.
5. That Geddeth Smith or a committee member be given 5 minutes to speak on these matters.
6. That $600 be placed in the '83 budget for the expenses of this committee.
7. Full financial details relative to the various items of Bicentennial Celebration be part of our report to the 1983 Synod. As intimated above, there are several projects not completed as yet.

Paul Sherrill, Chairman

A special round of applause was given to Chairman Paul L. Sherrill. Mr. Sherrill addressed the Synod with regard to the afternoon activities. A round of applause was given to the entire Committee.

The Report of the Special Committee to meet with the Presbyterian Church in America was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO MEET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE P.C.A.

This special committee was appointed after the 1981 General Synod adopted a resolution from its Ecclesiastical Commission "that Synod instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee for the purpose of strongly protesting and commencing dialogue with the Presbyterian Church in America concerning the action of Covenant Presbytery, and report back their findings and recommendations to Synod." (1981 **Minutes of Synod**, Page 484)

The need for such dialogue was brought about after Lawndale ARP Church renounced the jurisdiction of Mississippi Valley Presbytery, disregarding the specific constitutional provisions for withdrawal, and Covenant Presbytery (PCA) received Lawndale as a member despite protests from Mississippi Valley Presbytery.

A meeting of the special committee with the PCA Subcommittee on Interchurch Relations took place on the afternoon of January 12, 1982, in Synodical Hall at Bonclarken.

Representing the ARP Church were Dr. Grady Oates, Chairman of the Special Committee; Dr. Will W. Orr, Moderator of Synod; and Committee members Rev. John Carson, Rev. Webster Curry, Rev. Robert Elliott, Jr., Ben Johnston, Harry McCalla, R. M. Robinson, Jr., and Dodd Vernon.

Representing the PCA were Dr. G. Aiken Taylor, Chairman of the Subcommittee; Dr. Morton H. Smith, Stated Clerk of the General Assembly; and Rev. Richard Adelman, Charles Ambler, Donald Boerema, Rev. John C. Neville, Jr., and Rev. John G. Thompson.

While the two Chairmen acted as chief spokesmen, nearly all of those present joined in the discussion which lasted about two hours. Relationships were cordial.

Dr. Taylor said his delegation came to the meeting with no agenda or statement but with a unanimous feeling of deep respect for the witness of the ARP Church. (However, one member of the delegation, Mr. Thompson, later voted against asking the PCA

General Assembly to reaffirm its commitment to fraternal relations with the ARP Church.)

Dr. Taylor made a plea for understanding, saying PCA members are wary of central authority, the churches are still in the process of beginning to function together and PCA presbyteries in a sense act on their own. He offered "not an apology but an explanation."

Dr. Oates said the ARP Church has gotten the impression that its Standards are not respected. He said the Committee wanted to be assured of the PCA's respect for the Standards of the ARP Church, as a basis of our fraternal relations. The question was raised whether the PCA would rather offend our denomination than one of its own presbyteries.

After caucusing for about 20 minutes, the PCA delegation said that, without committing its General Assembly, in its report to the 1982 General Assembly the Committee would make four requests:

"1. The Committee will ask the General Assembly to recognize that it is possible for Christians and for judicatories tosay and do things that offend other Christian brethren, and to acknowledge that offenses against Christian brethren do occur and have occurred that affect the testimnony of the church before the watching world.
2. The Committee will ask the Assembly to reaffirm its commitment to fraternal relations with the ARP Church.
3. The Committee will ask the Assembly to make a determination about standards of comity in relation to other denominations, together with procedures for receiving and dismissing churches.
4. The Committee will ask the Assembly to overture the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council (NAPARC) to make a similar study."

The PCA delegation indicated a definite interest in continuing this dialogue and asked for another meeting after its 1982 General Assembly and our 1982 General Synod.

This Moderator's Special Committee recommends complying with the PCA request that we meet again, and the Special Committee asks Synod to continue the Committee's existence for one more year.

Respectfully submitted,
Ben Johnston, Secretary

The Moderator's Committee report on the Executive Board was reopened. A motion carried that the report with the exception of items 5, 6, and 7 of the Report of the Executive Board be adopted.

A motion was made to amend item #5 of the Executive Board Report as follows:

> Move to amend Manual of Authorities and Duties (Duty #1) to read following the word delegates ". . ., except for interim appointments made by the Inter-Church Relations Committee,".
>
> Move to amend Manual of Authorities and Duties (Duty #2) to read following the word observers ". . ., except for interim appointments made by the Inter-Church Relations Committee,".

A motion to delete item #6 of the Executive Board was presented. The motion carried.

A motion to adopt item #7 of the Executive Board Recommendations was presented. A substitute motion carried to resubmit to the Executive Board the sentence referring to Moderator's Committee for

report to Synod in 1983. Item #7 as altered was adopted. The Report of the Moderator's Committee as a whole was adopted .

MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Moderator's Committee on the Executive Board met at the appointed time. The meeting was opened with prayer.

The report of the Executive Board and Attachment A (Emphasis for 1982) were considered. We recommend the adoption of the report, including the twelve (12) recommendations on page 2. **(Amended)**

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE BOARD OF SYNOD

The Executive Board of Synod held two regular meetings since the last meeting of the General Synod. This report reflects the activity of the board in these meetings.

Referrals by the Executive Board

1. **To the Board of Christian Education.** The recommendation of the Committee on Theological and Social Concerns, as adopted by Synod, "That Synod emphasize and implement means for teaching and preaching in such a way that our people, especially the young, be instilled with basic scriptural norms to help in withstanding the peculiar stresses and temptations of the day, including the avoidance of sexual immorality and abortion." (August 7, 1981.)
2. **To the Board of Stewardship.** The initiation of consideration of a procedure for a unified effort of promotion and a deferred gifts program for agencies of the Synod. (August 7, 1981.)
3. **To the Committee on Nominations.**
   (a) The resignation of Joseph R. Moss from the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, authorizing the Committee to replace Mr. Moss whose term expires June 30, 1982. (August 7, 1981.)
   (b) The resignation of the Parliamentarian to become effective July 1, 1982, his replacement to be through the normal nominating process. (April 29, 1982.)
   (c) The resignation of Rex Carter from the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, his replacement to be through the normal nominating process. (April 29, 1982.)
4. **To the Board of Dunlap.** A request that the Dunlap Board make a study of the funds over which it has control, and make recommendations to the General Synod as to the use of those funds. (April 29, 1982.)
5. **To the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens.** The request of the Due West Retirement Center for funds from Dunlap, for report to the General Synod. (April 29, 1982.)

Actions by the Executive Board

1. Adopted a motion to send a fraternal delegate for the entire meeting of the General Assembly of the PCUS in 1982 and directed the Principal Clerk to communicate to the Principal Clerk of the PCUS our appreciation for the invitation to send an ecumenical participant along with the principle established by the General Synod of 1981 with regard to ecumenical participants (See **Minutes of Synod**, 1981, p. 442.)
2. Directed the Principal Clerk to formulate special greetings for the Bicentennial year. These greetings were approved at the meeting on April 29, 1982, to be made available to fraternal delegates.
3. At the request of the Moderator, the special committee to meet with the PCA was confirmed.
4. Adopted a motion to recommed to Synod that the General Synod adopt the method of election of fraternal delegates using the procedures previously printed in the **Manual of Authorities and Duties**, i.e., through the Committee on Nominations.
5. In the absence of instructions to the presbyteries on voting procedures for two of the three amendments to the **Form of Government**, instruction was given for the vote to be "Yea" or "Nay" on the amendments.

6. Approved for recommendation to Synod the establishment of a committee of the Executive Board authorized to consider and act on appeals for support of international crises; and that funding for any approved appeal be through a special offering.
7. Authorized appropriate recognition of Mr. W. H. Stuart, Sr., at the 1982 meeting of Synod and appointed C. H. Carlisle, Bruce Ezell and Gordon Parkinson as a special committee to handle the matter.
8. Adopted a motion to suspend Synod's Rules of Procedure in order to carry out the proposed program of the Bicentennial Synod.
9. Declared May 26, 1982 as a day of prayer and fasting for the 1982 General Synod meeting.
10. In noting the approval by the special committee to plan the 1982 Synod meeting for the striking of 1,000 commerative tokens, authorized 200 additional tokens for use of World Witness outside the United States.
11. Approved recommended changes to the Rules of Procedure for recommendation to Synod.
12. Adopted a motion to request a continuance of the matter of greater continuity of the moderatorship.
13. Adopted a motion to recommend to Synod that the Moderator-Elect be included as an advisory member to all boards and committees.
14. Adopted the "Emphases for 1983" for recommendation to Synod.
15. Adopted a motion to recommend to Synod the proposed revised boundaries of Catawba and Second Presbyteries as submitted by those Presbyteries.
16. Authorized the Principal Clerk and Center Director to prepare an article for the Bicentennial Supplement.
17. Adopted the budgets of the Executive Board and the A.R.P. Center for submission to Synod.
18. Approved the following meeting dates for 1983:
March 3, 1983 - 10:00 A.M., Center
August 4, 1983 - 10:00 A.M., Bonclarken

Recommendations

1. That the "Emphases for 1983" as attached be adopted.
2. That January 1983 be declared to be a month of prayer.
3. That the monthly emphases be carried out in the following ways:
(a) Monthly articles in **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian**.
(b) Daily devotions in the Devotional Guide, if printed, complimenting the monthly emphasis.
(c) Pastors be requested to devote at least one worship service each month to Synod's emphases.
(d) Each church be requested to appoint a committee on emphasis in November 1982 to plan and carry out the 1983 emphases. This committee should consist of the pastor, chairmen of session standing committees, president of the Women of the Church and chairman of the Board of Deacons.
4. That the denominational Bible study for 1985 be the Gospel of Matthew.
5. That the **Manual of Authorities and Duties**, Committee on Inter-Church Relations, be changed as follows:
(a) Duty No. 1 be changed to read:
1. To present to the Committee on Nominations names for consideration as delegates to the North American Council of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches, the Lord's Day Alliance, The American Bible Society, Pan Presbyterian Conference, and the Reformed Ecumenical Synod; to present to the Committee on Nominations names for consideration for nomination as observers (delegate upon approval of membership) to the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council; and to receive and review reports from these bodies as well as from the delegates sent to them and disseminate information from these reports through the denominational magazine. **(Amended.)**

(b) Duty No. 2 be changed to read:

2. To present to the Committee on Nominations names for consideration for nomination for fraternal delegates for assignment during the following calendar year . . . **(Amended)**

6. That the Executive Board of Synod establish a committee of the Executive Board authorized to consider and act on appeals for support of international crises, and that funding for any approved appeal be through a special offering. **(Not Adopted)**

7. That the Rules of Procedures be amended as follows: **(Amended)**

(a) Item No.1, Change to read:

1. The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall meet annually on the second Monday of June at 7:30 P.M. At the opening service the retiring moderator will present a sermon, or if he is a ruling elder, will present an appropriate address, and will constitute the Synod with prayer. The service will include the celebration of the Lord's Supper and an appropriate memorial to deceased ruling elders and ministers. The Synod will then adjourn for the night.

(b) Item No.9, Change to read:

9. Boards and committees of the General Synod, presbyteries, and/or the Woman's Synodical Union desiring program time for promotional purposes shall make their requests to the committee appointed to plan Synod's program. It will be the normal practice to provide promotional time as requested.

(c) Item No.12, Change to read:

12. GENERAL: The General Synod will consider only those matters properly presented. One copy of the reports of boards, committees, and commissions of the General Synod and memorials of presbyteries shall be submitted for preparation to be distributed to those entitled to sit as members of the court at least one month prior to the meeting of Synod. Official copies of the reports and memorials and the reports of presbyteries must be submitted in triplicate to the Bill Clerk of Synod not later than the "Call for Reports and References." The official copies must be marked official and signed by the chairman, secretary, clerk or president.

Reports of boards, committees, and commissions and memorials of presbyteries which are not submitted for distribution referenced above, will be considered by the court only if approved by a two-third majority vote.

Moderator's Committees will consider only those items referred by the court. **(Recommitted)**

When reports are open for consideration, the chairman of the board, committee, or commission submitting the report shall have the right to open and close the discussion. Chairmen who are not members of the court shall be given the privilege of the floor to enter discussion during the consideration of the report of their board, committee, or commission. No member shall speak more than twice nor longer than ten minutes without the consent of the court.

The narrative portion of the report shall be read only as an aid for discussion when needed. Normal procedure will be to read orally the recommendations.

8. That the matter of greater continuity of the moderator be continued and that the following membership of a committee to study this matter be approved: Past five moderators with the Principal Clerk and Director of the Center as advisors.

9. That the Moderator-Elect be included as an advisory member on all boards and committees of the General Synod.

10. That, in light of the specific recommendations of both Catawba Presbytery and Second Presbytery, the presbytery boundaries be changed so that the following counties in South Carolina will be within the bounds of Second Presbytery: Oconee, Pickens, Greenville, Spartanburg, Union, Anderson, Laurens, Newberry, Abbeville, Greenwood, Saluda, McCormick, Edgefield, Aiken, Barnwell and Allendale. All other counties in South Carolina to be in the bounds of Catawba Presbytery.

11. That the budgets of the A.R.P. Center and the Executive Board be approved, subject to revisions to conform to recommended allocations from the General Synod.
12. That the General Synod approve the actions of the Executive Board as reported herein.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. W. Orr, Moderator
C. Ronald Beard, Principal Clerk

EXECUTIVE BOARD
BUDGET—1983

Executive Board	
Travel and Expenses	750
Emphases Committee	1,000
Synod Meeting	1,900
Officers	
Moderator	2,200
Moderator-Elect	500
Principal Clerk	2,310
Reading Clerk	100
Bill Clerk	100
Treasurer of Synod	11,728
Minutes of Synod	
Typesetting	2,400
Printing & Distribution	4,500
Miscellaneous	100
Photo Typesetting Project	17,824

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CENTER

	1983 Proposed
Director's Salary	$25,846
Bookkeeper (Ruth D'Avignon)	11,834
Secretary A (Mary Wasson)	10,164
Secretary B (Shirley Estes)	10,124
Secretary C (Phototypesetter)	5,279
Employer Tax	3,887
Retirement forDirector	2,068
Bookkeeper Retirement Annuity	947
Employee Insurance	2,744
Workman's Compensation	604
Equipment Lease & Purchase	2,500
Equipment Maintenance	2,500
Telephone	3,250
Postage	500
General Office	3,000
United Parcel Service	200
Contingency	1,000
	$87,287
Computer Services	4,500
	$91,787

PHOTO TYPESETTING PROJECT
BUDGET WORKSHEET

Income Transfers
(1981-1984)

Board of Publications	
The ARP	$8,260.00
Plan Book	340.00
Prayer Calendar	364.00
Minutes of Synod	1,827.00
Board of Christian Education	
The Adult Quarterly	1,754.00
ARP Center	5,279
	$17,824.00

Expenditures

	1982	1983
Operator's Salary	$ 9,240	$10,164
Employer Tax	614	676
Employee Insurance	240	345
Maintenance	1,562	1,562
Supplies	5,000	4,000
Contingency to Reserve	668	1,077
	$17,824	$17,824

EMPHASES FOR 1983

OUR GREAT GOD

"For of Him, and through Him, and to Him, are all things: to whom be glory forever. Amen." Romans 11:36

Our Great God, is a "spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth." (*The Westminster Shorter Catechism:* Question 4)

The greatest revelation has been through His Son, Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. As Isaiah prophesied, He has been called "wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace." (9:6)

With such a God, we as a people should unite our hearts and minds in the furtherance of our teaching and preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

As a united people in Spirit and in truth, may we in the year 1983 study and teach about some of the attributes of Our Great God.

JANUARY—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR SELF-REVEALING GOD
Hebrews 1:1-3 The Westminister Confession of Faith I, IV

How important it is that we know God and believe as we should concerning God! For this is the main foundation and root of our personal faith. It is true that if our knowledge and belief in God is faulty, our lives will be faulty. But it is also true that as we grow in our knowledge of God, God blesses us with stronger faith and happier, more worthy lives.

Therefore how thankful we are that God has made it possible for us to know all that we need to know about Him. In His grace and mercy He chose, in certain effective ways, to reveal Himself to the world.

Proper responses to our Self-Revealing God:

1. Plan a series of sermons or Bible studies with the aim being to promote the

knowledge of God as He has revealed Himself in the scriptures.

2. Encourage growth in the knowledge of God in the home through family Bible reading.

3. Encourage members to see God revealing Himself in the beauty and marvels of nature, and in His wise providence in world history and in current world events.

4. Make a time in the church program to give members the opportunity to share their experiences when they realized that God was revealing His love for them, or when they saw Him revealing Himself in the lives of others.

FEBRUARY—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR TRIUNE GOD
Ephesians 3:14-19 The Westminister Confession of Faith: II

One evidence of the greatness of God is His wisdom to meet man's need and to carry out His own plans by existing as one God in the persons of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. How we need God in His Triune existence! — a Heavenly Father to hear our prayers, and to live with in heaven some day, — a Divine Saviour to save us by His love and sacrifice, — and God the Holy Spirit to come and abide in our hearts and minds to do for us what we could never do for ourselves — to fill our lives with love and faith and joy and peace.

Proper responses to our Triune God:

1. Preach and teach on the authority and love and actions of God as our Heavenly Father, and our responsibilities as His children.

2. Make your church a Christ-centered church where members are constantly helped to know Christ, and challenged to trust Him as their Savior, and to follow Him as their Lord.

3. Present the teachings of the scriptures on the Holy Spirit.

4. Help members to believe in the reality of the Holy Spirit, and to experience the presence of the Spirit in their lives through faith in Christ, and through repentance, and through giving time to prayer and worship.

MARCH—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR SOVEREIGN GOD
Romans 8:29-30 The Westminster Confession of Faith: III

Our God is a sovereign God and He did by His own free will ordain whatever is to come to pass. He predestined some to everlasting life and foreordained some to everlasting death. Those of mankind who are elected to everlasting life are redeemed by Christ and are justified, adopted, sanctified, and kept by His power through faith unto salvation. Go in His sovereignty and justice passes over the rest of mankind and ordains them to dishonor.

Proper response to our Sovereign God:

1. Seek the will of God for us by studying His word diligently.

2. Acknowledge His sovereignty by daily praising God in humility and obeying His word.

3. Encourage all with whom we come in contact to surrender themselves to God's sovereignty and let Him rule their lives completely.

APRIL—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR PROVIDENT GOD
Acts 17:24-28 The Westminster Confession of Faith: V

Our God directs and governs all creatures and all things by His wise and holy providence. His unsearchable wisdom and goodness extends itself to all the sins of man, but He is not the author of sin, nor does He approve of sin. He often leaves us, His children, to face many temptations to chastise us for our former sins, and to humble us. As a righteous judge God withholds His grace from wicked and ungodly persons and gives them over to their lusts, temptations, and to the power of Satan. In His providence He takes care of His church, in a most special way, and makes all things work to its good.

Proper responses to our Provident God:

1. Suggest sermons dealing with God's providence in confronting sin.

2. Devote evening or Wednesday night meetings to programs on facing temptations.

3. Acknowledge the providence of God by giving thanks to Him daily in our individual devotions.

MAY—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR CONVENATING GOD
Ezekiel 34:20-31 The Westminster Confession of Faith: VII

God is the creator, initiator, and sustainer of all that exists—including relationships. As the creator, high-king, God establishes the "rules" for how all His human creation is to be related to Him. Now God's Holy Spirit empowers His people to fulfill the requirements of the Covenant of Grace. We see the fullness of the covenant in the words of the Saviour, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins" (Matthew 26:28 NIV). The prophet pictures how we receive His covenantal care as His flock, when He establishes the Good Shepherd as our shepherd.

Proper responses to our Covenanting God:

1. Worship remembering the great joy and privilege it is, as well as the covenantal command which comes from God our King (Hebrews 10:24).
2. Study God's Word seeking to see the unfolding pattern of God's convenantal faithfulness to His people in creation and redemption.
3. Be enthused for evangelistic outreach seeing all around us the tragic result of the refusal of humanity to be guided by the obligations of the covenantal arrangement made by God with our first parents in the garden.
4. Join together in prayer meetings to pray for renewal by His Spirit so that our lives together would be centered in our recognition of His covenantal lordship over all of creation.

JUNE—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR MEDIATING GOD
Hebrews 9:11-15 The Westminster Confession of Faith: VI, VIII

The three-fold office (prophet, high priest, and king) of Christ gives us several pictures of the way God's work is effective in mediating on behalf of His children. The priestly aspect is highlighted in Hebrews 9:11-15, "How much more, then, will the blood of Christ . . . cleanse your consciences . . . For this reason Christ is the mediator of a new covenant . . ." (NIV). Our Saviour's sacrifice meets the requirements of God's justice and provides Him with the power for His royal judicial work of executing judgment on the creation (VIII, i and ii). God initiates a relationship with His creation, providing for a mediator to stand in the breach created by sin (VIII,ii). Jesus Christ is God's mediator.

Proper responses to our Mediating God:

1. Accept the need for confession of our sins as a part of our worship and be thankful that the separation is bridged through our Saviour.
2. Reread the Gospel account looking for the ways that Jesus mediates the truths of God for His disciples.
3. Take your Bible and show the plan for God's redemptive mediation for His people to others.
4. Reflect through prayers of thanksgiving your appreciation of all that is purchased through our Mediator's death.

JULY—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR CALLING GOD
Romans 8:30 The Westminster Confession of Faith: X

God calls all His elect from sin and death to grace and salvation in Jesus Christ. He gives us minds to understand, ears to hear and eyes to see the things of God (John 10:16; I Cor. 2:12). He turns our hearts of stone into hearts of flesh (Ezekiel 36:26). The way God does this is by His Spirit working through His Word (II Thes. 2:13). We are dead spiritually. It is God who must quicken us and call us. Whosoever will may come, but God must change our dead hearts and make us willing. Thanks be to our great God who has called us from eternal death unto eternal life in Jesus Christ (Col. 1:13)!

Proper responses to our Calling God:

1. Be humbled by the fact that God has called *us,* remembering that God has chosen the foolish and weak things of the world (I Cor. 1:27).

2. Give thanks without end to God who has called us because salvation is of God and He deserves all the glory; He is "our great God".

3. Witness actively to men by sharing and living the Word so that God can work through our witness in calling His sheep unto Christ.

4. Witness to all men recognizing that God has not called us on the basis of merit. Call all men to Christ—the Blacks, the poor, the uneducated, etc.—and not just those in our own social sphere.

AUGUST—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR FORGIVING GOD

I John 1:8, 9 The Westminster Confession of Faith: XI

God, who by His very nature is holy and pure, will not tolerate sin . . ."The soul that sinneth, it shall die" (Ezekiel 18:20). But, the holy God who must punish sin has punished our sin in His own Son at Calvary. The holy God who demands righteousness and justice has declared us righteous through the righteousness of Christ alone. Our great God is a forgiving God. Thanks be to God that "There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus"! And thanks be to God that we can joyfully declare, "Jesus, Thy blood and righteousness my beauty are, my glorious dress"!

Proper responses to our Forgiving God:

1. Seek God's forgiveness when we sin by searching our hearts with the lamp of Scripture and repenting of all our sin.

2. Seek man's forgiveness by going to them, apologizing, and asking their forgiveness.

3. Forgive others who have offended us quickly (Matt. 6:15 & I Cor. 13:5).

4. Preach forgiveness to others so that men lost in sin and guilt will know of our forgiving Saviour (Acts 13:38).

5. Never regard sin lightly for it cost the very blood of Jesus Christ.

6. Give thanks to God for full forgiveness in Christ which is free to us, but was at great cost to our Lord.

SEPTEMBER—OUR GREAT GOD—OUR FATHER GOD

Galatians 4:4-7 The Westminster Confession of Faith: XII

Pity, protection, provision, privilege, punishment, and promises mark the love of a father. Our Father's God daily demonstrates His vigilant concern for His adopted children. We who were formerly children of Satan have been included in the family of God by the finished work of our Elder Brother. God graciously has given us the right to call Him "our Father" and has guaranteed to us all the rights and privileges associated with His Name.

Proper responses to our Father God:

1. Write a letter to your earthly father telling him all the ways he reminds you of your heavenly Father.

2. Sponsor a Father-Child outing for your church family.

3. Invite a fatherless child to spend a Saturday with you.

4. Encourage your youth group to "adopt a grandparent" in your community and do a service for them or talk with them one afternoon.

5. Pray to God in the manner of a little child talking to his Daddy.

OCTOBER—OUR GREAT GOD—OUR SANCTIFYING GOD

Philippians 2:13, 14 The Westminster Confession of Faith: XIII

God's salvation has three tenses: the past tense of justification, the future tense of glorification, and the present tense of sanctification. The present progressive "you are being saved" is a more accurate description. Having been justified by faith (saved), a new principle is at work. God's word and Spirit are working out the consequences of the new birth in the believer's life. The Christian is being recreated in the image of Christ. Despite warfare with the world, the flesh, and the Devil, God's Holy Spirit compels us to advance. Yet, the fulfillment of the quest awaits the moment we come into the immediate presence of Christ.

Proper responses to our Sanctifying God:

1. Chart the progress you have made in Christian growth during the past year.
2. List the temptations you are currently facing and take confidence in God's enablement to overcome them.
3. Ask the Holy Spirit to continually refill you with His cleansing power each time you pray.
4. Ask a mature Christian friend to point out an area in your life that is lacking and to covenant with you to aid in building it up.

NOVEMBER—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR KEEPING GOD
I Peter 1:3-5 The Westminster Confession of Faith: XVII

Eternal salvation is given to those whom God has accepted. This salvation does not depend on one's free will but on the free and unchangeable love of God. Satan causes temptations which may cause one to sin, incur God's displeasure, and bring temporal judgments upon oneself.

Proper responses to our Keeping God.

1. Be secure in eternal salvation.
2. Be confident of God's free and unchangeable love.
3. Be aware that Satan causes sin; however, a person born of God cannot continue sinning.

DECEMBER—OUR GREAT GOD: OUR INDWELLING GOD
John 14:15-17 The Westminster Confession of Faith: XXXIV

The Holy Spirit, the third person in the Trinity, is perhaps the most difficult part of the Trinity to explain. He is the source of all good thoughts and desires. The dispensation of the gospel is especially committed to him. He regenerates men by his grace, convicts them of sin, moves them to repentance, and persuades and enables them to embrace Jesus Christ by faith. He unites all believers to Christ. By Him the church will be preserved, increased, purified, and at last made perfectly holy in the presence of God.

Proper responses to our Indwelling God:

1. Explain the Holy Spirit and his relationship to God, Jesus, and man.
2. Explain how through the Holy Spirit all the writers of the Scriptures were inspired to record infallibly the mind and will of God.
3. Explain how the Holy Spirit dwells in believers as their Comforter and Sanctifier and gives them the spirit of Adoption and Prayer.
4. Explain how the Holy Spirit unites all believers to Christ.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Annuities and Relief was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The Moderator's Committee on Annuities and Relief met at 1:30 P.M. in the Watkins Student Center, Room Number Four (4).

Mr. Jerry R. Wolff, Chairman, opened the meeting with prayer. Mr. Bryant McLendon was appointed Clerk by the Moderator.

Mr. Ed Hogan met with the committee as special advisor.

Recommendations:

1. That recommendation #1 be approved.
2. That recommendation #2 be approved.
3. That recommendation #3 be approved.
4. That recommendation #4 be approved.
5. That the attention of the Synod be called to a problem concerning the growing number of ministers opting out of Social Security. This growing number could

adversly affect in the future the financial programs of the Board of Annuities and Relief. We recommend that Synod direct the Board of Annuities and Relief to look into this potential problem and bring a recommendation to the 1982-83 Synod.

This report was approved as a whole.

The Moderator's Committee was dismissed with prayer by Mr. Brad Sutherland.

REPORT OF BOARD OF ANNUITIES AND RELIEF

The Board met on two occasions since the last meeting of the General Synod, July 25, 1981, and January 30, 1982. The activities of the Board are reported as information.

Audit

The *Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Financial Statements*, as compiled and reported by Price Waterhouse & Co., independent auditors, has been filed with the Principal Clerk, at the ARP Center, and with members of the Board of Annuities and Relief. A *Statement of Income and Expenses and Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits for the Year Ended December 31, 1981 and 1980* will be submitted for printing in the *Minutes of Synod.*

Benevolence

Christmas Benevolent Offering

The Board is extremely grateful to all individuals and churches which have contributed to this fund. Contributions to this fund permit a special ministry to the retired ministers, retired Synod lay employees, retired missionaries, and widows of former ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees. Each year all eligible persons are contacted and distribution is based on need and the desire to participate. The distribution approved from the 1980 Christmas Benevolent Offering amounted to $43,718.15, as compared to $44,749.48 for the 1979 offering. Forty-eight widows and retired ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees were recipients, as compared to 54 the previous year. An emergency fund of $2,000.00 was retained to meet unforseen needs during the year.

Widows' Benefit Fund

This fund, established during 1978 by an anonymous gift, continues to benefit twelve widows who have special needs by providing an average monthly benefit of $175.00. The funds are invested by the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation, Inc., and Financial Statements have been submitted to the Board of Annuities and Relief. These are filed at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center.

Miscellaneous

As of the date of this report there are 24 retired ordained ministers and missionaries, two retired lay employees of Synod, and 52 known widows of former ministers, missionaries, or Synod lay employees. These dedicated servants of Christ continue to need our prayers, friendship, and financial support.

Insurance

Group Insurance Coverage

There have been no substantial changes in the benefits provided since the last meeting of the General Synod. There was a significant revision in the premium charges for medical insurance, and the cost of dependent life insurance ($1.02 per month) was added to the insured's cost. With respect to the medical premium increase, the Board noted the following: (a) there has been no premium change since December 1, 1976; (b) had our medical premiums been increased by only 7 per-cent a year from December 1, 1977, the premium would have been larger December 1, 1981 than is the revised premium rate.

The current premiums have been guaranteed for only a six-month period. In light of this, the Board has approved the following as possible plan changes to control costs and to modify coverage: (a) Change from the 100 per-cent of first $500 of hospital coverage to a straight comprehensive program with a 80/20 coinsurance provision; (b) change the major medical deductible from **$100 per person and $200 per family** to **$100 or $200 per person and $300 per family**. The deductible would be waived for treatment of accident or injury and for annual physicals for employees age 40 or over; (c) pool all life insurance coverage; (4) raise the major medical limit to $1,000,000.

Synod's Self Insurance Fund

This fund has been funded over the past several years to provide a death benefit to beneficiaries of certain employees who were unable, because of age, to purchase a paid-up policy by age 70. There is a remaining liability of $56,838.00 and this has been fully funded.

Retirement

Contribution Guidelines

Congregations which have had a regular pastor within the past five calendar years have been asked to contribute 8 per-cent of the earnings of their last pastor. The Board is recommending that this be changed so that the contribution will be 4 per-cent of the earnings of the last pastor, with the change to become effective January 1, 1983.

Changes in Retirement Plan Participation

a. During the period January 1, 1981-December 31, 1981, the following Participants retired on the date indicated: G. F. Johnson (9-1-81), R. S. Miles, Sr. (10-1-80), W. O. Ragsdale (5-1-81).

b. The following retired Participants and/or widows of deceased Participants were lost by death during the year: E. Gettys (8-30-81), Mrs. Frances P. Hamilton (1-26-81), Mrs. Sallie C. Lauderdale (2-9-81).

c. The following active Participants were lost by death during the year: None.

d. The following Participant was lost by death during the year and at the time of death was on approved leave of absence or had previously transferred to another denomination and was qualified for a vested benefit from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan: A. M. Allan (5-20-81).

e. The following persons became Participants in the Retirement Plan during 1981 as of the dates indicated: R. T. Cannell (10-1-81), J. W. Donahue (8-23-81), R. J. Hamilton (9-8-81), J. M. Lineberger (6-8-81), K. I. Lotze (3-1-81), N. R. Mathias (10-18-81), J. W. O'Cain (10-25-81),J. E. Pitts (6-8-81), M. S. Shuttleworth (10-18-81), A. T. Stewart (7-26-81).

f. The following Participant was reinstated to active participation during the year: J. J. Hoeprich (2-1-81), J. A. Hunt (6-1-81).

g. At year's end the following Particpants were on approved leaves of absence: R. W. Ackerman, C. S. Alexander, F. R. Archer, Jr., J. S. Banks, W. F. Blakely, W. J. Boyd, P. A. Campbell, C. W. Echols, E. F. Franze, B. E. Hoyt, D. O. Jones, L. P. Kennerly, R. A. King, R. B. Luebke, Jr., C. T. MCants, J. W. McQuiston, C. W. Medlin, K. F. Morris, J. E. Pressly, C. S. Rimmer, W. A. Robfogel,J. R. White, T. L. Wilson, L. C. Young.

h. The following Participants transferred during the year, or have previously transferred to another denomination, and have qualified for a vested benefit from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan: R. A. Bodey, R. D. Bradford, J. A. Cannon, L. L. Dattler, B. R. Nowak, H. L. Smith.

i. The following Participant terminated employment during the year, or has previously terminated employment subsequent to 7-1-75, and has qualified for a vested benefit in the Retirement Plan: J. T. Stephenson.

j. The following Participants were transferred during the year, or have been previously transferrrd to another denomination, and either have qualified or may qualify for a contingent right to a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: D. M. Bonner, R. L.

Brawley, W. H. Faires, Jr., C. T. Fincher, R. A. Foster, G. R. Fravel, J. C. Gardner, J. D. Hatch, C. C. Jett, R. B. Lanning, T. G. Long, F. A. Malone, T. J. Mercer, K. C. Nordvall, R. L. Penny, H. L. Richardson, J. R. Thompson, R. J. Yelverton, J. R. Wright.

k. The following active Participants have prior credited Service and credited Earnings which will be recognized as continuous on completing five years of continuous service: Ethelda Hanna (Vested), L. T. Richie.

l. The following persons were removed from participation in the Plan during the year and did not qualify to retain a vested benefit under the Retirement Plan: P. A. Larson, C. A. Reed, F. D. Stewart.

m. The following persons were receiving a retirement or permanent disability benefit under the Plan at year's end: R. M. Alber, Mrs. Bertha I. Allan, L. M. Allison, Mrs. Elinor H. Bell*, Mrs. Sarah W. Blakely*, W. H. Blair, J. G. Brawley, Miss Florence Craig, Mrs. Emma R. Echols*, C. E. Edwards, Mrs. Mary P. Edwards*, Mrs. Mary M. Gettys*, M. B. Grier, P. L. Grier, W. P. Grier, Jr.**, Mrs. Wilma M. Griffith*, W. C. Halliday, Mrs. W. A. Hethcox*, G. F. Johnson, R. C. Kennedy, L. P. Knox, Mrs. Jean B. Latham*, J. B. McFerrin, Mrs. Helen C. McFerrin*, R. S. Miles, Sr.***, R. T. Nelson, H. M. Pearson, Mrs. Agnes D. Plaxico*, H. E. Pressly, W. L. Pressly, J. H. Ragsdale, W. O. Ragsdale, Mrs. Katherine S. Rogers*, K. C. Seawright, Mrs. F. L. Shannon*, F. W. Sherrill, J. C. Smith, J. P. Steele, F. T. White, A. K. Whitesides, Mrs. Gladys D. Young.

*As widow of deceased Participant, the Joint and Survivor Option having been selected or automatic as to those who died after 9-1-61.

**As Participant disabled prior to 12-1-72.

***As Participant who had transferred to another denomination with a vested benefit.

n. The following persons apparently are eligible for Retirement Plan Participation as of 12-31-80, but as of that date enrollment procedures have not been completed: R. P. Taylor.

Miscellaneous

Participation in Social Security

The benefit programs of the denomination have been designed on the assumption that ministers will not elect to be excluded from the Social Security program. This fact should be made known to all future potential participants in our programs.

Good Will Ambassadors

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Blair have been appointed *Good Will Ambassadors* for the Board of Annuities and Relief. The Board is very grateful to Dr. and Mrs. Blair for their continuing ministry to ministers and widows.

Recommendations

1. That the Christmas Benevolent Offering be continued and that pastors and other church officers give this special ministry their support.

2. That pastors of those churches where retired ministers, missionaries, and Synod lay employees and/or widows of same attend or have membership be especially attentive to the special needs of these persons and seek to assist the Board in its ministry to these persons.

3. That Part IV, (a) of the *Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan Contribution Formula* be changed so that local congregations which do not have a regular pastor or church extension pastor, but which have had a regular pastor within the past five calendar years, will contribute 4 per-cent of the earnings of their last such pastor.

4. That all other actions of the Board, as reported herein, be sustained.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Christian Education was presented. Item number 5 of the Board's report was ruled out-of-order. An amendment to substitute for item number 5 of the recommendations of the Board of Christian Education carried:

> That sessions be encouraged to promote the use of the *Adult Quarterly* and the *Bible Way Curriculum* of the Christian Reformed Church as approved curriculum materials in our Church Schools.

A motion carried to amend item number 11 of the Report of Board of Christian Education as follows:

> That the Board be authorized to provide a bibliography on abortion and sex education as reflecting the positions of the ARPC.

The Report, as amended, was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

This is a report of Moderator's Committee on Christian Education. A motion, duly seconded, that we adopt these recommendations item by item carried.

A motion duly seconded carried that we adopt Recommendation numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. **(Amended)**

A motion that we go through the Report's recommendations as we have them and come back to any new recommendations that may be made carried.

A motion duly seconded carried that we adopt Recommendation numbers 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12. **(Amended)**

A motion, seconded, carried that the Board of Christian Education Committee examine "Christian Education-Shared Approaches" for evidence of a pattern of conformity or lack of conformity to the doctorinal standards of the A.R.P. Church.

A motion that we adopt the Report as a whole carried.

A motion was made that we adjourn.

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

As we enter into our Bicentennial Year, the Board of Christian Education is greatly encouraged in many ways. A number of church schools report increases in membership and attendance. A number of innovative programs are being undertaken on the local, presbytery and Synod levels.

The Board held three regular meetings during the year which were well attended. Members of the staff are:

Rev. J. B. Hendrick, Director of Christian Education
Mrs. Beth Sanders, Administrative Assistant
Dr. W. H. F. Kuykendall, Editor of *The Adult Quarterly*
All staff members served for the entire year.

The staff makes the following report on activities for 1981:

1. **Leadership and Consultation:**

   The Director visited five congregations on official business, spoke to three presbyteries, attended five planning sessions, assisted in four presbytery workshops and five presbytery retreats, attended the National Youth Workers Conference in Detroit and a curriculum planning session in Philiadelphia. In cooperation with the Board of Church Extension and Erskine Seminary, we had a most helpful Church Growth Seminar with Dr. Locke E. Bowman, Jr., as leader. The emphasis was on Christian education in small churches.

   New display materials were used in presbytery and local workshops and at the meeting of the General Synod and the Adult Conference. Numerous inquiries were made concerning curriculum materials and other resources. Our resource center sent out a large number of audio-visual and other materials.

2. **Our Conference Ministry:**
Three conferences were held at Bonclarken under the direction of the Office of Christian Education:
a. The Junior High Conference was held June 15-20 and was attended by 236 conferees and advisors from 34 congregations and 7 presbyteries. The conference theme was *"Decisions, Decisions."* A staff of 25 served this conference.
b. The YPCU Conference was held June 22-27 with 164 conferees and advisors from 30 congregations and 6 presbyteries in attendance. A staff of 26 presented the theme *"Jesus Is Lord."*
c. Camp Joy was held June 28 - July 4. There were 11 campers (8 ARP's, 3 non-ARP's) from 9 congregations and 3 presbyteries. The staff of 18 was directed by Mrs. Frances Sanders. The theme was *"You've Got a Friend."*

3. **Publications:**
The Office of Christian Education had responsibility to and/or for the following publications:
a. **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian.** Through membership on the Board of Publications, and as a monthly contributor of articles, columns, and news items.
b. **The Adult Quarterly.** Worked with the Editor in making arrangements for the writing, printing, distribution, and copy-right of the publication.
c. **INFO.** A publication for ministers, Church School Superintendents, DCE's, and youth advisors. A quarterly publication, it is sent free to anyone in the categories listed above.
d. **Audio-Visual Catalog and Book List.** The Audio-Visual Catalog was revised in 1980 with an up-date issued to each church and DCE in 1981. An up-date to the Book List was revised in 1976.
e. **Resource Packet.** A listing of resources, Christian Education suggestions, program ideas, etc., is prepared and issued to each church.

The following statistical information on Christian Education is submitted:

1. **Bible Mastery Month** was observed in January with a study of Jonah. 44 churches reported observing Bible Mastery Month with 37 of the churches studying the recommended material.

2. **Catechism Recitations:**
1. Brown's Catechism ..... 1 recitation.
2. The Children's Catechism ..... 22 recitations.
3. The Westminister Shorter Catechism ..... 15 recitations.

3. **Church School:** Reports were received from 145 churches in the denomination. Based on figures from the Annual Statistical Reports these churches report a Church School enrollment of 14,794.

4. **Curriculum Materials:**
a. **Church School:** In the Children's and Youth Divisions, the most popular material is David C. Cook, while in the Adult Division, the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Adult Quarterly is the most widely used. Listed below are the breakdowns between the ARP and the other materials. Consider these figures in the light of the 91 churches which reported and the fact that some churches used more than one curriculum in a given department.

1. **Preschool Division:** Cook (47); Gospel Light (7); CE:SA (1); Scripture Press (10); Standard (14); Christian Reformed (2); DBC (5);Other (8).
2. **Elementary:** Cook (53); Bible (1); CLC (1); Gospel Light (6); Great Commission (6); CE:SA (2); Scripture Press (11); Standard (8); Christian Reformed (2); DBC (9); Other (5).
3. **Youth:** ARP (6); Bible (4); Cook (45); CLC (4); Gospel Light (6); Great Commission (8); CE:SA (3); Own (2); Scripture Press (13); Standard (6); Christian

Reformed (2); DBC (2); Uniform (5); Other (10).
4. **Adult:** ARP (60); Bible (12); Cook (11); CLC (6); Gospel Light (2); CE:SA (2); Own (1); Scripture Press (6); Standard (6); Uniform (5); Other (22).

b. **Youth Groups** reported as follows:

	Members	Reporting Fellowships
YPCU	862	69
Junior High	561	58
Junior	531	55
Primary	411	48
Pre-School	207	29

c. **Vacation Bible Schools:** 61 churches reported holding Vacation Bible Schools in 1981 with a total enrollment of 4736. Sixty (60) churches had a one-week school while 1 reported having a two-week school. 38 had schools for youth and children only; 23 had schools for the entire family. Materials used were: Bible (2); Cook (3); Scripture Press (6); Augsburg (6); Concordia (2); Standard (33); Own (1); Gospel Light (3); Vacation Ventures (2); Great Commission (2); Other (12).

5. The Board of Christian Education recommends the following curriculum materials for use in our congregations:
a. THE ADULT QUARTERLY
b. CE:SA materials (Christian Education: Shared Approaches).
c. The Bible Way Curriculum of the Christian Reformed Church.
(NOTE: This section 5 was ruled out of order).

The following additional items of information may be of interest to the General Synod:
1. The Board has given some thought to expanding its conference ministries to include one or more of the following: senior adults, young adults, families.
2. Dr. L. M. Allison is working on a revision of the brief booklet, *Studies in Church History.*
3. We have been asked by Erskine College to consider having some of our conferences there so that our young people might become better acquainted with the college. The Board is looking into this.
4. We are attempting to improve our resource center so that the number and variety of resources available to congregations and presbyteries will be increased. We have also talked with members of other boards and agencies to see if they would like to be included in our resource center. What we actually do will depend to some extent on the funds that are available.
5. Meetings of the Board: In an effort to reduce expenditures related to meetings of the Board, the Board of Christian Education is considering a reduction in the number of regular meetings from three per year to two. Between meetings, the Executive Committee of the Board could handle emergency matters.

The Board is also considering a one-day rather than a meeting which begins the evening of one day and continues through noon of the next day. This would mean that some board members would not require overnight lodging.

The Board is not asking for a change in the Policy Book at this point, but would request permission to try this format for one year. If the new format accomplishes the desired savings, we would then request a change in the Policy Book to allow the new format on a permanent basis.

The officers of the Board for 1982-1983 are as follows:

Mr. Spencer Anderson, Chairman.
Mrs. Frances Sanders, Vice-Chairman.
Rev. Robert Ingram, Secretary.

6. In keeping with the request of Synod, a bibliography of materials on abortion and sex education has been prepared. This bibliography is not limited to those materials

which reflect the positions taken by the Synod, but provides a wide range of viewpoints on these subjects. Before sending these out on request, we plan to include a paper which would outline the positions of the Synod. The Board would welcome any comments, suggestions and/or instructions from the Synod on what should be included in this bibliography.

Recommendations

1. That appreciation be expressed to the Woman's Synodical Union for their interest in and support of Christian Education.
2. That the congregations of the General Synod be thanked for their support of Christian Education through their voluntary commitments.
3. That the presbyteries and congregations be encouraged to use the staff and resources of the Office of Christian Education.
4. That Sessions be encouraged to promote attendance at conferences, retreats, workshops, continuing education courses, etc. and, when possible, to provide complete or partial scholarships to assist members to attend these events.
5. That Sessions be encouraged to promote the use of approved curriculum materials in our Church Schools. **(Amended)**
6. That the Junior High Conference, the YPCU Conference, and Camp Joy be held in 1983 at Bonclarken during the summer conference season, and that the Board of Christian Education be authorized to consider holding some of these conferences at Erskine College on occasions if details can be worked out.
7. That the Book of Luke be endorsed as the Bible Mastery Book for 1983, and that individuals and congregations be encouraged to study this book during January (Bible Mastery Month).
8. That the Board of Christian Education be authorized to give serious study to the expansion of its conference ministries to include conferences for senior adults and/or young adults and families.
9. That the Board of Christian Education be authorized to explore ways of expanding its resource center to (a) increase the number and variety of materials available, and (b) include other agencies of the General Synod in the resource center.
10. That the Board be allowed to reduce the number of meetings of the Board from three to two and to have one-day meetings
11. That the Board be authorized to provide a bibliography on abortion and sex education materials as requested, such bibliography to contain a wide range of viewpoints on these subjects. **(Amended)**
12. That the attached 1983 Christian Education Budget be approved.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

1983 Proposed Budget

ADMINISTRATIVE:		
DIRECTOR:		
Salary	$	18,700
Retirement		2,130
Housing Allowance		7,560
Employee Insurance		1,783
Social Security		-0-
Special Training		600
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT		
Salary		13,310
Employee Insurance		602
Social Security (6.65)		892

OFFICE EXPENSE		
Office Rent		1,644
Xerox		250
Office Expense		150
Telephone		450
Postage		750
STAFF TRAVEL		3,500
BOARD TRAVEL		5,000
Sub-Total	$	57,321
PROGRAMMING:		
Periodicals	$	150
Books		150
VBS Kits		100
Curriculum Samples		500
Other		-0-
TEACHING MATERIALS		50
AUDIO VISUALS		
Tapes		125
Slides, F/strips, Films		475
Equipment		100
Equipment Upkeep		75
PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS		
Printing		175
Supplies		175
Postage		125
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT		
Travel		500
BIBLES AND NEW TESTAMENTS		300
Sub-Total	$	3,000
CAMPS AND CONFERENCES:		
YPCU CONFERENCE		
Room and Board	$	1,500
Honoraria		1,275
Travel		1,000
Planning		400
Insurance		200
Recreation		275
Supplies & Miscellaneous		200
Music		675
JUNIOR HIGH CONFERENCE		
Room and Board		2,000
Honoraria		1,375
Travel		1,000
Planning		500
Insurance		225

Recreation	275
Supplies & Miscellaneous	400
Music	675
CAMP JOY (For Exceptional Youth)	
Room and Board	2,800
Honorarium	350
Travel	500
Insurance	70
Recreation	500
Supplies & Misc.	400
Planning	250
Music	600
YPCU COUNCIL	550
CONTINGENCY	750
Sub-Total	$ 18,745
PUBLICATION:	
ARP QUARTERLY	
Editor	5,061
Publication/Preparation	11,200
Second Class Postage	750
General Office Expense	700
Copyright	150
Art Work	200
Teachers Guide Postage	350
Subtotal	$ 18,411
CONTINGENCY FUND:	500
GRAND TOTAL	$ 97,977

Income

Synod Supplement	$ 64,677
Honoraria	150
Travel Reimbursement	300
Miscellaneous	100
Sale of Material	50
Sale of Tapes	100
WSU Support	6,600
Quarterly	19,000
Conference Fees	3,000
Camp Joy Donations & Memorials	2,500
Camp Joy Fees	-0-
WSU Gift - Camp Joy	1,000
Youth Work (Gifts in hand/projects)	500
GRAND TOTAL	$ 97,977

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

The Moderator's Committee on Inter-Church Relations was convened by Rev. Jim Bell at 1:30 p.m.

Your committee recommends that Synod:

1. Refer Recommendation #1 to the Special Committee on Dialogue with P.C.A. Subcommittee on Inter-Church Relations.
2. Refer Recommendation #2 to the Special Committee on Dialogue with the P.C.A. Subcommittee on Inter-Church Relations.
3. Believing that there are adequate guidelines in the Standards to deal with this type of action, including Page 414 (#7) of the *Minutes of Synod* (1981) in which that overture was adopted today (6-15), we move to delete #3.
4. Adopt Recommendation #4.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTER-CHURCH RELATIONS

Fathers and Brethren;

This committee met on March 23, 1982 in Greenville. The following represents highlights of the activities of this committee and other churches and related bodies during the year 1981.

American Bible Society: There was no meeting in 1981.
Lord's Day Alliance: Mary B. Thompson represented us at the October meeting.
North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council: Dr. Bill Kuykendall and Reverend Greg Slater represented the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church at the seventh meeting of NAPARC on October 23, 1981, in Philadelphia, Pa. Our request for membership in this body was provisionally approved. It must be acted on by each of the member churches before becoming official.

Dr. Bill Kuykendall and Dr. Randall T. Ruble attended the NAPARC Committee on Hermeneutics at Geneva College in Beaver Falls, Pa., on January 21 and 22.
Pan Presbyterian Conference: Mrs. Michael Bender was our representative at the 1981 Pan Presbyterian Conference on October 5 at Memphis, Tenn.
Reformed Ecumenical Synod: The next meeting of the RES will be in 1984.
Caribbean and North American Area Council, World Alliance of Reformed Churches: There was no meeting of the CA&NAAC in February 1982. The meeting of the General Council of WARC will meet in Ottawa, Canada in August 1982.
Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America: Dr. Bill Kuy kendall was our fraternal delegate in the 152nd Synod of the RPCNA.
Presbyterian Church in America: Reverend Bob E. DeWitt represented the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church at the General Assembly of the PCA at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Representatives to Bicentennial Synod Meeting

All denominations and ecumenical bodies with whom we have fraternal relations have been invited to join us at our Bicentennial Synod.

Our Representatives to Other Bodies
For Calenday Year 1983

American Bible Society: Mr. William A. Deaton
Lord's Day Alliance: Reverend Conrad Cheatham
Alternate: Reverend Forrest Musselman
Reformed Ecumenical Synod: No meeting until 1984.
CA&NAAC: Mrs. Michael Bender
Pan Presbyterian Conference: Mr. Clarence Boswell, Reverend C. Ronald Beard, and

Mrs. Michael Bender.
First Alternate: Reverend John Carson
Second Alternate: Reverend Robert Marshburn
NAPARC: Concurrent General Assemblies: Dr. Bill Kuykendall
First Alternate: Reverend James Hunt
Second Alternate: Reverend John Kimmons, Jr.
NAPARC: Hermeneutics Committee: Dr. Bill Kuykendall and Dr. Randall T. Ruble
NAPARC: Annual Meeting: Mr. Clarence Boswell and Reverend John Carson
First Alternate: Reverend Bill Macaualay
Second Alternate: Reverend Greg Slater
Third Alternate: Reverend James Corbitt

Recommendations

1. That the Special Committee on Dialogue With PCA Subcommittee on Interchurch Relations make it clear to that committee the following statement: Though we desire continued fraternal relations with the PCA, we cannot continue that relationship unless there is a change in the practice of PCA presbyteries receiving churches from other Presbyterian bodies without due process and without general respect for the denominational government of the local church making application. **(Referred to Special Committee on Dialogue with PCA Subcommittee on Inter-Church Relations.)**

2. That the Special Committee on Dialogue with the PCA Subcommittee on Interchurch Relations request the following information: **(Referred to Special Committee on Dialogue.)**

(1) Under what provision of BCO of PCA was the Lawndale Church received?

(2) If there is no such provision in BCO of the PCA for the action taken by Covenant Presbytery, what corrective action will be taken by the General Assembly of the PCA to bring Covenant Presbytery into conformity?

3. That Synod ask the Ecclesiastical Commission to provide guidelines for ARP presbyteries to deal with churches that declare themselves independent, or renounce jurisdiction or any other unconstitutional attemps to separate themselves from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. **(Not Adopted)**

4. That the Committee Budget for 1983 be approved as follows:

Dues (LDA - $300; RES - $800; CA&NAAC, WARC - $850)	$1,950
Housing and Boarding of Delegates at Synod	900
Committee Travel and Expense, Travel for representatives/delegates to other bodies	2,500
Total	$5,350

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Michael S. Bender, Chairman

W. C. Lauderdale introduced Dr. Paul D. Kim and Rev. David Im.

A motion to adjourn carried and Synod adjourned with the Benediction by G. C. Stulting.

Wednesday, June 16, 1982
1:30 P.M.

The afternoon session began with the devotional by J. L. Carson, who paid honor to our Elders lost by death in the past year. The special prayer was offered by J. S. Kimmons, Jr.

W. A. Macaulay introduced from the PCA and NAPARC Mr. Henry Boss and Rev. Robert Cox of RPCES who brought fraternal greetings to the General Synod.

Synod was dismissed for the official Synod photograph and the afternoon's visit to Lower Long Cane and Cedar Springs. D. L. Pearson pronounced the Benediction.

Wednesday, June 16, 1982
7:00 P.M.

The evening session began with a devotional entitled *20/20 Vision for the Future* by A. T. Stewart, Jr.

J. R. Fee, Chairman of the Board of Christian Education, presided over the presentation of the Board of Christian Education which featured J. B. Hendrick, G. R. Hallman, and Hamilton McGill, President of the YPCU.

Mr. John Mariner, Executive Secretary of World Witness, presided over the presentation of World Witness which featured members of a touring mission group from Pakistan and Mexico. The presentation featured a five-minute historical play and personal testimony. Those participating in the presentation were Mr. Javier Villasana Ramos, Mr. Rodolfo del Angel del Angel, Miss Florence Wilson, Mr. William K. Din, Miss Silvia Amador, Miss Elizabeth McGill, Mr. David Griffin, and Miss Zenobia William.

Mrs. J. G. Capps, President of the Women's Synodical Union, addressed Synod. A motion carried to print the address in the *Minutes of Synod.*

BICENTENNIAL ADDRESS
of
President, Woman's Synodical Union
June 16, 1982
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod
Erskine College, Due West, South Carolina

To our fellow brethren, the Woman's Synodical Union extends to you our special happy birthday on this your 200th Anniversary, as we all join together to share this special event.

I am honored to be serving as Woman's Synodical Union President during our Bicentennial Celebration and feel a special privilege to bring this message to you on behalf of our women.

What is heritage? Webster says: "Heritage, inheritance, patrimony, birthright mean something which one receives or will receive from a parent or predecessor. Heritage, the most comprehensive term, may imply anything passed on to one's heirs or to generations that succeed such as an estate, a tradition, a right."

Indeed, we are here this week celebrating our heritage, our inheritance, our birthright and our patrimony, remembering our forefathers to whom we owe much.

As a child I often heard my grandmother speak of "heritage." Her Bible was often opened at the center of the Book. She sat many days reading from the Book. I overheard her one day say "a goodly heritage."

"Grandma," I said, "I don't know what goodly means and I never heard you say the other word before."

She smiled and said heritage very clearly and told me, "I'm reading from the Psalms in my Bible and the verse I just quoted is my favorite verse from Psalms 16:6." And I can understand why when I think of our heritage. "The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant place; yea, I have a goodly heritage."

And we do have a goodly heritage. A heritage that has been passed down to us for many generations and it is also something we have now in the present and it is up to us to make sure that the heritage is also good in the future.

Heritage is not something given to us like a gift or a trinket from a favorite relative. You couldn't see the heritage and you can't put your hands on it. But it is real, as real as the American flag.

Our heritage as Associate Reformed Presbyterians began in 1782. Our heritage continues today as we read the histories of our denomination.

Heritage means being proud of our beloved denomination. The phrase, "a goodly heritage" prompts me to make it my current duty to see that the heritage of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church is preserved for the future and that it grows in meaning to new members.

I have only been in the ARP denomination for eighteen years. However, I feel as though I have been an ARP all my life. I accepted the doctrine and principles of the church and have not regretted one minute of my participation. I feel I can share effectively in the heritage of the church.

It is my responsibility to uphold the traditions and rights set forth many years ago. I must encourage others to defend our traditions and rights to benefit the largest numbers.

What are some of the other things I can do to help preserve our Associate Reformed Presbyterian heritage?

Here is a list of practical things which seem to me extensions of what our ancestors tried to do in their lives as pioneers of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church and who contributed to the heritage which is our best possession today.

1. I will recognize that times may change and outer manifestations may be different, but inner problems, needs and hopes are the same. I will love my church with deepest loyalty as did our forefathers.

2. I will take pride in my church and its achievements. Just as grandma polished the silver to keep it bright, it becomes necessary to keep bright the memory of our forefathers and their deeds. I must go again to our history books which give in detail the story of their vision, courage and perserverance and see these stories are told to the new generations.

3. In our homes we must observe our special days with happiness and in simple ways. Let our children share in our celebrations.

4. The songs of our denomination will be heard frequently in our homes as we learn to play them on piano and organ. I love the Psalms that were sung for so many years and still look forward to Psalm Sings.

5. I will take a good fresh look at all my church means to my community, remembering how religious freedom is a part of my goodly heritage. Perhaps it has been a long time since I volunteered to teach Sunday School class or even sing in the choir because weekly rehearsals were a bother. There is strength in the resolution to walk into church on Sunday mornings and there is power for all in remembering to uphold its activities by daily family prayers.

6. I will realize anew that my church is no stronger than the particular part of it in which I happen to be living out my life. It is up to me to make my little corner of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church a better place to serve. This means looking around to see what needs to be done. I have an opportunity to help my heritage grow, extending its helpful influence to those who need its blessing.

7. I will try to be a good member by exercising my right to vote on church issues. I can meaning in this century by being intelligently interested in the meetings of the various boards of our denomination.

8. I will try to look to the future and not cling to the outmoded past when change is dictated as part of our growing heritage. The world does not stand still and our

denomination itself was built by men and women who dared to think in terms of new adventures. Therefore, I must ask myself frequently if I am sure the old way is best, or if there are not new solutions to unify new members into the common welfare and keep me from living my life with my head buried in the sands of the past.

9. Opportunities for travel may come my way and I will try to become a good ambassador for my denomination. Even as I would take the best of my church with me wherever I go, I would bring back the best of our foreign mission fields. I will remember the wonderful handiwork of one God who loves his children and from this concept will come new energy to work for the betterment of our denomination. I will try to remember that a smile makes for a better relationship. Let me speak with the understanding tongue of compassion as did our founding fathers who visualized liberty and equality for all.

10. Finally, wherever I live I will try to hold on to my heritage as an Associate Reformed Presbyterian. With gratitude in my heart I can thank God for the strength to face all foes.

Humbly I acknowledge with deep gratitude the legacy of my grandmother who left me with the wonderful verse from her Bible: "The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage."

Whether we move on foot as did the pioneers of grandmother's age, or speed through the sky in the space age, there is one best way to preserve our Associate Reformed Presbyterian heritage. That is to give it the place of honor in your heart and mine as we offer our gratitude to God for its blessings and together serve our fellow members as the goodly heritage grows.

Remember to take care of your heritage. Like all good things a heritage grows.

Thank you for giving me this opportunity to express my view on our heritage and to serve during 1982 and 1983.

Mrs. J. G. (Betty) Capps, President
Woman's Synodical Union
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

Mrs. M. E. Bender, Chairman of the Committee on Inter-Church Relations, introduced Reverend A. T. Samuel, Moderator of the A.R.P. Synod of Pakistan and Mr. Carlos Amador, President of the A.R.P. Synod of Mexico. Each addressed the Synod.

Special gifts commemorating the occasion were presented to Moderator Samuel, Moderator Boswell, President Amador, and Mr. David Rodriguez, son of Missionary David Rodriguez.

Mr. Boswell introduced the representatives of the Sebring and Frostproof, Florida, churches to the Synod.

C. H. Carlisle, a former Moderator, was introduced to the Synod for the purpose of making a special presentation to W. A. Stuart, Sr. J. L. Carson escorted Mr. and Mrs. Stuart to the podium where Mr. Carlisle presented a plaque of recognition. Mr. Stuart expressed his appreciation to the Synod. Mr. Bruce Ezell, on behalf of Erskine College, made a presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Stuart of print number 2 of the Bicentennial Series.

The business session resumed with a motion to reconsider the Report of the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens.

A motion was made that the actions of Synod with regard to the Katherine E. Thompson bequest be held in abeyance until the next meeting of Synod in order to research the bequest. Following discussion, the motion carried.

The Moderator's Committee report on the Board of Church Extension was presented. A motion carried to delete item number two of the Moderator's Committee report. A motion carried to delete recommendation number seven in the Board's report.

The Moderator's Committee report on Church Extension was adopted as amended.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION

The Moderator's Committee on Church Extension met at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Charles Edgar presiding. After prayer, Mr. Edgar explained the Moderator's Committee process to the delegates and opened the floor to discussion or questions on the report itself.

Recommendations:

1. That recommendations numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Report of the Board of Church Extension be adopted. **(Amended)**
2. That recommendation number 7 of the Report of the Board of Church Extension be revised to read:

   "That the General Synod give the Board of Church Extension responsibility for communication with groups and congregations desiring to join the A.R.P. denomination that are located outside the bounds of existing presbyteries inside the bounds of the U.S." **(Not Adopted)**
3. That the General Synod express our appreciation to the Board of Church Extension and the Director for the work they have performed during the past year.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

For the opportunity of witness and outreach, the Board is grateful to serve as the agency of the Synod in assisting in the implementation of plans and programs of Church Extension. This long and honorable tradition of the denomination is celebrated with joy and thanksgiving on this occasion of two centuries of existence. We are mindful that eighty-two per cent of Associate Reformed Presbyterian congregations exist because the denomination has had this concern and financially supported this work. We give special thanks for those who currently serve in missions, pastors and people, and those who in times past have given themselves and have sacrificed for this ministry. Let us be mindful that the only way we can pay our debt to the past is to plan for and assure a future of service for those who will follow.

To those who have supported the work through the Voluntary Commitment, the Opportunity Fund offering, the Woman's Synodical Union, Presbytery offerings with special gifts, thanks are expressed on behalf of those who have been equipped and enabled to carry out the Great Commission.

The Johnson Creek congregation in Virginia no longer receives aid from Synod. The New Hope congregation, Tampa, Florida and the Troy and Rives, Tennessee congregations have begun to receive aid through request and approval of the presbyteries. A mission was begun in Hardeeville, SC, by Catawba Presbytery. The Grace Mission in Spartanburg, SC has been discontinued by Second Presbytery.

The Board co-sponsored a Church Growth Seminar with Erskine Seminary and the Board of Christian Education featuring Dr. Locke Bowman as Seminar Director. Evangelism Conferences were conducted by First Presbytery and jointly by the Mississippi Valley and Tennessee-Alabama Presbyteries. The work was also presented and emphasized at the Adult Bible Conference, Second Presbyterial, First Presbytery Deacons and Workshops in congregations. The second pre-Synod Conference was conducted at Bonclarken with 75 registered. Dr. David Reeves of the Charles E. Fuller Institute of Evangelism and Growth was the leader and Rev. David Rockness was the

preacher. The pre-Synod Conference this year will have Professor Guy Oliver and Dr. Jack Heinsohn as leaders.

During the period Jan. 1, 1977-Dec. 31, 1981, the following congregations show a 10 per cent or more net growth. This does not include congregations transferred in or missions started since Jan. 1, 1977.

The following congregations are presented with a certificate at the presentation of this report to Synod.

CATAWBA

Dutch Fork
Eden Terrace
Edgemoor
Neelys Creek
Rogers Memorial

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

Greenview Heights
Midlane Park
Pottsville
Saint Paul
Salem
Troy

FIRST

Concord
Covenant
Craig Avenue
Gilead
Idlewild
New Sterling
Pinecrest
Sandy Plains
First Union

SECOND

Bethlehem
Greenwood
Grier Memorial
Highlands
Pressly Memorial
Spartanburg
White Oak
Young Memorial

FLORIDA

Chapel-by-the-Sea
Faith
Grace
Lake Placid
Lake Wales
Trinity

TENN.-ALA.

Camden
Hopewell

VIRGINIA

Johnson's Creek
New Lebanon

The adopted goal of 2,000 additional members by 1982 was not reached. There was a decrease of 238 members for the period from 1976 to 1981. During this same period 2304 members were removed from the rolls and 4051 were removed by certificate. The Presbyteries include membership in their formulas for presbyteryassessments and congregations are more consciencious in reflecting accurate membership rolls.

A review of the work in Presbyteries:

CATAWBA—Dutch Fork, Irmo, SC, is using its first unit which was completed this year. A loan from Synod's Revolving Fund was used. The mission developer is Dr. Frank Beard.

Wando, Mt. Pleasant, SC, has a committed group and has intensified a self-study program and community outreach. The mission developer is Dr. W. Brad Sutherland, Jr.

The Vietnamese Mission, Columbia, SC, continues to use the facilities of the Centennial congregation. Support for this special ministry also comes from the presbytery and other interested groups. The mission developer is Rev. An Liem Nguyen.

Hardeeville, SC, Mission was begun by Catawba Presbytery. The Second Presbytery has joined Catawba in requesting Synod to change its boundaries so that Catawba can continue with this mission. The Seminary Faculty and students have assisted by providing supplies. A lot has been purchased with funds from the Woman's Synodical Union.

FIRST—Christ Community, Greensboro, NC, had a lot purchased for it by the Woman's Synodical Union. Plans are being made for a first unit. The mission developer is Rev. John S. Kimmons.

Pressly Memorial, Statesville, NC, located in a growing section of the city is without a pastor.

Jubilee House Community, Statesville, NC, a special ministry, continues to house and feed persons with physical and emotional needs and undergirds its program with an evangelistic outreach. It is being studied by other groups as a model for this type of ministry. The directors are Rev. and Mrs. Mike Woodard and Miss Kathleen Murdock.

FLORIDA—Grace, Orlando, FL, has broken ground for their first unit. The Revolving Loan Fund will be used for this purpose. The mission developer is Rev. Doug Fleming.

Lakeland Mission has renovated the house which is used for worship and is in need for additional space. The mission developer is Rev. Billy Barron.

New Hope, Tampa, FL, is receiving aid and on a reducing schedule as they grow stronger. The mission developer is Rev. Neal Mathias.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY—Greenview Heights, Southaven, MS, had dedication services November 8 for this new building. The mission developer is Rev. John Coad.

Troy/Rives, TN, has begun to receive aid from Synod through the Board of Church Extension. The mission developer is Rev. Joe O'Cain.

SECOND—Gwinett County, GA, where the Board owns a ten acre tract near Lawrenceville, has begun and the first worship service is scheduled for June 6. The mission developer is the Rev. Billy O. Fleming.

VIRGINIA—Kingsboro, Gloversville, NY, has a program of outreach with Bible Study support. The mission developer is Rev. Geri Gerard.

The missions and developers all have growing ministeries and the work of the developers is outstanding. Each mission could have long detailed reports of their service and ministry. The Board is grateful for the opportunity to inform you that the Presbyteries are supportive and looking for new areas of service. Catawba Presbytery has a goal to raise $50,000 this year for Church Extension and is to be highly commended. Each presbytery is asked to consider planting a new church this year.

The Synod granted permission for the terms of its appointees to the Board for six years. In order for the Board to have one Synod appointee coming on each year, the Board requests that Synod appoint one member each year for a total of six. Each presbytery has one appointee, the chairman of its committee on Church Extension, and the Woman's Synodical Union has an ex-officio member.

The Board takes note with appreciation that permission is granted to conduct a capital funds drive. As soon as the economy stabilizes the drive will be conducted. The funds will be necessary to support presbyteries in planting new congregations and other outreach programs.

The Woman's Synodical Union gave $90,000.00 to be used for Church Site Purchase. These funds were contributed through specials over a three year period. This generous and meaningful gift has made it possible to purchase property in Greensboro, NC and Hardeeville, SC. The program of Church Extension has been greatly assisted by the vision and support of the Synodical.

A bequest of $22,333.00 has been received from the estate of Mrs. Flora McElroy Miller who was a member of the Doraville, GA congregation. This bequest will be added to the Revolving Loan Fund and will continue to work in extending the Church. All members are encouraged to consider including Church Extension in their wills and estate plans.

Inasmuch as some of our presbyteries already occupy an extremely large geographical area and are somewhat reluctant to enlarge this area, this means that some congregations which might desire to become Associate Reformed Presbyterian congregations might discover that none of our presbyteries are willing to enter into conversations with them. In such cases, the Board of Church Extension might serve as a liaison between our General Synod and these congregations until such time as they are able to form a new presbytery or be taken under the care of an existing presbytery. As the only agency of the General Synod which is charged with the responsibility of "enlarging the place of our tent" within the United States, we express our willingness to serve in this capacity. We would function within the United States in much the same manner as the Board of World Witness would function in a new area outside the United States.

In compliance with the Synod's request to present its policy governing special ministries the following are presented:

That a Committee on Special Ministries be established within the Board of Church Extension whose purpose it would be to review, report, and promote Special Ministries. Reports of Sepcial Ministries to the Board of Church Extension should come through their respective Presbyteries by the Committee on Church Extension. Special Ministries will be carried on the budget under the Committee on Special Ministries. Special Ministries will be motivated by an evangelistic approach. Special Ministries may have the characteristic of Home Mission outreach with little or no prospect of those being ministered to supporting themselves. We strongly recommend that Synod would adopt these guidelines and suport the work of Special Ministries. We also recommend that the Board communicate to the General Synod that monies for Special Ministries be above and beyond the 25 per cent figure of the Voluntary Commitment for the Board of Church Extension.

Recommendations

1. That the supplement requests of the presbyteries for 1983 and the budget be adopted.
2. That the Opportunity Fund be received in all congregations in 1982 (Thanksgiving season).
3. That the policy governing special ministries be approved.
4. That the number of Synod appointees on the Board be increased by one (total - six) with one appointee each year.
5. That special thanks be extended to the Woman's Synodical Union for paying for property in Greensboro, NC and Hardeeville, SC.
6. That permission be granted to annually carry over unused site purchase funds in a restricted account.
7. That the General Synod give the Board of Church Extension responsibility for new work and congregations inside the bounds of the United States and outside the bounds of existing presbyteries. **(Not Adopted.)**

Respectfully submitted,
J. B. Hendrick, Chairman
C. E. Linderman, Secretary

CHURCH EXTENSION BUDGET 1983

INCOME

OPERATING	
Synod (Pro-rated)	201,892.00
WSU (Unrestricted)	15,000.00
Interest—Permanent Funds & Ellis Trust	5,000.00
Honorarium	300.00
Direct Support	5,000.00
Other Miscellaneous Unrestricted Income	1,000.00
	$288,192.00
CAPITAL	
WSU (Restricted) New Building & Church Site Purchases—Current Income	30,000.00
Opportunity Fund	30,000.00
	60,000.00
TOTAL INCOME:	$288,192.00

OPERATING

GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE	
Director's Salary	$ 21,500.00
Housing Allowance	5,000.00
Travel and Expense	4,000.00
Continuing Education	600.00
Insurance	974.00
Retirement	2,120.00
Board Travel and Expense	3,200.00
Office Expense	1,500.00
Rent	672.00
	39,566.00
EVANGELISM	
Promotional	10,000.00
Special Ministries	
First Presbytery—Jubilee House Community	
Catawba Presbytery—Rev. An	4,800.00
	14,800.00
MISSION DEVELOPMENT	50,000.00
Moving—Mission Pastors	
Training	
Contingency	
	50,000.00
SUPPLEMENTS	
Catawba Presbytery	
Dutch Fork	9,984.00
Hardeeville	20,700.00
Wando	9,542.00
First Presbytery	
Christ Community (Greensboro)	12,000.00
Pressly Memorial (NC)	14,000.00
Florida Presbytery	
Grace Community	4,000.00
Lakeland	16,000.00
New Hope	4,000.00
Mississippi Valley	
Greenview Heights	5,000.00
Troy, TN	6,000.00
New Work	
Second Presbytery	
Gwinnet County	16,000.00
Virginia Presbytery	
New Work	
Kingsborough	4,600.00
	121,226.00
TOTAL OPERATING	$225,592.00

CAPITAL

Church Site Purchase Fund	$30,000.00
Opportunity Fund—1982 (Church Site Purchase)	30,000.00
	$60,000.00

PROMOTIONAL	
Opportunity Fund Expense	1,000.00
Deferred Gift Materials	1,000.00
	2,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	$288,192.00

A motion was presented by G. C. Slater and adopted.

I move that the General Synod adopt the following policy with reference to congregations making inquiries to our denomination:

1. Initial request for information be answered with packet of free written materials from the A.R.P. Center.
2. That any specific questions be directed to the Principal Clerk.
3. That if they seek any further information on possible relationships, they be referred to the nearest presbytery geographically.

Synod adjourned with the benediction by R. J. Robinson.

Thursday, June 17, 1982
9:00 A.M.

The morning worship was led by J. C. Smith who conducted a special Psalm Sing for the Synod.

Fraternal greetings were brought to the Synod by Dr. Robert Copeland of the Reformed Church in North America and Dr. John H. Leith of the Presbyterian Church in the United States and the World Alliance of Reformed Churches.

Mr. Ike Barnett, Associate Director of the Presbyterian Council on Chaplains and Military Personnel, was introduced and addressed the General Synod.

A motion carried to dispense with the reading of Wednesday's minutes.

The next item of business was the election of Vice-Moderator. Moderator-Elect R. J. Marshburn was granted the floor and nominated Jan Senneker as Vice-Moderator. There were no further nominations and Mr. Senneker was elected Vice-Moderator Elect. Mr. Senneker addressed the Synod.

Special prayer was offered for the Moderator-Elect and Vice-Moderator Elect.

Mr. Boswell presented commemorative communion tokens to President Ezell and Erskine College to commemorate the occasion of the 178th meeting of the General Synod.

The following Resolution was adopted:

A RESOLUTION OF THANKS

On the occasion of the 200th anniversary of our denomination, it has been good to gather on the campus of Erskine College, our institu-

tion of higher education and the oldest four-year denominational college in South Carolina.

Both the hospitality and the traditions of the college have made a positive impact on the General Synod, and we take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the Erskine family for its graciousness and goodness to us, the 178th Annual Meeting of the General Synod.

The Pages were recognized and presented with communion tokens. Pages for this Synod are Eric Steele (Catawba), David O'Cain, Stewart Strangler, and Joni Owen (Mississippi Valley), Cliff White (Second), Craig Patterson (Tennessee-Alabama), and Don McCullough (Virginia).

A motion carried that the memorial tribute for Ebenezer Gettys and the list of deceased ruling elders be printed in the *Minutes of Synod.* (See Appendix) The names of the deceased ruling elders were read to the Synod by Vice-Moderator J. L. Carson. C. E. Edwards led in prayer for our deceased brethren.

J. C. Smith and A. C. Bridges were presented with special memorial copies of the eighth edition of the *Bible Songs.*

A motion carried that all requests for excuse, both for the entire meeting and for portions thereof, be granted.

W. C. Lauderdale, Director of Church Extension, and C. F. Edgar presented the special certificates for growth to those churches experiencing ten percent or more growth in active membership 1976 -1981.

A motion carried that the devotional and addresses presented be printed in the *Minutes of Synod.* (See **Bicentennial Supplement).**

The Report of the Committee on Nominations was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee on Nominations presents the following nominees for service on Boards, Committees, and the Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs and as officers of the General Synod. The terms of service will begin July, 1, 1982, and will expire as of June 30 of the year indicated. All nominees were given that portion of the **Manual of Authorities and Duties** appropriate to their area of service and all have indicated a willingness to serve if elected.

Officer of Synod
Parliamentarian — 1985 — Lowry Ware (Due West)
Reading Clerk — (1986) — R. B. Elliott, Jr.

A.R.P. Center Facility (Committee of Executive Board)
1985 — Roddy S. Ellis (Due West)

Board of Annuities and Relief
Note: The term of service is being changed to six years and a schedule has been adoted in which three persons will be appointed each year until there are two persons in each class.
1985 — J. Dixon Lesslie (Neelys Creek) To replace M. E. Gilbert
1986 — Eugene G. Mitchell (Edgemoor)
1987 — Janus DeHamer (Centennial)
1988 — Grant F. Johnson

Board of Directors, A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.
1983 — Murry Whitten (Westminster, TN) To replace David O. Richardson
1986 — Plato Pearson, Jr. (Gastonia First), Fleetwood T. Lane (Bartow), Frank Yarian (Atonement)

Board of Trustees of Bonclarken
Note: The Committee on Nominations has adopted a schedule which will appoint three persons each year through 1984 at which time there will be two persons in each class with members serving six-year terms, as directed by the 1980 General Synod.
1986 — R. O. Hawthorne (Young Memorial)
1987 — Mrs J. R. (Carole) Ellis (Greenville)
1988 — Campbell Stewart (St. Andrew)
Youth Representative (1984) — David K. Freeland (Lake Wales)

Board of Christian Education
Note: At large membership is being reduced from nine to five. A schedule has been adopted with the approval of the Board of Christian Education for an orderly change. The schedule calls for no appointment this year, but the extension of John Lutz's service by one year to 1986; appoint a minister in 1983, a layperson and minister in 1984, a minister in 1985, a layperson in 1986, and a minister in 1987.

Board of Church Extension
Note: The term of service has been changed from four to six years. The Board of Church Extension is also recommending the at large membership be increased from five to six. The Board of Church Extension has recommended extending the service by one year of C. E. Linderman, Robert Oates, R. J. Robinson, and James W. Leslie, III, and the Committee on Nominations concurs.
1987 — R. B. Luebke, Jr.
1988 — Luther N. Wilson (Centennial)
Youth Represenative (1984) — Chris Sherrill (Seminary)

Board of Dunlap
Note: The Board has been "unfrozen" by action of the 1981 General Synod, and the new terms are recommended:
1983 — Mrs. Frank (Margaret) Hunt (FL - Lake Wales); Leo Hill (S - Greenville)
1984 — R. Wayne Dickson (C), Paul Shannon (TA - Cleveland Street)
1985 — Harry McCalla (MV Area - Richland); Bob Fravel (V - Old Providence)
1986 — Shannon Faulkner (MV Area - Salem); Charles Mitchell (F); Martin Simpson (MV - Covington)
Youth Representative (1984): Elizabeth Stephens (New Albany, MS)

Board of Trustees of Erskine College
1987 — Mrs. Leo (Grace Lucille) Hill (Greenville) To replace Rex Carter
1988 — Daniel O. Adams (1st Scots Presbyterian Church, Charleston); Donald W. Elliott, John A. McAllister (Mt. Carmel), H. Lloyd Wilkerson (St. Anne's Episcopal Church, Jacksonville, NC), Harold S. Mace
Youth Representative (1984) — Bill Linderman (New Sterling)

Board of Publications
Note: The Board of Publications is recommending that its membership be eight persons. The Committee on Nominations is submitting its nominees based on that membership.
1983 — Elizabeth S. Lynch (Boyce Memorial) To replace J.S. Banks; William J. Boyd, To replace B. E. Dewitt
1986 — W. Maynard Pittendreigh, Wayne Wingate (Rock Hill First)

Board of Stewardship
Note: Board membership is being increased from five to six at large members with each serving a six-year term. The changes recommended have the concurrence of the Board of Stewardship.
1984 — P. H. Starnes (Changed from 1983)
1985 — Bob E. Murdock (Changed from 1984)
1986 — William B. Patrick, Jr. (Changed from 1985)
1987 — James William Oliver (Back Creek)
1988 — Robert J. Nagy (Bethel, SC)
Youth Representative (1984): David Griffin

World Witness, The Board Of Foreign Missions
1988 — Ashton T. Stewart, Jr., James C. Barker
Youth Represenative (1984): Ken McMullen

Ecclesiastical Commission on Judiciary Affairs
1986 — Robert A. Whitesides, Thomas G. Earle, Jr. (Sherwood Forest)

Committee on Historical Concerns
1986 — Dodd Vernon (Lyndon Grove)
1987 — Lind Vickery (Greenville)
1988 — Richard D. Riddle (Atonement)
Youth Representative (1983): Phil Cauthen

Committee on Inter-Church Relations
1986 — John A. Bigham (Centennial), W. C. Halliday

Committee on Lay Ministry
1986 — Henry Bigham (Idlewild); John G. Lewis (Statesville); Mrs. W. M. (Reta) Harris (Edgemont)

Committee on Minister and His Work
1983 — Mr. John Blumenstein (Youth)

Ministry to Senior Citizens
1986 — Harvey B. Burgess (C-Sharon, SC); Mrs. Harry (Beth) McCalla (MV-Richland) -Richland)

Committee on Nominations
1983 — James M. Williams (Youth)

Committee on Theological and Social Concerns
1986 — Billy O. Fleming, Raymond E. Ashmore
Erskine Theological Seminary Advisory Member (1983): Guy Oliver
Youth Representative (1983): David Boggs

Committee on Worship
1986 — Charles F. Edgar, Kristin J. Johnson (Centennial), Clyde T. McCants
Youth Represenative (1983) — Elizabeth L. McGill (Boyce Memorial)

Denominational Represenative Recommended for Appointment to Historical Foundation
1985 — William S. Best (Crowders Creek)

Recommendations

1. That those persons listed in this report as nominees for service be approved.

2. That each session have as an item of business for their December session meeting the consideration of persons they feel capable of serving on one of Synod's boards or committees and that they submit that name to the Committee on Nominations for consideration not later than January 1. Along with each name the session should submit some background information, mailing address and telephone number, place the person may best serve, and his willingness to accept the nomination. The Committee has prepared a form which will be distributed to churches and made available to facilitate the submitting of names to the Committee. We commend those churches and individuals who sent in names to the Committee.
4. That the names of nominees from the Woman's Synodical Union be submitted to Synod's Committee on Nominations and that not less than two names for each vacancy be submitted.
5. That the Executive Board of Synod appoint members to its Committe on the A.R.P. Center Facility.

Officers for the Committee for July 1, 1982-June 30, 1983 are W. C. Lauderdale, Chairman, and Guy H. Smith, Jr., Secretary.

Respectfully submitted
Paul Shannon, Chairman

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Memorials was presented and considered item-by-item.

Item number one was adopted.

Item number two was presented. A substitute motion carried as follows:

> WHEREAS, we as followers of Jesus Christ are called to a life of peace as we strive to lead our lives under His Sovereign Lordship; and
>
> WHEREAS, there now exists the imminent danger for the total annihilation of the human race either intentionally or unintentionally through the use of nuclear weapons; now therefore,
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> BE IT RESOLVED, that the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in its bicentennial year and at the 178th meeting of the General Synod affirm the way of Christ is the way of peace, that Synod urge all members of this court to return to their congregations with this prayerful concern and they ask each member of these congregations to prayerfully consider their Christian responsibility to communicate with representatives and congressmen to ask their continued efforts to find an honorable solution to this horrible situation.

Item number three was adopted.

Item number four was adopted.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

The Moderator's Committee on Memorials met at the designated place and time. It considered five papers which came to the committee.

The committee considered the Memorials from First Presbytery and Mississippi Valley Presbytery in regard to the **Form of Government** (V, A, 1) - *Definition of a Church Member* - jointly.

We recommend:

1. That the Memorials from First Presbytery and Mississippi Valley Presbytery in regard to the Form of Government (V, A, 1) *Definition of a Church Member* - not be adopted. The committee understands the pronoun "he" to be neutral as used in V, A, 1.

2. That the First Presbytery Memorial in regard to Nuclear Weapons not be adopted. **(Amended)**
3. That the First Presbytery Memorial in regard to presbytery consideration of overtures and amendments be adopted.
4. That the First Presbytery Memorial in regard to the membership of the Board of World Witness not be adopted.

MEMORIALS

MEMORIAL FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY (Not Adopted)

WHEREAS Chapter V, Section A, Paragraph 1, of the Standards of the Church, titled "Definition of A Church Member", is open to mininterpretation and misunderstanding and clearly leads to unrest:

IN THAT it is written using **Masculine singular pronoun** throughout while the practice of the church has long been to welcome female members.

IN THAT the section includes among the "rights & privileges" of such membership "the right to hold office unless restricted by a minimum age limit..."while the practice of the church and other parts of the Standards deny such office to women members.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that First Presbytery memoralize the General Synod to change the wording of the offending paragraph to read in the following, or some similar manner in order to remove the conflicts and misunderstandings:

> "The Communicant Church Member is one who, has been baptized, has made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord and who has submitted one's life to the Lordship of Jesus Christ and to the ministry of the Church. Such persons are entitled to certain rights and privileges within the church, including the right to vote in congregational meetings, the right to participate in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, and the right to present their children for the Sacrament of Baptism."

Adopted by First Presbytery on October 13, 1981

Bill Deaton, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

MEMORIAL FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY (Not Adopted)

A Memorial to the General Synod from First Presbytery. The purpose of this memorial shall be to amend the Manual of Authorities and duties of the officers and agencies of the General Synod.

WHEREAS, in the 1981 Minutes of General Synod, pages 422, 423, the World Witness Board asks that local churches and Presbyteries consider establishing a World Witness Committee.

AND WHEREAS, First Presbytery has by it actions this day begun the process of the establishment of a World Witness Standing Committee,

AND WHEREAS, the Manual of Authority and Duties of the officers and agencies of the General Synod makes no provision in it's composition of the Board of Foreign Missions for the representation of the Chairperson of any Presbytery Committee on World Witness,

AND WHEREAS, it is common practice on the General Synod level to provide for the Chairpersons of the Presbytery Committees to have representation on the corresponding Committee of General Synod,

Be it resolved, that the Manual of Authorities and Duties of the officers and agencies of the General Synod be amended to provide for the inclusion of the Chairperson of all Presbytery Committees on World Witness that might be established as a result of the recommendation of the World Witness report to the General Synod in 1981.

Adopted by First Presbytery on March 9, 1982

L.M. Allison, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

MEMORIAL FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY
(Not Adopted. See Moderator's Committee on Stewardship)

We, the First Presbytery, memorialize the General Synod requesting aid for The Jubilee House Community for the year 1983, in the amount of $7,500, with the funds to be funded by the General Synod.

Adopted by First Presbytery on March 9, 1982

L.M. Allison, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

MEMORIAL FROM MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY (Not Adopted)

The following is a memorial which was adopted by Mississippi Valley Presbytery on March 10, 1982:

The Mississippi Valley Presbytery memorializes the General Synod to amend V, A, 1, of the Form of Government to read:

> Communicant church members are those who have been baptized, who have made public their profession of faith in Jesus Christ and who have submitted their life to His Lordship and to the ministry of the Church. Each member is entitled to all the rights and privileges of the congregation, including the right to vote in congregational meetings, the right to hold office unless restricted by the Session or the Standards of the Church, the right to participate in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, and the right to present their children for the Sacrament of Baptism.

William B. Everett, Clerk

MEMORIAL FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY (Amended)

WHEREAS, we as followers of Jesus Christ are called to a life of peace as we strive to lead our lives under his Sovereign Lordship; and,

WHEREAS, there now exists the imminent danger for the total annihilation of the human race either intentionally or unintentionally through the use of nuclear weapons; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in its bicentennial year and at the one hundred and seventy-eighth meeting of the General Synod affirm the way of Christ is the way of peace, and call upon the nations of the earth to forego further nuclear proliferation and to begin a systematic destruction of all existing nuclear weapons (a copy of this memorial to be sent to the governments of China, France, Great Britain, India, USA, USSR).

Adopted by First Presbytery on June 14, 1982

L. M. Allison, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

MEMORIAL FROM FIRST PRESBYTERY (Adopted)

The present procedure regarding overtures from the General Synod and amendments to the Form of Government is to present them (discuss only) at the Fall Meeting of Presbytery and to vote on them (no discussion) at the Spring Meeting of Presbytery. (See Form of Government, Chapter XV, and C.1)

We make the following memorial to the General Synod that this procedure be amended to allow opportunity at the Spring Meeting for five (5) minute summary presentations for arguments "for and against" (10 minutes total) prior to the official voting on such overtures and amendments by Presbytery.

Adopted by First Presbytery on June 14, 1982.

L. M. Allison, Moderator
Earl Linderman, Stated Clerk

The Moderator's Committee on Dunlap was presented item-by-item.

Item number one was adopted.

Item number 2-A was adopted.

Item number 2-B was adopted.

Item number 2-C was presented. A substitute motion carried as follows:

> I move that the Report of the Moderator's Committee on Dunlap Home be amended to provide that any funds of the General Synod or its agencies advanced to the Due West Retirement Center be disbursed in the form of a properly secured loan, under terms and conditions to be approved by the Board of Stewardship and the Executive Board of Synod. **(NOTE: Amended by later motion.)**

Item number D was presented and adopted.

The motion to adjourn carried and Synod dismissed with the Benediction by W. N. Falls.

Thursday, June 17, 1982
1:30 P.M.

The afternoon session began with the Worship Service led by C. E. Edwards. W. A. Macaulay read communications to the Synod from the Reformed Presbyterian Church of Scotland, The United Presbyterian Church, and The Orthodox Presbyterian Church.

Reverend C. Biddle Foster and his wife were introduced to the General Synod. Mr. Foster is pastor of three churches in the process of transferring to the Virginia Presbytery. W. A. Macaulay led in prayer for Mrs. Foster.

A motion carried that item 2-C of the Moderator's Committee report on Dunlap be reopened.

A substitute motion was presented and adopted for 2-C.

> That the Moderator appoint a five-member interim committee for the purpose of coordinating all matters pertaining to retirement centers in which there is participation in any form by the General Synod or its agencies, including a recommendation for a permanent board to be recommended by the Nominating Committee to the Executive Board of Synod for approval; and
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> That the Board of Stewardship and the Executive Board of Synod be authorized to forthwith lend $100,000 to the Due West Retirement Center for a period of one year and that upon
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> 1. the appointment of all of the members of the Board of Directors of the Due West Retirement Center by Synod; and
> 2. the amendment of the By-Laws of the Due West Retirement Center to provide for the reversion all assets of the Due West Retirement Center to the General Synod in the event of dissolution of the Due West Retirement Center the loan will be con-

verted to a grant with no interest due, and that the 1982 Synod understands that the Board of the Due West Retirement Center as presently constituted may continue to function to carry out the plans presently underway until such time as the reconstituted Board is appointed by Synod, and that the grant is contingent upon no fund raising fee being paid in connection therewith.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Dunlap was adopted as a whole as amended.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON DUNLAP

We recommend that:

1. Dunlap unrestricted funds be turned over to Synod and that Synod purchase the property of Dunlap immediately at a price to be negotiated with the Board of Dunlap.
2. (a) The Dunlap Board be instructed to sell the Vaughan Farm located in Tipton County (this is not part of the Dunlap Property left by the Dunlaps).
   (b) The present Dunlap Property of 19 acres and buldings be sold or transferred to the designated Board, known as the Dunlap Retirement Home Board, (that Synod appoints for this purpose) for the sum of $150,000.
   (c) $100,000 be given to the Due West Retirement Center. **(Amended)**
   (d) $100,000 be given to the Dunlap Retirement Home.

REPORT OF THE WILLIAM H. DUNLAP ORPHANAGE BOARD

The Dunlap Board in accordance with the directive of the 1981 Synod began immediately following the meeting of Synod to carry out its instructions. The Board began advertising for the sale of the W. H. Dunlap property that is subject to the Dunlap Trust. The first date to receive bids for the property was set for July 3rd, 1981. No bids were received at this time. The Board once again proceeded to advertise for bids. The second bid date was set for October 10, 1981. The Dunlap Board met on October 14, 1981. The bids were opened and tabulated. After consideration by the Board the 3 bids from Mr. Carl Waites were accepted. The property settlement to be closed on or about January 14, 1982. There was one bid on the Campus 9.6 acres and buildings however the Board rejected the bid as it was not adequate.

During this year also two Churches in the Memphis area made inquiry about the Campus property and for a time it appeared they were going to make an acceptable offer. However by the spring meeting of the Dunlap Board both decided not to pursue the purchase of the property.

Just prior to the Spring meeting of the board Dr. Gordon Parkinson of Synod's Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens communicated with the Dunlap Board. Dr. Parkinson informed the Dunlap Board that his committee was considering a proposal to recommend to Synod to purchase the Dunlap Campus property for conversion into a Senior Citizens Home. The Dunlap board was asked to consider this matter.

The Dunlap board at the spring meeting considered the proposal of the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens, and after considerable discussion the following motion was made and approved with no declining votes.

> "We the members of the William H. Dunlap Board believe that the remaining Dunlap property is highly suitable for a Retirement Center and we do recommend that the Moderators Committee on Dunlap and

the General Synod consider the recommendation made by the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens as to the purchase of the Dunlap property for the Ministry of a Retirement Home/Center at Dunlap."

An Additional proposal is the following:

"The Synod being the legislative body of the Church created by its authority a new Committee or Board such as suggested by the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens. This new Committee or Board having at least 50% of its members from the Mississippi Valley and Tennessee-Alabama Presbyteries. This Committee or Board be instructed to purchase the Dunlap Campus from Synod and proceed to renovate and convert the Dunlap Campus into the William H. Dunlap Retirement Center/Home of the Synod. This Board or Committee be allowed to purchase the Dunlap Campus property and develop the Retirement Home with the non-restricted funds now in the control of the Orphanage Board. The Synod could have the Dunlap Orphanage board to transfer these funds to Synods control. The Synod would merely grant or advance the funds for purchase and development of the Dunlap Retirement Center/Home. Any remaining funds could be loaned to the Due West Retirement Center if Synod so desires."

This would result in accomplishing the following:

A. The Synod would now have funds for ministry of the Orphan and Needy Children which it must retain under the terms and restrictions of the William H. Dunlap Trust regarding the Orphanage.
B. The Synod through its newly created agency would be the owners of the Campus and have a retirement home.
C. The restricted funds could be invested at the highest yield, and the interest used annually to support a budget in compliance with the terms of the Dunlap Trust. The interest could for instance go to support orphans and needy children under the William H. Dunlap Home in Mexico, Pakistan or elsewhere as the need requires.

It is most urgent that this Synod should act on this matter to avoid the chance of possibly losing the restricted Dunlap Funds.

In summary: The opportunity is here to further and advance the Dunlap Trust purpose, that is to continue the ministry to the Orphan and Needy children of the world and aid and assist the Ministry of Senior Citizens.

Submitted by the William H. Dunlap Orphanage Board
Paul K. Shannon, Chairman

The Moderator's Committee on Erskine was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON ERSKINE COLLEGE

The Moderator's Committee on Erskine College was called to order by Chairman Jim Corbitt, and opened with prayer by Charles Todd.

The Committee met and considered the Erskine College and Seminary Reports item by item. The Committee recommends that all the recommendations of the Erskine College report be approved with the following exceptions: Items 5 and 6 be changed to reflect the approved 1983 budget. The Committee also recommends that all the recommendations of the Erskine Seminary report be approved.

In addition, the Committee would like to call the attention of Synod to the future needs expressed in Recommendation 6, and that the Synod ask its Stewardship Committee to include those needs in next year's budget in consultation with Erskine Board, and that meanwhile the Synod authorize the establishment of a fund at Erskine to send an

approved A.R.P. to earn a terminal degree (with a view to teaching at Erskine Seminary), and that Erskine Seminary be encouraged to make this opportunity for giving known throughtout the Synod.

The Committee commends Dr. Bruze Ezell, Dr. J. A. Knight, Dr. Randall T. Ruble, Mr. Lee Logan, and Mr. Bill Stuart, Jr. for their courtesy and cooperation in meeting with the Committee. The meeting was closed in prayer by Dr. Randall Ruble.

REPORT OF ERSKINE COLLEGE

We report our operation since our 1981 report to you. Senior management at this writing includes:

Chairman	W. H. Stuart, Jr.
Vice Chairman	W. M. Harris, Jr.
Treasurer	H. E. Batson
Secretary	A. W. Alexander
President	Wm. Bruce Ezell, Jr.
Vice President and Dean of the College	J. A. Knight
Vice President and Dean of the Seminary	R. T. Ruble
Vice President for Business and Finance	C. H. Carlisle
Vice President for Development	L. W. Logan
Dean of Students	W. W. Lesesne
Dean of Students	E. G. McDill
Chaplain	L. P. Kennerly

On July 1 the following persons will succeed to the indicated offices; other incumbents will continue in office:

J. W. Tysinger	Chairman
W. Charles Blair	Vice Chairman
W. H. Stuart, Jr.	Treasurer
A. W. Alexander	Secretary

A copy of the 1982 College catalogue, Exhibit A; Theological Seminary catalogue, Exhibit B; and the Auditors Report, Exhibit C; are attached. **(Note: Not reprinted herein.)**

Major events, activities, improvements, and projects during the year have included:

1. The unanimous election of Dr. Wm. Bruce Ezell, Jr. as the eleventh President of Erskine College by the Board of Trustees occurred on 24 July 1981. At the time of his election, Dr. Ezell was serving as Professor and Head of the Department of Biology at Georgia Southern College in Statesboro, Georgia. Dr. Ezell is married to the former Nancy Ellen Johnson of Ninety Six, South Carolina. Dr. and Mrs. Ezell and their four children moved to Due West in September. Dr. Ezell assumed the Office of President on 7 September 1981.
2. New appointments to the faculty of Erskine College included:
   Mr. Anthony L. Dunlap - Department of Music
   Dr. Patrick McArthur - Department of Biology
   Maj. Ronald Schneider - Department of Military Science
   Mr. John D. Pitzer - Erskine Library
3. New appointments to the adjunct faculty (and their disciplines) to the Erskine Theological Seminary included the following pastors from the United Methodist Church (see item 4 below).
   Dr. Robert McKeown - Methodist Doctrine

The Rev. Mr. James Gadsden - Methodist Polity
The Rev. Ms. Susan Henry-Crowe - Methodist History

4. Following the adjunct appointments cited above and a visit by a committee from the Methodist Commission on Theological Education, the President and Dean (Seminary) were informed 11 January 1982 that The United Methodist Church has withdrawn its reservations regarding the training of Methodist ministers at the Erskine Theological Seminary. This action was retroactive to 1 January 1981.

5. The resolution of the long-standing problems between The United Methodist Church and the Erskine Theological Seminary constitutes a major milestone for both the Trustees and the Administration of the College. This resolution was made possible by the quiet diplomacy and tireless work by Dean R. T. Ruble.

6. A faculty retreat based on the theme "The Craft of Teaching" was held on 27 August at Camp Fellowship. Speakers for this event included:

Dr. Frederick C. James - Presbyterian College
Dr. Dixon Cunningham - Furman University
Dr. Dan Maultsby - Wofford College
Dr. Jerold M. Savory - Columbia College
Dr. Walter Hudgins - Wofford College
Dr. Veronica Melton - Furman University

7. The Registrar's Office reported a total of 643 undergraduates representing 634 full-time equivalent students enrolled as of October 1981. An additional 78 students were enrolled in the Erskine Theological Seminary. The Spring (1982) enrollment figures were 602 students for the College and 62 for the Seminary.

8. As of 30 April 1982 the total amount pledged to the *Greater Distinction for Erskine* campaign was $10,787,721.43; of this total $2,532,772.82 was pledged for the Robert Stone Galloway Physical Activities Center.

9. The *Flying Fleet Campaign* (kick-off date 7 April 1982) has a total amount pledged of $11,760. The 1980-81 campaign totaled $17,511.50.

10. The 1981-82 *Living Endowment Campaign* reflects a 17.5% increase over that of the 1980-81 campaign. To date $352,185.73 has been received for 1981-82 compared to $299,479.16 for 1980-81.

11. Erskine College operated with a surplus of $181,235 for the period 1 July 1980 -30 June 1981, which made it possible to reduce the current fund indebtedness to $78,808.

12. The scholarship programme of the College was strengthened significantly by an announcement by The Edward C. Stuart Foundation, Inc. of Bartow, Florida, that a fourth E. B. Kennedy Scholarship will be available for the school year, 1983-84. The programme will expand to 100 the number of students that will be interviewed on campus as semi-finalists.

13. The following students were selected as E. B. Kennedy Scholars for the 1982-83 school year:

Steve Brazzell - Rock Hill, S.C.
Saralyn Hawkins - Durham, N.C.
Beverly Shealy - Gilbert, S.C.

14. Responding to a memorial from the General Synod, the College raised scholarships for qualified sons, daughters, and spouses of Associate Reformed Presbyterian ministers from $600 to $1,000 per year.

15. A special milestone in the life of the College was marked on 5 December 1981, when the 3.6 million dollar Robert Stone Galloway Physical Activities Center was dedicated in special ceremonies. The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has indicated they will be contacting Erskine soon regarding the final formulation of the College's Application for 1.3 million dollar loan for Galloway Center. The interest rate has increased from 5% to 11 3/8% while retaining the forty year payout period. At this writing, indications appear favorable for the approval of this loan according to the FmHA officials.

16. A special "Bicentennial Tour" sponsored by the Alumni Association and the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Bicentennial Committee has been planned for the summer of 1982.

17. The faculty granted 92 A.B. and B.S. degrees and seven M.Div. degrees during commencement exercises on 17 May 1981. One diploma in theological studies was granted by the faculty of the Seminary. The following honourary degrees were also awarded:

Leon McDill Allison - Doctor of Divinity
Robert Smith Clarke, Jr. - Doctor of Humanities
Flora Harper Halliday - Doctor of Humanities

Dr. James T. Laney, President of Emory University, was the principal speaker for the occasion. The Rev. Mr. R. J. Robinson of Rock Hill delivered the Baccalaureate Sermon.

18. On 11 August 1981, ten students were graduated with the A.B. or B.S. degree. The Rev. Mr. Guy H. Smith, Jr. of the Unity Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church was the commencement speaker.

19. Major continuing education conferences associated with Erskine Theological Seminary included:

November 3-4	Church Growth Conference	Dr. Lock E. Bowman, Jr.
February 9	Missionary Conference	Elisabeth Elliot
February 13-14	Whitesides Pastors' Institute	Dr. Fred B. Craddock
February 13-14	Robinson Lectures	Dr. Ronald Sider

20. The Erskine Theological Seminary also sponsored two special "Renewing Ministry" conferences on 27-29 October 1981 and 27-29 April 1982 (see Seminary report).

21. Major campus events sponsored by the Chaplain's Office included a campus Thanksgiving service, a "lessons and carols programme" for convocation, the lighting of the "Erskine Christmasse Tree" at Grampian Hill, a Christmas Banquet, a Maundy Thursday service, the annual ARP Youth Night basketball game, and the Senior Class Steak Supper held at the President's Home.

22. This year's *Staley Lecturer* was Dr. Mary Faith Carson of Moravian College.

23. The following individuals joined the staff of Erskine College during this report period:

Mr. Randall A. Kolb
Food Services Manager
Epicure Management Service

Sgt. Stephen D. Price
Drill Instructor
Dept. of Military Science

Mr. James B. Link
Director of Physical Plant
B.S., Clemson University

Mr. Kenneth Robinson
Resident Director
Grier Hall

Miss Robin A. Livingston
Admissions Counselor
A.B., Erskine College

Mrs. Randall K. Sullivan
Supervisor, Permit Mailing
A.B. Furman University

Mrs. Beverly B. Martin
Secretary, Office of Development
B.G.S., USC at Spartanburg

Mrs. Linda Williams
Secretary
Erskine Theological Seminary

Mr. James M. Wood
Comptroller
A.B., Lander College

24. Major campus repairs and renovation projects completed or underway during the report period include the following:

a. renovation of heating and cooling facilities associated with the Lesesne Auditorium (made possible by a generous gift from Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stuart);
b. installation of smoke detectors in Carnegie and Robinson Dormitories;
c. painting and repair of the exterior of Belk, Memorial, Pressly, and Grier Halls;

d. repair of columns and painting of Euphemian Hall;
e. improved sewage system on Erskine Mall;
f. repaired roof and heating facilities for Art Exhibition Center;
g. installation of water retainers in showers of Grier and Pressly Halls; and
h. the modification of one room in the Watkins Student Center as a large-screen television room for students.

25. The College faculty formally welcomed the "Class of 1985" to the Erskine community during a special convocation that marked the 143rd opening of Erskine College and 145th opening of Erskine Seminary. A profile of the new undergraduate student body as compared with the previous year's freshman class is presented below:

	Class of 1980	**Class of 1981**
Total Applications	401	434
Accepted	330	358
Class SAT Average	924	960
Enrolled	191	151
Academic Counseling Programme	39	20
Florida	24	19
North Carolina	7	15
South Carolina	129	102
Georgia	12	6
Female	102	78
Male	89	73
Academic Scholarships	44	53

26. The College community was saddened by the deaths of Mrs. J. W. Tysinger, wife of Erskine trustee, The Honorable James Tysinger; Mrs. Mildred Cheshire, wife of The Rev. Dr. C. Linwood Cheshire, Jr., Director of Planned Deferred Giving; Mrs. Edie Martin Blair, wife of Alumni Association President, Dr. Charles Blair; and Dr. Ebenezer Gettys, beloved leader of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. Representatives from the College were present for the funerals.

27. The formal dedication of a U.S. Army ROTC unit was held on the campus of 9 September, with Brig. Gen. F. Cecil Adams serving as the principal speaker.

28. The College and Seminary completed a major Self-Study of all phases of their operations as required by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) during this report period. A SACS Self-Study is normally required every ten years for reaccreditation purposes. The Self-Study (covering the years 1980-81) was directed by a Steering Committee composed of the following individuals:

Dr. Nancy Erickson	Chairman
Dr. Margaret Cubine	Editor
Dr. Joseph H. Patrick	Trustee Representative
The Rev. Mr. Stanyarne Bell	Administration (until Feb. 1981)
Dr. Wm. Bruce Ezell, Jr.	Administration (after Sept. 1981)
Dr. J. A. Knight	Administration
The Rev. Dr. R. T. Ruble	Administration
Dr. Lewis Fikes	Faculty
Dr. John M. Grier	Faculty
Dr. Rick B. Norwood	Student Body (until May 1981)
Mr. Kent Talbert	Student Body (after May 1981)

The Self-Study was edited and finally published by the College in November of 1981.

29. On 14-17 March 1982, Erskine hosted a visit by a Reaffirmation Committee, consisting of 12 representatives from various colleges and universities, that were appointed by the SACS. The members of the committee were:

Dr. William R. Baggett, Chm.	Georgia State University
Dr. Lambuth M. Clark	President of Virginia Wesleyan College
Dr. E. L. Heath	Louisiana College
Ms. Alexander J. Naples	Florida State University
Dr. Richard Rollins	Bishop College

Dr. Stewart Smith	University of Mary Hardin-Taylor
Mr. Freddie Johnson	Tuskegee Institute
Dr. Jeanette Jones	Alabama A & M University
Mr. R. A. Morow	Thomas More College
Dr. Dwight C. Stewart	Dean of Union College
Mr. Leslie R. Morris	Xavier University of Louisiana

The SACS staff representative during the reaffirmation committee's visit was Dr. Joffre T. Whisenton, Associate Director of the Commission on Colleges.

30. Following the SACS Committee's visit, College officials were given an overview as to recommendations and suggestions in the final report that will be prepared. In general, the College and Seminary received a very favorable rating. Plans for implementing the recommendations of the study are currently underway. Dr. Nancy Erickson was formally recognized for her leadership role in this effort during the 7 April meeting of the Erskine faculty and also during the 23 April meeting of the Erskine College Board of Trustees.

31. The 1981-82 Living Endowment Campaign (see item 10) exceeded its goal of $350,000 by approximately $2,200 (as of this writing). The campaign was conducted in seven states representing an involvement of over 45 alumni chapters. This year's campaign was jointly led by Mrs. Sarah H. Sullivan and Mr. H. Paul Dove, Jr. The chart below compares the campaign of 1981-82 with the previous year.

	1980-81 (final figures)	**1981-82 (to date)**
Amount Pledged	$299,479.16	$348,936.66
Amount Restricted	109,339.34	124,660.30
Number of Alumni Gifts	3,159	3,407
Number of Non-alumni Gifts	445	489
Number of Parents Gifts	179	215
Number of New Gifts	607	639
Number of Increases	779	783
Number of President's Circle	55	60
Number of High Towers	55	82
Number of Towers	701	698

32. The Department of Public Relations covered a number of major events on the campus in an excellent manner. The College and Seminary catalogues were published in July 1981. Special coverage of the Inaugural Events planned by Erskine's eleventh President were covered in three, separate issues of *Erskine Is* . . .

33. A Current Fund Budget for 1982-83 has been adopted by the Board of Trustees recognizing the need to improve faculty and staff salaries (to meet inflationary pressures) and yet not overestimate potential student enrollment. The budget is projected on an enrollment of 600 full-time equivalent students (FTE's) in the College and 50 FTE's in the Seminary with 550 boarding students. Other increases were based on the following projected increases in operating costs:

Supplies	8%
Utilities	20%
Fuel	25%
Postage	10%
Library	20%
Food Service	9%

The 1982-83 student charges will increase $750 as indicated below:

	Increase	**Totals**
Tuition	$450	$3,850
Room	100	800
Board	100	1,050
Medical Fee	5	70
Athletic Fee	60	100
Student Activity Fee	5	100
General Fee	30	180

34. The following students and faculty were recognized during Honours Day Convocation for 1981-82:

Wendy Lynn Wolfe, Winnsboro, SC	Young Ring
Sharon Elisabeth Bell, Spottswood, VA	Sullivan Award
Alan Ray Stokes, Salisbury, NC	Sullivan Award
Alicia Lucia Canal, Gainesville, FL	American Legion Award
Richard B. Norwood, Rock Hill, SC	American Legion Award
Dr. George W. Shiflet	"Excellence in Teaching" Award

35. The officers of the College faculty for the 1981-82 school year are:
Dr. James Gettys, Professor of History and Government - Chairman
Mr. John Wilde, Associate Professor and Librarian - Secretary-Treasurer
Dr. Dennis Erickson, Professor of Business and Finance - Representative to the Board of Trustees.

36. Mrs. F. M. (Elisabeth Chisolm '30) Huffman of Brighton, Tennessee, was awarded the Alumni Distinguished Service Award during the Homecoming festivities on Saturday, 5 December 1981.

37. The 1982 Flying Fleet Campaign is currently underway under the direction of the Flying Fleet Club President-Elect, Mrs. R. S. (Beth Sloan) Clarke, Jr. This campaign raised a record amount last year and we anticipate another record year.

38. The Alumni Office continues to work toward putting all alumni files on the Erskine computer. The computer programme for this system was developed by Mr. Frank Mitchell.

39. The Rev. Mr. Gregory Slater and The Rev. Mr. Michael Woodard were selected as the Visiting Camp-Campbell Fellows for 1981-82.

40. Student Officers for Erskine College during the 1982-83 school year will be:

President of SGA	Wayne Reid	Salem, SC
Vice President of SGA	Paul Agnew	Anderson, SC
Treasurer	Dora Padgett	Kings Mountain, NC
Corresponding Secretary	Amy Beard	Irmo, SC
Recording Secretary	Mary O'Malley	Decatur, GA
President of the SCA	Paul Bell	Spottswood, VA
Vice President of the SCA	Katherine McGill	Clover, SC
Treasurer of the SCA	Robin Elliott	Gastonia, NC
Secretary of the SCA	Louise Preston	Knoxville, TN
Editor of *The Mirrow*	Tony McNeil	Seneca, SC
Editor of *The Arrow*	Kay Greene	St. Petersburg, FL
Editor of *The Review*	Glenda Burke	Gray Court, SC
Chairman of Judicial Council	Teresa Elliott	Kingstree, SC
Chairman of Entertainment Board	Barry Montoya	Laurens, SC

41. Student officers for Erskine Theological Seminary during the 1982-83 school year will be:

President	Leland Beaudrot
Vice President	Phil Cauthen
Treasurer	Charles Montgomery

42. The third annual "Science Happening" for high school students was held on 26-27 January under the sponsorship of the Departments of Biology, Chemistry and Physics, and Mathematics. Dr. James Bowe, Associate Professor of Mathematics, coordinated the programme. Approximately 200 students from 13 high schools participated in the various events which included a series of laboratory competitions and demonstrations concluded with a "Science Bowl," similar in format to the College Bowl. Trophies and plaques were awarded to the winners.

43. Two new programmes have been initiated this year for high school students. Research in Science at Erskine (RISE) will offer talented high school students an oppor-

tunity to study with Erskine professors during the summer. "Erskine Fellows" were named for the first time this year. Over 200 high school juniors were named this year and approximately 115 members of this group visited the campus with their parents.

44. The Office of Planned Deferred Giving continues to generate important new sources of revenue for the College. This year a special effort was made to have the members of the Classes of 1945, 1946, and 1947 sign Will Inclusion Covenants that benefit Erskine. Dr. C. Linwood Cheshire held several Estate Planning Seminars during this report period.

45. The College was honoured this year by the selection of Mr. Monty Wooley as NAIA District Six *Coach-of-the-Year.* Miss Beth Couture was named All-District for District Six, Player of the Year for District Six, National Player of the Year and Honorable Mention All-American.

46. The College continues to be concerned with rising energy costs. The new rate for electricity which went into effect 1 February is approximately 27% higher than the previous month. The natural gas bill for January was $32,216 and for February was $32,443. (By comparison the January bill last year was $19,052 and February was $30,224). The cost to heat the Galloway Center alone in January was $5,797 and in February was $5,524. These figures partically reflect the cold winter that Due West experienced this year and the higher cost of natural gas.

47. Dr. Wm. Bruce Ezell, Erskine's new President, led worship services in 18 Associate Reformed Presbyterian Churches during the school year.

48. The Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellows Programme brought three scholars to campus this school year. During the week of 8-13 November, Mr. and Mrs. David McClintock visited with numerous student groups on campus. Mr. McClintock is a Food and Agriculture Advisor with the U.S. State Department. Mrs. McClintock is an Employment Coordinator, also serving in the State Department. In February Ms. Gene Dahmen, an attorney specializing in laws affecting higher education, spoke with student groups and met with pre-law students on an individual basis.

49. An attractive brochure entitled, *Traditions, Old and New,* was prepared this year under the direction of Board Chairman W. H. Stuart, Jr. This booklet will be used for four separate events on the campus: Dedication of Galloway Center, Inauguration of the President, the Bicentennial Meeting of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian General Synod, and the Dedication of the Flying Fleet Hall of Fame.

50. Two professional slide shows utilizing a multi-media format with a sound track have been produced for student recruitment purposes. One show will travel with the College's admissions counselors; while the second show will be permanently housed in the audio-visual room of the Galloway Center.

51. The College is pleased to announce the establishment of newly endowed scholarships by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Weir of Great Falls, South Carolina, and Dr. J. M. Plaxco of Due West, South Carolina, in memory of Adele Todd Plaxco. The Mrs. C. E. Miller Endowment Fund (Doraville, Georgia) has been increased by a gift from her estate.

52. During the fall of 1981, the Chairman of the Board of Trustees appointed the following people to serve on the Inauguration Committee:

W. Charles Blair	Merwyn Johnson	Curtis Shaw
John Blumenstein	J. A. Knight	Jane F. Spencer
C. Linwood Cheshire	J. M. Lesesne	Harry C. Stille
James W. Gettys	Lee W. Logan	W. H. Stuart, Jr.
John M. Grier	Robert Miller	Kent D. Talbert
Richard H. Haldeman	Joseph H. Patrick	Howard E. Thomas
Frank M. Hunt	David W. Robinson	Joseph Wightman
Mary A. Hunter	Randall T. Ruble	

53. The following inaugural events were planned:

April 14 - Service of Investiture, 7:30 p.m.
Due West Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church
The Rev. Dr. J. Phillips Noble, Guest Preacher
First (Scots) Presbyterian Church, Charleston, South Carolina

April 20 - Inaugural Concert, 8:00 p.m.
Lesesne Auditorium, Erskine Building
Edward C. Stuart Memorial Organ
James M. Bigham, Jr., Organist and Choirmaster
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Buffalo, New York

April 21 - Energy Seminar, 1:30 p.m.
Robert Stone Galloway Physical Activities Center
John W. Simpson, Seminar Leader
Former President of Westinghouse, Member of the President's Committee on Nuclear Energy
Belton Kelly Smith, Seminar Leader
Director of the Governor's Division of Energy Resources, State of South Carolina

April 22 - Luncheon 12:00 noon
Dining Hall, Erskine College

Inauguration, 2:00 p.m.
The Robert Stone Galloway Physical Activities Center
The Honorable James B. Edwards, Secretary of the Department of Energy, Washington, D.C.
Reception followed in the John C. "Jake" Todd Lobby

April 22 - Trustee Workshop
Dr. James Barrett, President
Greensboro College
Seminar Leader

54. While all inaugural committee members worked diligently, planning the preceding events, a special word of thanks is due to the following individuals who were heavily involved with the actual mechanics of the various events:

Mr. W. H. Stuart, Jr.	Dr. J. A. Knight
Dr. R. T. Ruble	Dr. Howard Thomas
Dr. Jane Spencer	Dr. James W. Gettys
Mrs. Judith Burts	Mrs. Vicki McDonald
Mr. Randy Kolb	Mr. Stacey Kirby

55. As a part of the Inauguration, several flags and gonfalons were prepared under the directon of Mr. W. H. Stuart, Jr. An Erskine flag, designed by Mrs. Barbara M. Ervin, was used for the first time. Gonfalons bearing the seals of Erskine College and the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church were also used.

56. The Inaugural proceedings also featured for the first time a "Great Mace" for the College. The Erskine Mace was designed by Mr. W. H. Stuart, Jr., Chairman of the Erskine College Board of Trustees, and Dr. Wm. Bruce Ezell, Jr., the College's eleventh President. The staff is composed of dark red mahogany while the orb portion displays several decorative features. The four engraved facets of the orb display the seal of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; the seal of Erskine College; a likeness of Ebenezer Erskine, the founder of the Associate Presbytery (6 December 1733); and a likeness of Ebenezer Erskine Pressly, the founder of Erskine College (1839). Near the crest of the orb are located three communion tokens and a Jewish mite. The Great Mace is crowned by a Celtic Cross reminiscent of the many stone Celtic Crosses that can still be located in some parts of Scotland and Ireland today.

57. A crowd of more than 1,000 people gathered in Galloway Center to see the Inauguration that featured an Academic Procession, containing representatives from 89 schools and learned societies.

58. President Ezell was born in Atlanta, Georgia, the son of William Bruce Ezell, Sr. and Floride Patterson Ezell. He grew up in Ninety Six, South Carolina, and received his

elementary and secondary education in the public schools of Ninety Six. After completing his undergraduate work at Lander College, he received the M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from Clemson University in zoology and entomology, respectively. Dr. Ezell has also completed post-doctoral work at Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, Colorado.

Prior to becoming President of Erskine College, Dr. Ezell was Professor and Head of the Department of Biology at Georgia Southern College in Statesboro, Georgia. From 1970-1980, Dr. Ezell served as Professor of Biology at The Citadel. He also taught for shorter periods at Winthrop College, the Medical University of South Carolina, the College of Charleston, and the Baptist College at Charleston.

As a medical entomologists, he has concentrated his research interests on arthropods affecting human health. He has served as President of the South Carolina Entomological Society and the South Carolina Mosquito Control Association. Dr. Ezell has received several awards from scientific societies, including the Goethe Award from the Association of Southeastern Biologists. In 1974 he was selected for the "Outstanding Teaching Award" at The Citadel. In 1975 he was named South Carolina Conservation Educator of the Year. He has also served on a number of state and national committees and commissions. In 1976 he was the co-organizer of the first South Carolina Endangered Species Symposium at The Citadel. He later edited the proceedings of that conference which were published by the South Carolina Wildlife and Marine Resources Department.

His interests include photography, reading, and Baroque music. As an amateur historian, he is interested in the careers of the eighteenth and nineteenth century scientists in the Southeast, Indian artifacts, and fortifications constructed during the War Between the States.

The new President is married to the former Nancy Ellen Johnson, daughter of W. David Johnson and Nettie Summer Johnson of Ninety Six, South Carolina. Mrs. Ezell is a graduate of Winthrop College and has been a church youth director and teacher in the elementary schools of South Carolina and Georgia. Dr. and Mrs. Ezell have four children: Nancy Summer, 13; William Bruce III, 10; Gretchen Edna, 8; and Heather Elizabeth Johnson, 6.

Presbyterian traditions run strong in Dr. Ezell's family. He was reared in the Ninety Six Presbyterian Church, where his father and maternal grandfather were members of the session. He is a descendant of John Blake, who constructed the Rock Presbyterian Church of Greenwood in 1773. Another ancestor, Professor J. R. Blake, served as chairman (president) of Davidson College and later organized the first public schools of Greenwood County.

While in Charleston, Dr. Ezell served both as Deacon and Elder in the First (Scots) Presbyterian Church. He was also active in the Charleston Presbytery, serving as a commissioner and a member of the division on mission development. In the First (Scots) congregation Dr. Ezell instituted a series of studies that led to the organization of a permanent Presbyterian campus ministry by the First (Scots) Church and Charleston Presbytery. He also served as chairman of that church's trustees, supervising the operation of a day school. The Ezells are active members of the Due West Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

59. The annual audit of Erskine's financial records was conducted this year by representatives of the Deloitte, Haskins, and Sells. A copy of their report is attached.

Requests and Recommendations

1. That the General Synod continue to pray for Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary.
2. That Erskine College be allowed time following this report for a brief presentation before the General Synod.
3. That 8 May 1983 be designated as Erskine College Day in the churches with a special offering being received for Erskine College; and that 11 September 1983 be designated as Erskine Theological Seminary Day with an offering being received for the Seminary.

4. That 8 May 1983 be designated also as Erskine Student Day on which local Erskine students are listed in the church bulletin and are recognized if present.
5. That the General Synod grant Erskine $152,000 (a 12% increase over the 1982 allocation) for Synod's scholarships. **(Amended)**
6. That the General Synod grant a Special Supplement for Erskine Theological Seminary in the amount of $15,000. This Special Supplement consists of $7,000 needed to complete the funding of the R. W. Carson Chair of Christian Mission and $8,000 to fund an approved Associate Reformed Presbyterian minister(s) willing to continue his education towards an appropriate terminal degree. Minister(s) funded under this agreement would be obliged to teach for a period of time in the Erskine Theological Seminary. **(Amended)**
7. That this report of the Chairman of the Erskine College Board of Trustees be printed in the *Minutes of Synod.*
8. That the General Synod grant the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Student Union $500 for its activities.
9. That Erskine College be permitted to have representatives at all youth conferences, retreats and rallies at Presbytery and Presbyterial meetings at least once a year.
10. That ministers be asked to be responsible for informing their high school juniors and seniors of the educational opportunities at Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary and that ministers and laymen be asked to bring their high school students to Erskine for a visit.

The Chairman, President, and members of the College staff plan to be present at the meeting of the General Synod to answer questions.

Respectfully,
W. H. Stuart, Jr.
Chairman

REPORT OF THE VICE PRESIDENT AND DEAN OF ERSKINE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

Fathers and Brethren:

The 1981-82 academic year has been an especially good year at Erskine Theological Seminary. God's presence has been felt in the classroom and His blessings have been experienced by both faculty and students as they have met their various responsibilities. The support of the work of the Seminary has continued to be strong and the Seminary is grateful to the General Synod and the many churches and individuals in it who have faithfully upheld this work through prayer and gifts.

ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

Principal administrative officials of the Seminary during the past academic year were as follows:

President	Dr. William Bruce Ezell, Jr.
Vice President and Dean	Dr. Randall T. Ruble
Vice President for Business & Finance	Dr. Charles H. Carlisle
Vice President for Development	Mr. Lee W. Logan
Director of Supervised Ministry	Mr. Clyde McCants
Director of Public Relations	Mr. Richard H. Halderman
Director of Alumni Affairs	Mr. Monty Wooley
Registrar	Miss Lucy Anne McCluer

Teaching responsibilities were as follows:

Old Testament	Dr. Randall T. Ruble
New Testament	Dr. Kenneth F. Morris
Historical & Systematic Theology	Dr. Merwyn S. Johnson
Church History	Mr. Ray A. King
Ministry	Mr. Clyde T. McCants

Pastoral Care & Counseling	Dr. David Van Gelder
Christian Mission	Mr. Guy Oliver, Jr.
Librarians	Mr. John H. Wilde
	Mr. John D. Pitzer
Methodist Doctrine (Adjunct)	Dr. Robert McKeown
Methodist Polity (Adjunct)	Mr. James Gadsden
Methodist History (Adjunct)	Mrs. Susan Henry-Crowe

STUDENTS

Students in the Seminary represented fourteen different denominations and there was one student who had no denominational affiliation. A significant number of women and blacks were included in the student body. Student officers for 1981-82 were President John Blumenstein (ARP), Vice President/Secretary Rick Lewis (ARP) and Treasurer Alan Church (ARP). The 1982-83 officers are as follows:

President	Leland Beaudrot (Baptist)
Vice President/Secretary	Phil Cauthen (ARP)
Treasurer	Charles Montgomery (Baptist)

The composition of the 1981-82 student body by denominations was as follows:

Associate Reformed Presbyterian	18
Presbyterian Church, U.S.	13
Presbyterian Church in America	1
Second Cumberland Presbyterian Church	1
United Methodist	15
Southern Baptist	26
Baptist	5
Assemblies of God	3
Pentecostal Holiness	2
Holiness	1
Episcopal	1
Wesleyan	1
Interdenominational	2
Non-denoninational	1
Orthodox Church, American Jurisdiction	1

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The Seminary offered courses at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center in Greenville, S.C. for a second year and this extension program was partly responsibility for the second largest student body in the history of the institution. Courses are offered in Greenville in the evenings on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Next year some courses will be offered in the evenings in Due West on an experimental basis.

During the past year the Seminary has developed a program of study and exchange with the United Theological College in Kingston, Jamaica. The purpose of the program is to internationalize theological education and it has been implemented in cooperation with the theological schools of Atlanta. In October three Erskine professors participated in a conference in Kingston and helped plan some of the educational programs now benefiting students from the cooperating seminaries. In January an Erskine Seminary student spent part of the month at United Theological College. Erskine sponsored three ministers in a continuing education event in Jamaica in April. Opportunities are now available for seminary students to work in churches in Jamaica during the summer months.

Following a review period of six months, Erskine Seminary was officially placed on the list of approved non-United Methodists seminaries on January 11, 1982. The action was retroactive to January 1981 when Erskine first applied for approval. This action allows United Methodist students the opportunity to attend and graduate from Erskine Seminary.

The Seminary, in conjunction with the College, was reviewed for accreditation by the

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools during the Spring Semester. The Visiting Committee noted only minor recommendations regarding the Seminary and it is expected that accreditation will be renewed when the Association considers the Visiting Committee report.

At the conclusion of the academic year Professors Clyde McCants and David Van Gelder will relinquish their work on the Seminary faculty to accept other positions. A Search Committee, chaired by Trustee Robert B. Elliott, Jr., has been appointed to recommend new faculty members.

The Dean of the Seminary will attend the Institute for Theological Management at West Point, N.Y. during the month of July. This Institute is sponsored by the Association of Theological Schools and the Dean's participation is being financially underwritten by a generous gift from the Edward C. Stuart Foundation of Bartow, Florida.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

On November 3-4, 1981 the annual Church Growth Conference was held in cooperation with the Board of Church Extension and the Board of Christian Education. The focus of the conference was on Christian Education and the conference leader was Dr. Locke E. Bowman, Jr., Director of the National Teacher Education Project, Scottsdale, Arizona and Editor of *Church Teachers* magazine. Elisabeth Elliot was the featured speaker for the sixth Missionary Conference on February 9, 1982. Formerly a missionary, she is presently a writer and speaker. Other conference leaders included Rev. Charles Wilson, Ruling Elder Robert Sytz, Dr. Margaret White and Missionary Candidate David Robinson. On April 13-14, 1982 the Whitesides Pastors' Institute, including the Robinson Lectures, was held. The Whitesides Preacher was Dr. Fred Craddock, Professor of New Testament and Preaching at the Candler School of Theology, Emory University. The Robinson Lecturer was Dr. Ronald J. Sider, Professor of Theology at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. The Whiteside's Pastors' Institute was concluded with a special Church Investiture Service for Dr. William Bruce Ezell, Jr., Eleventh President of Erskine College.

The Camp/Campbell Continuing Education program also provided a number of other opportunities for ARP ministers. The Camp/Campbell Visiting Ministers who engaged in two weeks of research on the Seminary campus during the year were the Rev. Michael Woodard and the Rev. Gregory Slater. A new program was established to help ARP ministers assess and improve their service to the church. Called "Renewing Ministry," the program included two seminars, one in October and another in April. Those who participated in the fall seminar were Thomas Morris, Edward Bland, Dwight Pearson, John Carson, Bob Murdock and William Harris. The spring seminar participants included James Bell, James Fee, Charles Todd, Bob DeWitt, Harry White, Allen Derrick, Forrest Musselman and Chapman Lauderdale. The Seminary has also expanded its continuing education program to include a cassette tape ministry.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the special offering for Erskine Seminary be taken on September 12, 1982 and September 11, 1983. The date for the 1982 offering is being moved forward by one week.

2. That a day of prayer for Erskine Seminary be observed when the special offering is received and that ministers present the claims of the Christian ministry to their people on this occasion.

3. That churches consider using Seminary students to fill vacant pulpits in order that they may gain practical experience as well as some income to assist them in their studies. Requests for the services of Seminary students should be made to Dean Randall T. Ruble, P.O. Box 171, Due West, S.C. 29639 (803/379-8885).

5. That the General Synod provide financial assistance for the support of the R. W. Carson Professor of Christian Mission chair at the Seminary.

6. That the report of the Dean be printed in the *Minutes of Synod.*

Respectfully,
Randall T. Ruble
Vice President and Dean
Erskine Theological Seminary

A motion carried that Mr. C. R. Younts be remembered in prayer and a telegram be sent expressing Synod's concern to Mr. Younts. Prayer was led by R. J. Marshburn.

A motion carried that the two observers and two alternates to NAPARC be made our representatives to NAPARC.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Presbytery Reports was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PRESBYTERY RECORDS AND REPORTS

Your committee met at the appointed time and reviewed the reports and minutes from Catawba, First, Florida, Mississippi Valley, Second, and Virginia Presbyteries.

We recommend that the Principal Clerk of Synod write the Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery and request that their report and minutes be sent for review by the Executive Board of Synod at its August meeting.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on Publications was presented.

A motion carried to amend the Report of the Board of Publications by omitting the last parenthesis - enclosed material at the end of recommendation number one (the resulting changes . . . Associate Reformed Presbyterian).

A motion carried to amend the Moderator's Committee report as follows:

> That the Executive Board at its next meeting study the materials of Synod not now assigned and assign them to the appropriate board or committee.

The report as a whole was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

Only one paper came into the hands of Moderator's Committee on Publications—the Report of the Board of Publications.

Your committee recommends that the recommendations of the Board of Publications be adopted as contained in their report. **(Amended)**

We also recommend that Synod commend Mr. Ben Johnston for his work as editor of the magazine.

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLICATIONS

The Board of Publications met in September 1981 and in March 1982 to consider and act upon the work committed to it by the General Synod. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Board has had the cooperation and support of Editor Ben Johnston and Center Director Ed Hogan.

Executive Committee

The Executive Committee, composed of the officers of the Board, continued to meet between regular Board meetings to oversee various publishing activities.

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian

The Board reports the following significant actions concerning the magazine, **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian:**

1. Developed a statement of purpose for the magazine.
   The statement reads:
   "**The Associate Reformed Presbyterian** is a magazine dedicated to the total concerns of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and reflects the special programs and emphases of all the arms of the denomination. It is a unified periodical in which the work of the boards, agencies, auxiliaries, institutions and committees of the denomination will be presented in relationship to the overall denominational mission to the service of God.
2. Adopted a resolution recognizing the life and service of the late Reverend E. Gettys. It was published in the magazine.

Other Action of the Board

1. Officers elected for July 1, 1982 to June 30, 1983:
   Chairman: William A. Deaton
   Vice Chairman: Reverend Lonnie Richardson
   Secretary: Mrs. Harriett Richie

Recommendations

1. The Board recommends for Synod's consideration the restructuring of the Board of Publications so that its purpose will be solely the publication of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian magazine. In order to do this, it is further recommended that the following changes be made in the Policy Manual:
   Authority: The Board of Publications shall have responsibility for the publication of a denominational magazine known as the Associate Reformed Presbyterian. In the exercise of its authority, the Board shall comply with the Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, and its policies and programs shall be consistent with the purpose of the General Synod.
   Duties: Retain No. 1, Omit Nos. 2, 3 and 4. Retain Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8. Reduce the number of members of the Board (omitting last year's requested increase) and also dropping from its members the Director of the Center and the Chairman of the Board of Christian Education. (The resulting changes, if adopted by Synod, would then suggest a name change to the Board of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian.) **(Amended)**
2. The Board recommends that the Prayer Calendar be continued as a part of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian magazine, and that Synod provide funds for its continued publication and be responsible for its editorial content. The Board finds that the Prayer Calendar was an effective part of the publication this year, and wishes to have it continued as a part of the publication.

Respectfully,
Charles R. Sanders Jr.
Chairman

BUDGET — 1983

INCOME

From General Synod		
Board Travel & Expense	$	1,500
Magazine Supplement		25,440
Miscellaneous Income		1,000
Advertising Income		2,000
Subscriptions		42,425
	$	72,365

EXPENDITURES

Board Travel & Expense	$	1,500
Editor		
Salary		25,500
Travel & Expenses		1,800
Insurance		1,702
Retirement		2,040
Employer Tax		1,709
*Magazine—Printing & Publishing		
Running Charge		16,565
Mailing Charge		1,144
Miscellaneous		2,175
Typesetting		8,260
Labels & Postage		5,500
Materials & Supplies		1,250
Office Expense		1,200
Rent		1,020
Contingency		1,000
	$	72,365

*If Devotional Guide (including Prayer Calendar) is to be included in the magazine, budget an additional expense of $9,250 and additional income from General Synod of $9,250.

A communication from W. W. Orr was read.

The Moderator's Committee on Stewardship was presented. An amendment to the Moderator's Committee Report to delete the second paragraph carried, and the following substitute motion was adopted.

> That Synod recognize the validity of the ministry of JHC and that First Presbytery be encouraged to take this ministry under its care as a "special ministry."

A motion carried to divide the rest of the report. The recommendation that the Jubilee House presentation be viewed by the Synod was amended to put the presentation off until following the Benediction.

The remainder of the paper was approved.

A motion carried to receive a free-will offering at the door for Jubilee House Community.

The report as a whole as amended was adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON STEWARDSHIP

The committee considered the Report of the Board of Stewardship with addendum and a memorial from the First Presbytery requesting funding for Jubilee House Community.

Following a presentation by the staff of Jubilee House Community, a motion was adopted recommending that Synod recognize the Jubilee House Community as a valid special ministry of the Synod as defined in the Report of the Board of Church Extension; and that it be funded on a year-to-year basis through the Board of Church Extension from their budget, direct gifts, etc., if funds are available in 1983; and that begin-

ning with budget year 1984, funding be through the normal budgetary process of the Board of Church Extension. **(Not Adopted - See Substitute)**

The committee received the addendum as information.

The recommendations of the Board of Stewardship were considered item by item. Your committee recommends that Recommendations 1-9 and 11-13 be adopted. Your committee recommends Recommendation #10 not be adopted.

The report of the committee as a whole was adopted.

The committee recommends that the General Synod see the presentation of the Jubilee House Community and that a special free will offering be taken following the presentation for their continuing ministry. **(Amended)**

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

The Board of Stewardship met on three occasions since the 1981 meeting of Synod. The actions of the board are reported herein as information to the General Synod. Opportunity is taken, also, to give thanks to God for the commitment of Associate Reformed Presbyterians as evidenced by their tithes, offerings, and special gifts.

Audit

The audit for the year ending December 31, 1981 and the "Report on Internal Control" were received, reviewed and accepted by the Board of Stewardship. A copy of each has been given to each member of the Board of Stewardship, placed on file at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, and is submitted with the official report to Synod. A copy of the Auditor's opinion, balance sheet, and changes in fund balances are attached for printing in the **Minutes of Synod.**

On instruction of the Board of Stewardship, the 1981 audit included in its scope the investment fund account, the books of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center Facility, and the books of the Treasurer of Synod. For 1982 the board is recommending to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation that their accounts be included in the general audit. The Board of Annuities and Relief will be asked to consider including the Retirement Plan Fund in a consolidated audit.

Budget

For 1982: The responses of the churches to the Voluntary Commitment in 1981 and 1982 and the continued excellent stewardship of our agencies have insured sufficient funds to meet the 1982 budget of Synod as adopted by the 1981 General Synod. No revisions appear necessary or appropriate.

For 1983: The budget recommended for 1983 is submitted with the confidence that the churches will continue to respond to the opportunity of undergirding the ministries of the denomination through the Voluntary Commitment program. The budget, as reflected in the **Recommended Allocation of Synod's Unrestricted Income** is submitted after a thorough review of the budgets submitted and reflects an increase in the percentage allocated to Church Extension, providing 100% of the funding requested.

The board remains committed to the stated long range objective of providing 50% of Synod's unrestricted income to Church Extension and World Witness, with each receiving 25% . The requests of Synod that the Board of Stewardship consider doing this for budget year 1983 was prayerfully considered. Inasmuch as 100% of Church Extension's request was met, and in light of requests that could not be met, the board is confident that Synod will concur.

The boards and committees of the General Synod are to be commended for providing "bare bone" requests for funding for 1983. Where 100% funding was possible in some cases, the budgets of other agencies will have to be revised unless other funds can be secured. The board realizes, also, that had additional funding been anticipated the requests would have been larger. In light of these facts, the board has considered ways in which it might assist boards and committees in securing funds to meet ministry needs.

The Board of Stewardship has, in the past, provided certain guidelines for fund rais-

ing and, in general, boards and committees have worked within those guidelines, which were:

(a) The Voluntary Commitment is to be viewed and promoted as the means of primary denominational support.

(b) Special offerings have been approved for certain ministries to provide churches and individuals with an opportunity to give above and beyond their tithes and voluntary commitment. On occasion special capital fund campaigns have been approved.

(c) Church Extension and World Witness have been given the authority to solicit individuals and groups for direct support for current financing, provided that all solicitation be made expressly as over and above the congregation's Voluntary Commitment.

In considering alternatives the board has endeavored to insure that there will be a continued emphasis on the Voluntary Commitment and that all efforts for additional funding for denominational programs will also enhance and encourage more liberal giving to the local church. It is from this background and assumptions that the recommendations will be offered.

Investment

The 1981 General Synod designated the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Foundation as the agency of Synod entrusted with the investment of endowment-type funds. The Treasurer of Synod was authorized to transfer such funds to the Foundation. The Treasurer has reported to the Board of Stewardship the transfer of the following assets:

GENERAL SYNOD PERMANENT FUNDS

$ 161.14 - Principal Cash
$100,000.00 - U. S. Treas. Note, 8%, 2-15-83
$ 30,000.00 - Fed. National Mortgage 9.45%, 7-12-82
$ 2,700.00 - First Federal S§L Hendersonville, 8.2%, 9-5-83
580 Shares J. P. Morgan Co. Common
400 Shares Coca Cola Corp. Common
212 Shares AT§T Common
100 Shares General Electric Common
400 Shares General Mills Common
31 Shares General Motors Common
61 Shares Rock Hill, SC Telephone, Pfc.

DUNLAP ORPHANAGE FUNDS

$ 20,336.14 - Income Cash
$130,000.00 - U. S. Treas. Note, 11.375%, 4-30-82
$110,000.00 - Fed. Farm Credit Bank, 9%, 1-23-84
$ 25,000.00 - Fed. Farm Credit Bank, 10.9%, 4-20-83
$ 10,000.00 - Bankers Trust C.D.852704, 13.161%, 5-13-82

WORLD WITNESS RESTRICTED FUNDS

E. H. § Emma Oates Ragsdale Pakistan Student Fund $14,700.00
C. O. & Evelyn Williams Missionary Education Fund for use in Mexico $33,000.00
Harper Memorial Fund $22,214.08
Lillian Home Trustee Fund $81,000.00

The Board of Stewardship will be considering guidelines for handling non-cash assets which are on hand and which might be received in the future. Guideline development will be coordinated with the agencies of the General Synod.

Real Property

The board has continued in its efforts to transfer by quitclaim deed the property of local congregations which is now held by the General Synod. The board again requests

the cooperation of presbyteries and churches so that this process might be completed. Congregations must initiate this action.

Quitclaim deeds were given for the properties of the following bodies:

Pressly Memorial, SC Church - November 3, 1981
Abbeville, SC Church - October 27, 1981
Mt. Carmel, SC Church - November 12, 1981
Oak Grove, SC Church - January 22, 1982
Midlane Park, KY Church - January 22, 1982
Wood Avenue, AR Church - January 22, 1982
Certain Properties, Dunlap - February 5, 1982
Southwest, AR Church Manse - February 5, 1982

Volunrary Commitment

More and more churches and individuals are recognizing the impact of their giving through the Voluntary Commitment program. The Board of Stewardship's projected 1982 Voluntary Commitment income should be met and, if so, it will represent a 12% increase over the 1981 commitments paid.

The board encourages church officers and administrators of Synod's agencies to make known the impact of giving through the Voluntary Commitment. Each dollar given, as projected for 1983, will be divided as follows:

World Witness - 24.63 cents
Church Extension - 22.09 cents
Erskine - 18.37 cents
A.R.P. Center - 9.84 cents
Christian Education - 7.01 cents
Bonclarken - 6.26 cents
Publications - 3.30 cents
Committees, Boards, Misc. - 8.50 cents

Churches are encouraged to make the achievement of the Voluntary Commitment goal their first priority in giving. The goal, as set forth by previous Synods, is:

(a) To give 20% of their unrestricted income as Voluntary Commitment to Synod, or

(b) To increase their percentage level by 3 percentage points per year until 20% is reached.

For 1981, fifty-seven churches met or surpassed the Voluntary Commitment goal. Only five churches failed to contribute through the Voluntary Commitment program. The following churches will be recognized at the 1982 meeting of Synod: CATAWBA PRESBYTERY: Centennial, Dutch Fork, Hickory Grove, Lancaster First, Neely's Creek, New Hope, Oak Ridge, Pleasant Hill, Rock Hill First, Sharon, Sherwood Forest, Shiloh, Unity, Wando, and White Oak. FIRST PRESBYTERY: Back Creek, Burlington First, Chalmers Memorial, Christ Community, Concord, Covenant, Elk Shoals, Glenwood, Mooresville, Pinecrest, Sandy Plains, Tabernacle, and Westminster. FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Avon Park, Bartow, Lake Placid, and Lake Wales. MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Brighton, Ebenezer and Salem. SECOND PRESBYTERY: Doraville, Due West, Generostee, Greenville, Highlands, Louisville, Lower Long Cane, Mt. Carmel, Newberry, Ora, Pressly Memorial, Woodruff and Young Memorial. TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Camden, Cleveland Street, Fayetteville, Hopewell, and Prosperity, TN. VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Johnson Creek, Lauderdale, Old Providence and Spring Valley.

Pledges have not been received from all churches for 1982. Of those reporting and/or making contributions, the following will achieve the Voluntary Commitment goal: CATAWBA PRSBYTERY: Centennial, Dutch Fork, Hickory Grove, Lancaster First, Neely's Creek, New Hope, Pleasant Hill, Rock Hill First, Sharon, Sherwood Forest, Shiloh, Smyrna, Unity, White Oak. FIRST PRESBYTERY: Back Creek, Christ Community, Concord, Covenant, Elk Shoals, Huntersville, New Sterling, Pinecrest, Pisgah, Sandy Plains, Statesville First, Tabernacle. FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Bartow, Grace Chapel, Lakeland, Lake Placid, Lake Wales, New Hope. MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Brighton, Salem. SECOND PRESBYTERY: Doraville, Due West,

Generostee, Greenville, Greenwood, Highlands, Louisville, Lower Long Cane, Newberry, Ora. TENNESSEE—ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Camden, Fayetteville, Prosperity, TN. VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Church of the Atonement, Edgemont, Fairlea, Johnson Creek, Kingsborough, Old Providence.

Other

1. **Sale of Property of First Charlotte Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.** The title to the property of the First Charlotte Church is held by the Board of Stewardship as successors to the Trustees of Synod. The efforts to transfer title to the Trustees of the First Charlotte Church have been unsuccessful as of the date of this report. In response to information presented by the Reverend Paul Sherrill, pastor of the First Charlotte Church, the Board adopted the following guidelines:

(a) That in the event there is a request from the First Charlotte congregation and approved by First Presbytery, the chairman and secretary are authorized to execute a deed for the sale of the property of the First Charlotte Church.

(b) That the Treasurer of Synod be authorized to receive and hold funds from the First Charlotte Church and from the sale of the property, and that costs associated with the sale be paid from these funds.

(c) That the Board express to the General Synod its intent to study the use of the funds and that the funds not be allocated until a study and recommendation to Synod can be made. The Board will request a letter from the First Charlotte Church concerning use of the funds, should a preference exist.

2. **Katherine E. Thompson Fund.** In 1971 the General Synod accepted a bequest from the estate of Miss Katherine E. Thompson to hold in trust "to invest and reinvest the same and to use the interest, income and profits therefrom to aid in building 'A Home for the Elderly' in the A.R.P. denomination." The Board of Stewardship advised the Committee on Ministry of Senior Citizens of the existence of this fund and requested that they make a recommendation to Synod on its disposition.

3. **Unified Effort of Promotion and Deferred Gifts Program.** The Executive Board of Synod referred back to the Board of Stewardship Synod's recommendation "that the Executive Board of Synod be requested to initiate consideration of a procedure for a unified effort of promotion and a deferred gifts program for agencies of the Synod." The Board of Stewardship has given consideration to this matter and will attempt to develop specifics during the coming year.

4. **Memorial Gifts to Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens.** In response to a request from this committee, the Board of Stewardship granted authority for the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens to receive memorials and bequests for use in its ministry to senior citizens. The committee was also given permission to publicize that memorials and bequests could be given for the ministrty of the committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens.

5. **Scope of Activities of Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens.** Because of the financial aspects of the efforts to provide care for senior citizens, the Board of Stewardship requested that the Committee on Ministry to Senior Citizens report to Synod its scope of activities and specifically as it relates to the needs, authorities, relationships, etc., of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Home, Inc., and the Due West Retirement Center.

6. **Insurance**

(a) Authority was granted to purchase a $1,000,000 umbrella policy and to purchase a Directors and Officers Liability policy of $1,000,000, with a $5,000 retention, with the policy to apply to all boards, committees and officers of Synod.

(b) Marketdyne Group Property Coverage. The new address and telephone number for this company is:

Marketdyne International
Southeast Region
3340 Peachtree Road, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30026
404-261-7632 266-9401

This program has been endorsesd by the Board of Stewardship, with all decisions left to the local church. Comments and reactions of churches relative to the services provided should be sent to the Board of Stewardship.

7. **M. B. McGill Bequest.** This bequest, which was received by Synod around 1970, has been added to the principal of the Revolving Book Fund. As part of this fund the principal will be protected, while at the same time, will provide funds to allow printing of books for use within the denomination.

8. **By-Laws of Board of Stewardship.** The Board of Stewardship, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter XIV,A.3.(b), of the **Form of Government**, has adopted the attached by-laws for the approval of the General Synod.

9. **Officers and Meeting Dates.** Officers elected to serve July 1, 1982 - June 30, 1983 are: Chairman: William B. Patrick, Jr., Vice-Chairman: E. P. Heidtman, and Secretary: Harry T. Schutte. The Treasurer of the General Synod serves as Treasurer of the corporation. Mr. Barron D. Kennedy has been appointed as assistant Treasurer. Mr. Ed Hogan, in his capacity as Director of the A.R.P. Center, will serve as the administrative officer of the board.

Meeting dates for 1982 and 1983 are September 10, 1982, April 29, 1983, and September 16, 1983.

Recommendations

1. That the actions of the Board of Stewardship, as contained in this report be sustained.

2. That congregations which do not have title to the property on which the manse or sanctuary are situated write to the Board of Stewardship for instructions on the proper transfer of title. Furter, that each presbytery, through its trustees, assist those churches in accomplishing this task.

3. That each congregation be requested to prayerfully consdider the following prior to making commitments to denominational ministries for 1983:

a. That congregations use contributions **through** the Voluntary Commitment as their primary means of denominational support.

b. That congregations pledge 20% of their 1981 General Fund receipts, as reported in the 1982 **Minutes of Synod**, as Voluntary Commitments **or** increase their 1983 percentage pledge by three percentage points over 1982 (i.e., New Church pledged 10% of its 1980 General Fund receipts as Voluntary Commitments for 1982. In 1983 they will pledge 13% of their 1981 General Fund as reported in the 1982 **Minutes of Synod.**)

c. That, for those congregations which, after prayerful consideration find it impossible to pledge 20% or to increase by three percentage points, the dollar amount of the pledge be increased sufficiently to raise the percentage level over the 1982 percentage level.

d. That congregations strive to attain increased giving through Voluntary Commitments before giving or increased giving to special causes.

4. That the Board of Stewardship proceed in its efforts to equalize the unrestricted income allocation between Church Extension and World Witness and to budget 50% of Synod's anticipated unrestricted income to these ministries.

5. That the General Synod grant permission for all boards and standing committees to make known to individuals through such instruments as **The Associate Reformed Presbyterian, Prayer Warrior, INFO**, etc., special needs, provided:

a. That individuals be encouraged to respond only if such action does not affect their support of the local church.

b. That individuals be encouraged to give through the local church.

c. That **NO** appeals be made except as authorized and recorded in the minutes of the governing board or committee.

6. That boards of the General Synod be given permission to communicate special needs and solicit for direct support of ministries provided:

a. Appeals will be communicated only to those congregations which have met the Voluntary Commitment goal (i.e., 20% or has increased commitment by three

percentage points over the previous year.) Agencies receiving current financial support from congregations which have not achieved the Voluntary Commitment goal may appeal for the continuation of existing level of support from those congregations.

b. Appeals may be made only as authorized and recorded in the minutes of the governing board.

7. That the following special offerings be approved for 1983:

January - Bonclarken
March - A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.
April (Easter) - One Great Hour, World Witness
May (Mother's Day) - Erskine College
September - Erskine Theological Seminary
October (World Wide Communion Day) - American Bible Society
November (Thanksgiving) - Opportunity Fund, Church Extension
December - Christmas Benevolent Offering

8. That the month of October be designated **Voluntary Commitment Month**.

9. That a Synod registration fee of $5.00 be charged for each elder representative and minister until such time as Synod may direct otherwise.

10. That the Board of Stewardship study and recommend to the General Synod disposition of funds received from the sale of the First Charlotte Church. **(Not Adopted)**

11. That the By-laws of the Board of Stewardship be approved and that appropriate changes be made in the **Manual of Authoriteis and Duties. (See Appendix).**

12. That the Board of Stewardship be granted authority to prepare a final budget for 1983 following the receipt of voluntary commitment pledges and the 1982 year-end report.

13. That the Report of the Auditor as submitted be printed in the **Minutes of Synod. (See Appendix)**

Respectfully submitted
Charles F. Edgar, Chairman
Ed Hogan, Secretary

ADDENDUM TO REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

Reference: Sale of Property of First Charlotte Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

On May 10, 1982, the Board of Stewardship received a request for the transfer of the property of the First Charlotte Church to Mr. John O. Ross, Mr. H. B. Baker, and Mrs. Lloyd E. Zedaker, Trustees of the First Charlotte Church. Minutes of the "Commission of First Presbyterian Church to Assist the First Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in the Sale of Their Property" were submitted.

At a telephone conference call of the Board of Stewardship, May 24, 1982, the following action was taken:

(1) That upon receipt of proper documentation (congregational minutes appointing or confirming trustees by name and certification from the Clerk of Sesson that the named Trustees continue in that office) the Board of Stewardship received its previous directions to the Chairman and Secretary concerning the sale of the First Charlotte Church;

(2) That the Chairman and Secretary, acting on behalf of the Board of Stewardship, be directed to transfer title by quitclaim deed to the Trustees of the First Charlotte Church as per previous authorization of the Board of Stewardship.

(3) That, in light of the motions adopted by the Trustees of the First Charlotte Church, the Commission of First Presbytery be requested to adopt a resolution instructing the Treasurer of First Presbytery that except for expenses related to the sale of the property no commitments or expenditures be made from funds received from the sale of the property until such time as the actions of the Board of Stewardship have been reviewed by the General Synod.

Proper documentation was received by the Board of Stewardship, a resolution was adopted by the Presbytery Commission and on May 27, 1982, a quitclaim deed was delivered to the Trustees of the First Charlotte Church. In delivering the deed, the Board of Stewardship acted to comply with previous directives of the General Synod that title to local church property held by the Trustees of Synod should be transferred to local congregations.

The Report of the Moderator's Committee on World Witness was presented and adopted.

REPORT OF MODERATOR'S COMMITTEE ON WORLD WITNESS

Your Moderator's Committee on World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, met and a quorum was declared. The meeting was opened in prayer by Dr. L. M. (Dill) Allison.

John Mariner and John Alexander were present and prepared to answer any questions.

Mr. Mariner shared his deep appreciation for the interest and support that the Synod has shown for the work of World Witness.

Your committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That recommendations Nos. 1-8 of the Board's report be adopted as presented.
2. That the General Synod express its appreciation to the Board of World Witness and its employees.
3. Upon adoption of the Moderator's Committee Report that the Moderator or one appointed by him lead the Synod in prayer regarding recommendations 3 and 5 of the report of World Witness and the needs of World Witness, especially for more personnel in the fields.

The meeting was closed with prayer by the Rev. William Everett.

REPORT OF WORLD WITNESS, THE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Introduction

I Samuel 12:24

"Only fear the Lord, and serve him faithfully with all your heart; for consider what great things he has done for you."

World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions having remembered and considered the great things which God has done not only throughout this past year but throughout the history of our denomination's involvement in world missions, gives thanks and praise to our Lord and God for His steadfast love, grace and blessing on His people as they have been obedient to His call. The first foreign mission board of our denomination was formed in 1839, and after some interruption a new board was appointed in 1958 resulting in a continuous emphasis on foreign missions within the denomination to this date. The zeal and heritage of our forefathers provides for us in these days a pattern for commitment to the work of the Great Commission. Truly our denomination has been and will continue to be distinctive in the work of foreign missions.

The board recognizes with appreciation the significant encouragement and financial support received from the General Synod, individual ARP churches, the Woman's Synodical Union and individuals during the past year. We are grateful for all those who have supported the work through their voluntary commitment, direct support and designated gifts.

The Board of World Witness held three regularly scheduled meetings during the past year during which the business of the Board was conducted, prayerful concern was exercised for all of our missionaries and national workers, and the goals and visions of our board for future years was discussed.

Because of the Lord's presence and power, the work of World Witness has been fruitful during the past year through the witness and testimony of our missionaries and national pastors and lay evangelists supported through our program. Many have heard the Gospel for the first time this past year and many have come to accept Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. The task remaining to be done is great. More than 2.4 billion have never heard the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the first time. The mandate of the Great Commission places responsibility on each and every member of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church to be active in work evangelization through being either a sent one or a sender.

In Memoriam

The Board of World Witness recognizes the death during the past year of one of its retired missionaries, Dr. Ebenezer Gettys. Dr. Gettys, with his wife, served as a missionary to India (now Pakistan) from 1924 through 1939. From 1940 through 1976 he served as the executive secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions.

Appropriate memorial statements will be included in the appendix of the Minutes of the 1982 meeting of the General Synod.

The Fields

Mexico

During the past year, since the meeting of the Genera! Synod in 1981, the existing programs of the Mexican Mission of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church have continued. Several areas have been distinctive in the past year. The new Huastecan Bible School in Valles now has 16 students studying in a program to prepare them for lay evangelistic ministry in the Huastecan Indian area. Approximately one half of the students are in the second year of the program and will be graduating during the summer of 1982 to service for the Lord. The Mexican Bible Correspondence School has expanded its ministry during the past year and through that program several have come to accept Christ as their Savior. The programs in theological education in Tampico and camping in Rio Verde are contributing to over-all goals of developing committed leadership for the future.

During the past six years new evangelistic fields have been opened in the Huastecan area and evangelistic efforts coupled with extension programs have been continued by the Synod of Mexico.

During the past year Miss Arva Dyksterhouse was appointed to help teach missionary children at Rio Verde. She replaces Miss Jan Kok and her short-term assignment will continue through June 1983. Also, at the February 1982 meeting of the Board, David and Susan Brisben were appointed as Missionary Candidates for Mexico for an assignment in the area of Theological Education.

The Intra-Synodical Committee of the Synod of Mexico working with representatives of the Board and Mexican Mission has continued its work during the past year. This committee is carefully defining the working relationship of the Synod of Mexico and World Witness through understanding areas where each organization is autonomous and areas where there is mutual dependence and support. It is hoped that during the next year a written cooperative agreement will be finalized between our two organizations, the first such written agreement in more than 103 years of work together.

The Synod of Mexico continues to request additional missionaries for church planting assignments in cities and areas where there are no ARP churches. These missionaries will work in close cooperation with the Synod of Mexico.

Pakistan

During the past year all of the programs of the Pakistan Mission of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church have continued without interruption. Pakistan continues to be open to the proclamation of the Gospel, although significant resistance has been felt at the offical level of securing entry visas for new missionaries. No new pro-

grams have been instituted during the past year. At the February 1982 meeting of the board, Miss Jane Camerer, a nurse practitioner was appointed as Missionary Candidate for Pakistan.

Through the work of Nancy Fulwood Hospital, the adult literacy program, the Bible correspondence school and special evangelistic efforts, the Gospel of Jesus Christ has been proclaimed in both word and deed. Significant to note is the continuing development of the Synod of Pakistan represented by approximately 15 outstanding requests from villages for assistance for construction of churches or pastor's homes. During this past year several new missionaries, Miss Melanie Heflin, David and Julaine Harding, and Gary and Joyce Letchworth have graduated from language school. At long last they can begin their work primarily as replacements for those who have left the field in previous years.

During the past year a number of individuals visited the field as volunteers in ministry or medical service, including the Reverend Wayne Dixon, Mrs. Emma Nichols, Dr. Rodney Lovett, Dr. Barbara Boyd, the Reverend Franklin Graham, Dr. Richard Wrenn, Dr. E. R. Young, the Reverend George Lauderdale and Miss Camille Jones. The visit of each has been a blessing to the Mission.

The Board

During the past year the Board of World Witness has functioned in its capacity of directing the work of World Witness and in promoting its work throughout the General Synod. Meetings have been held with the Synods of Mexico and Pakistan to further our open relationship of communication with those organizations.

Mr. John Alexander has been elected as chairman of the Board of World Witness, Mrs. Emma Echols as vice chairman of the Board of World Witness; and Mrs. Sarah Woodard was elected recording secretary, for the term of office commencing July 1, 1982.

Mrs. Peggy Murdock, who had been commissioned by the Board of World Witness to prepare historical documents on the work of World Witness in Mexico and Pakistan for inclusion in the Bicentennial materials being prepared by the denomination, completed her work.

In February World Witness co-sponsored with Erskine Theological Seminary a foreign missions conference at Erskine College. Elisabeth Elliot Gren was the speaker and the conference was highly successful.

During the months of May and June, 1982, a Bicentennial team representing the work of World Witness in Mexico and Pakistan will be touring all seven presbyteries of the General Synod. A program structured around the testimonies of young people from Mexico, Pakistan and the United States will not only reflect on God's grace in past years, but also have an evangelistic emphasis.

During the past year the Board of World Witness began an extensive "self evaluation" of its work and programs. During this year the work of the Board of World Witness is being examined, following that the work of our fields and then the work of individual missionaries will be reviewed in detail. This process is a continuous process as a part of our accountability to the Lord and the General Synod.

Recommendations to the 1982 Meeting of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

1. That the report of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Mission, be adopted and printed in the Minutes of the General Synod.
2. That in recognition of God's grace and enabling power throughout the history of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, that we recommit ourselves as a denomination to obedience to the mandate of the Great Commission both in the United States of America and throughout the world.
3. That the General Synod remember with prayer, praise and thanksgiving the life and ministry of Dr. Ebenezer Gettys.
4. That the general interest of the denomination in the work of foreign missions be encouraged in continuing emphasis in presbyteries, conferences, youth conferences and

publications; and that pastors and elders prayerfully challenge members of their local congregations to consider missionary service so that each and every congregation will be contributing personnel to the work of missions.

5. That the General Synod continue to remember retired ARP missionaries with prayer, notably: Mrs. Mary Gettys, Mrs. Janet White, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Halliday.
6. That special appreciation be extended to the Woman's Synodical Union for their financial support.
7. That the proposed comprehensive 1983 budget of World Witness, the Board of Foreign Missions, as included in this report and as ammended by the 1982 Synod report of the Board of Stewardship, be adopted.
8. That the following list of missionary requirements be noted by the sessions of each ARP church so that they may prayerfully review their membership to see if any individual might be called of the Lord to fill a vacancy:

In Mexico

Piano teacher—a one-to-two year assignment at the Huastecan Bible School, Valles. Teach basic music skills on piano and accordian to Bible school students to enable them to lead and provide accompaniment for church worship service music.

Theological Education—a minimum four-year to career commitment to teach in Theological education programs of the Synod of Mexico.

Church planters—a minimum four-year commitment to do team evangelism in areas where there are no ARP churches, leading to the establishment of churches which will become a part of the ARP Synod of Mexico.

In Pakistan

Evangelist, church planter—minimum four-year to career commitment to do team evangelism and church planting in Pakistan in one of three areas: the Punjab, where the established ARP church is located, the tribal area, or work specifically with the Muslim-majority community.

1983 WORLD WITNESS U.S. BUDGET
Approved World Witness Board—Feb. 23, 1982

Budgeted Income		
Voluntary Commitments	$	$240,845
Interest Income		
Permanent Funds	8,000	
Harper Mem. Fund	1,200	9,200
General Specials		
WSU (Anticipated)	20,000	
Churches and Individuals	11,000	31,000
Direct Support		
ARP Churches	234,625	
WSU (Anticipated)	27,265	
Other	3,000	281,630
Special Offerings		
One Great Hour of Sharing		25,000
Restricted Specials		
WSU (Anticipated)	31,000	
Adopt Program		
Mexico	7,000	
Pakistan	9,500	
Churches & Individuals	190,135	237,635
TOTAL		$825,310

Expense Summary

Synod Budget	$297,545
Direct Support	281,630
Other Budgeted Expenses	246,135
Reserve Funds	
TOTAL	$825,310

EXPENDITURES

Item	Synod Budget Includes Voluntary Commitments, Interest & General Specials	Direct Support	Comprehensive Totals
I. MEXICO			
A. Salaries			
1. R. L. Brunson	$	$ 12,780	$ 12,780
2. P. G. Covone		14,480	14,480
3. D. Rodriguez		12,680	12,680
4. R. B. Wilson		11,980	11,980
5. J. Coad, Jr.		11,580	11,580
6. Sarah Pressly		8,340	8,340
B. Child Allowance			
1. R. L. Brunson		3,100	3,100
2. P. G. Covone		750	750
3. R. B. Wilson		1,300	1,300
C. Maintenance & Rent			
1. Valles Mission Home	780	1,500	2,280
2. Sara Flores Home	720		720
3. Janie Love Home	720		720
4. N. E. Pressly Clinic	4,550		4,550
5. Nurses Home	3,000		3,450
6. Rio Verde Mission Home	780	1,500	2,280
7. Rio Verde Students Home	1,800		1,800
8. Rio Verde Camp Building	360		360
9. Taxes, Tamsan	1,200		1,200
10. Rent—R. B. Wilson		4,800	4,800
11. Rent—J. Coad, Jr.		3,600	3,600
12. Rent—Sarah Pressly		1,700	1,700
D. Itineration			
1. All Fields		6,000	9,000
E. Car Insurance & Taxes			
1. R. L. Brunson		450	450
2. P. G. Covone		450	450
3. R. B. Wilson		450	450
4. J. Coad, Jr.		450	450
5. Sarah Pressly		450	450

F. Work and Workers			
1. White Cross, 3 Districts			6,000
2. Workers, Rio Verde District ..	11,600		18,600
3. Workers, Tampico District ...	12,300		15,300
4. Workers, Valles.....	27,000		37,000
5. Workers, S.L.P. District	5,000		5,000
6. Itineration, Workers.....	2,000		2,000
7. Christian Education Team	7,800		7,800
G. Neill E. Pressly Clinic			
1. All expenses			4,000
H. J. L. Pressly Dispensary			
1. All expenses			2,000
I. Huastecan Clinic			
1. All expenses	5,000		9,000
J. Education			
1. Seminary			3,650
2. Training lay workers.....	850		850
3. Huastecan Bible School	8,800		16,000
4. Education Scholarships	8,000		10,000
5. Medical students	1,200		1,200
6. Bible Correspondence School .	3,000		10,000
7. Book Store.....	1,500		1,500
8. Rio Verde Conference Center .	6,000		8,000
K. General			
1. Administration	1,050		1,050
2. Legal Matters.....	1,100		1,100
3. Pensions, Retired Workers ...	3,700		3,700
4. Village Clinics			4,000
5. Summer Camps.....	6,000		30,000
6. Camp Secretary.....	2,160		2,160
7. Telephones.....	3,500		5,500
8. School fees, Brunson		1,800	1,800
9. Scholarships, Covone.....		1,000	1,500
10. Radio & TV			3,000
11. Clerk/Bookkeeper	1,800		1,800
12. School Fees, Wilson		1,500	1,500
13. Rio Verde Social Security.....	900		900
14. Camp Construction			18,000
MEXICO TOTAL	$136,170	$102,640	$349,610

2. PAKISTAN

A. Salaries			
1. George McBane.....		12,480	12,480
2. D. Harding.....		11,580	11,580
3. D. E. Dagenhart		8,540	8,540
4. M. E. White.....		8,190	8,190
5. F. E. Hanna.....		8,140	8,140
6. Melanie Heflin.....		6,890	6,890
7. G. Letchworth.....		10,690	10,690
8. K. Lotze		11,480	11,480

B. Child Allowance			
1. D. Harding		600	600
2. G. Letchworth		750	750
3. K. Lotze		900	900
4. McBane		600	600
C. Upkeep			
1. Bahar Afshan*		1,800	2,100
2. Knox Home House*		1,800	2,100
3. Ladies House*		1,800	2,100
4. Hopital	3,000		3,000
5. Knox Home		500	800
6. Chichiwatni		1,800	2,100
7. New Bungalow*	1,300		1,500
8. Karachi House		1,000	2,000
9. Volkart House		1,800	2,100
10. Rental Housing-McBane		3,600	3,600
D. Taxes			
1. Land and Water	200		200
2. Property	900		1,400
3. Car Insurance		3,600	3,600
E. Itineration			
1. General		7,500	18,000
2. Ambulance, Hopital		2,100	2,100
3. Karachi	1,700		1,700
F. Work and Workers			
1. General	500		500
2. Church Extension	3,000		3,000
G. Bible Teacher and Chaplain	4,000		4,000
H. Institutions			
1. Nancy Fulwood Hospital	30,000		40,000
2. Replacement of Equipment	4,000		4,000
3. MLP School Hostel**	7,500		14,000
4. Sahiwal Primary School	1,450		1,450
5. 357 Primary School	900		900
6. Knox Home Hostel	1,850		2,850
7. College Girls Hostel	2,000		2,500
8. Karachi Schools	1,800		1,800

*Includes House, Quarters and Watchman
**Adoption Program

I. General			
1. Office Expense	3,300		3,300
2. Language School	3,000		3,000
3. Murree School		1,000	1,800
4. Seminary Affiliation	2,000		2,000
5. Adult Literacy	18,000		18,000
6. Lay Training School	700		2,000
7. District Medical Fund	450		450
8. Seminary Scholarships	650		650

9. College Scholarships	1,000		2,000
10. Tech. Training Sch.	800		1,400
11. EDA Program	700		5,000
12. Major Repairs	5,000		16,000
13. Christian Development	4,000		4,000
14. Bahwalpur Workers	5,000		5,000
15. Bible Correspondence Sch.	11,000		18,000
16. Agriculture	2,600		3,600
17. Bible Teachers	1,100		3,300
J. Synod			
1. Synod Subsidy	4,800		15,000
2. Retirement	2,500		2,500
PAKISTAN TOTAL	$131,700	$109,030	$313,130
3. BOARD			
A. Personnel			
1. Blue Cross/Blue Shield		12,150	12,150
2. Retirement		16,010	16,010
3. Social Security		5,120	5,120
4. Synod Benefits		5,480	5,480
B. Executive Secretary			
1. Salary	25,405		25,405
2. Retirement (8%)	2,035		2,035
3. Social Security (6.65)	1,690		1,690
4. Synod Benefits	450		450
5. Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1,200		1,200
C. Office Expenses			
1. Administrative Assistant	14,200		14,200
2. Secretary	8,500		8,500
3. Printing	8,000		8,000
4. Telephone, postage, teleg.	11,000		11,000
5. Rent	1,130		1,130
D. General			
1. Board Travel	7,500		7,500
2. Secretary Travel	7,500		7,500
3. Contingent	9,000		9,000
4. Car Depreciation		19,500	19,500
5. Missionary Travel		11,700	11,700
BOARD TOTAL	97,610	69,960	162,570
SUMMARY			
MEXICO	$136,170	$102,640	$349,610
PAKISTAN	131,700	109,030	313,130
BOARD	97,610	69,960	162,570
TOTAL	$365,480	$281,630	$825,310

OTHER BUDGETED EXPENSE

A. Mexico	
1. One Great Hour Specials	$ 12,500
2.Specials	119,100

B. Pakistan	
1. One Great Hour Specials	12,500
2. Specials.....	102,035
TOTAL	$246,135

For Information Purposes Only:

Total US Budget	$	742,060.00
Anticipated Income outside USA .		820,000.00
TOTAL WORLD BUDGET	$	1,562,060.00

The special prayer called for in the Moderator's Committee Report on World Witness was led by D. L. Pearson.

A motion by R. A. Whitesides was adopted.

> I move that Synod request the Board of World Witness to closely examine at least five of the most unevangelized mission fields of the world and be prepared to recommend to the 1983 meeting of Synod the opening of at least an additional field outside the continental U.S. either in cooperation with one or both of our sister A.R.P. Synods, or on our own.

A motion carried to commend the Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Clerks for their work at this meeting.

The Moderator acknowledged the aid of the Vice-Moderator and the A.R.P. Center.

A motion carried that the final adoption of the Minutes and the final roll-call be waived.

The Moderator proclaimed the 178th meeting of the Synod closed. Psalm 133 was sung and Mr. Boswell closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. Boswell, Moderator
J. L. Carson, Vice-Moderator
C. Ronald Beard, Principal Clerk
R. B. Elliott, Jr., Reading Clerk
W. E. Kirkpatrick, Bill Clerk
J. B. Hendrick, Parliamentarian

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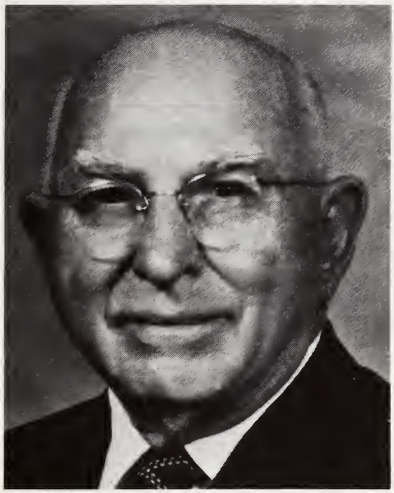

EBENEZER GETTYS
(September 26, 1895 - August 30, 1981)

Ebnezer ("Si") Gettys was born on September 26, 1895 to William E. and Alice Rosina Hogue Gettys in the Tirzah Community, York County, S.C. Baptized by Dr. B. H. Grier, he became a member of the Tirzah Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church under the ministry of Dr. E. B. Hunter.

His studies at Erskine College, begun in 1916, were interrupted by a term of service with the American Expeditionary Forces of the U.S. Army in France from 1917 to 1919. Returning to Erskine after World War I, he received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1922. Erskine Theological Seminary, where he studied for the ministry, awarded him a Bachelor of Theology degree in 1924.

He was licensed and ordained to the ministry on April 2, 1924 at Sharon, S.C.

On April 26, 1924 he married Mary Margaret Millen of Davidson, N.C. Three children were born into the Gettys' home: Robert Ebenezer, buried in India as an infant; Mary Ruth, the wife of a Presbyterian minister, M. M. Calhoun; William Millen, a Presbyterian minister.

From 1924 until 1939 "Si" and Mrs. Gettys served as missionaries in India (now Pakistan) under the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions. When problems with his health compelled the Gettyses to relinquish their ministry in India, they returned home to find available in the denomination's work a great number of assignments for which his talents and interests suited him. The pastorates of the Iva, Generostee and Grove congregations, Anderson County, S.C., were served by him, as well as that of the church in Doraville, Ga. He was the Stated Supply Pastor of the Bethel (Vidette, Ga.) and Due West churches. The General Synod also found places for his talents. He served as Synod's Director of Young People's Work and as Director of Christian Education. For some twenty-five years he was the editor of the *Associate Reformed Presbyterian* and of the Church School's *Adult Quarterly*. During this period he edited the denomination's annual *Prayer Calendar*. For thirty years he was the Executive Secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions. He was Moderator of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in 1961-1962. He served as Stated Clerk of Second Presbytery from 1941 to 1970.

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"Si" Gettys was the author of *Studies in Church History of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church* (1954). In collaboration with Rev. W. C. Alexander, he wrote *We Believe and Teach* in 1957, a catechetical study book that is still widely used in the denomination.

Erskine College conferred upon him in 1953 the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. In 1976 Erskine recognized his qualities of character and service as an alumnus in presenting him the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award.

"Si" Gettys was a man of many talents, and he was tireless and strictly disciplined in putting his gifts to their best use in the service of Christ. His memory is cherished by a host of us who benefited from his wise counsel and his exemplification of the "servant" role in the ministry of the Gospel.

He traveled with us as far as he was allowed to go, and now he has gone beyond us. We may express our final tribute to him in the words of Mrs. Gettys: "He left the door open, just a little, that, though we no longer see him, touch him or hear him, and though in a hundred ways we miss him, we are all rich in this: in having him all these years and that, after all, we have him and all who follow the "Way" forever." *(The Associate Reformed Presbyterian,* March 1982, p. 30).

LIST OF DECEASED RULING ELDERS

Name	Church	Year of Ordination
Catawba Presbytery		
Heyward A. Carr, Jr.	Centennial	1962
David A. Hawkins	Eden Terrace	1959
Edward M. Mills	Hopewell	1952
Thomas L. Weeks	Hickory Grove	1961
D. H. Blakeney	Lancaster	1964
E. Woodard Carter	Neely's Creek	1940
Leonard W. Walker	Neelys Creek	1940
Lyle Burton	Tirzah	
W. B. Patrick	White Oak	1967
Roy B. Whitesides	York	1958
FIRST PRESBYTERY		
A. M. Robionson, Sr.	Back Creek	
Walter Baulding	Burlington	1965
John S. Kimmons	Covenant	1953
George Haire	Ebenezer	1976
W. T. Spencer	First Gastonia	1954
T. E. Whitesides	First Gastonia	1967
Robert L. Brawley	Mooresville	1953
Roger Henderson Neill	New Perth	1975
Lawrence Lippard	New Sterling	1953
W. A. Hethcox	Pinecrest	
M. L. McDougald	Pressly Memorial	1950
Burton Lewis	First Statesville	
Leon T. Kennedy	Tabernacle	1969
FLORIDA PRESBYTERY		
Bob T. Clawson	Avon Park	1978
W. Paul Heyman	Bartow	
Jim Ballou	Chapel-by-the-Sea	1978

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY

Lemuel Gettys Wylie	Brighton	1953
Robert DeArmond	Parkway Place	
Clifford E. Hamaker	Pottsville	1962
S. M. Boyd	Wood Avenue	1947

SECOND PRESBYTERY

William S. Milling	Greenwood	
C. E. Rickenbaker	Greenwood	
Joseph L. Bigham	Highlands	
Callie Boyd Parr, Sr.	Newberry	1947
William D. Cromer	Newberry	1958

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESYTERY

Leonard T. Walker

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY

Ross Cunningham	Ballston Center
Paul Guenther	Kingsborough

OFFICIAL ROLL OF SYNOD

***Excused For All or Portion of Synod Meeting**

****Mission Congregation**

Catawba Presbytery

Ministers: Ray M. Alber (a*), Raymond E. Ashmore, James C. Barker, C. Ronald Beard, J. Frank Beard, Roy E. Beckham, H. Max Bolin, James H. Boyce, J. G. Brawley, Sr. (a*), C. M. Coffey (a), Barry Dagenhart, J. Allen Derrick, R. Wayne Dickson, Joseph W. Donahue, Tony D. Grant, J. B. Hendrick, Grant F. Johnson, Ray A. King, William F. Mitchell, Forrest J. Musselman, John An Nguyen*, Dwight L. Pearson, W. M. Pittendreigh, John E. Pressly (a*), James H. Ragsdale, Robert J. Robinson, Jan Senneker, David W. Setzer, Forrest W. Sherrill (a*), Guy H. Smith, Jr., W. B. Sutherland, Calvin W. Todd, Rabun M. Williams, R. M. Wilson, Jerry R. Wolff.

Elder-Representatives: Bethany (C. Pressly Barry), Bethel (H. Paul Dove), Blacksburg (C. C. Moorhead), Centennial (R. Wyndal Howard, John A. Bigham), Chester (Frank Armstrong), Clover (James M. Dickson), Dutch Fork**, Eden Terrace (E. J. Lowrance), Edgemoor (Robert L. Starnes), Edwards Memorial (Owens Baston), Faith (None), Hardeeville**, Hickory Grove (None), Hopewell (Edward Hunter Mills), Lancaster First (James A. Adams, John N. Blanks), Neely's Creek (Robert Ackerman -#1, John T. Boyd - #2), New Hope (Marion E. Stevenson), Oak Grove (James Gibert), Oak Ridge (Joe Hunter), Pleasant Hill (Emory G. Bell), First Rock Hill (W. Sasie Haire - #1, James L. Simpson - #2), Rogers Memorial (Olin Spears), Sharon (John I. Chason, Lee M. Sherer), Sherwood Forest (J. J. Allen, Francis L. Christmus, W. W. Howell), Shiloh (Grady P. Robinson), Smyrna (W. M. Faulkner, Jr. (a), Tirzah (John C. Adams), Union (Fred M. Hicklin, Sr.), Unity (James A. Thomas), Vietnamese Christian**, Wando**, White Oak (R. E. Patrick), York (Guy H. Smith, Sr.).

First Presbytery

Ministers: L. M. Allison, Fred R. Archer, Jr., W. Harris Blair, Joe R. Blevins, A. C. Bridges, John L. Carson, Meredith L. Cavin, James M. Craig (a*), C. E. Edwards, R. B. Elliott, Jr., Charles B. Evans, Arthur A. Fischer, Walter P. Fleming, W. P. Grier, Gerald R. Hallman, Robert Hamilton, Billy S. Howell, Jr. (a*), James A. Hunt, John

S. Kimmons, Jr., L. P. Knox (a*), W. C. Lauderdale, R. B. Leaptrott, C. Earl Linderman, Mike Lineberger, Robert B. Luebke, Jr., William A. Macaulay, Harold S. Mace, Neil McCarter, Bryant McLendon, Charles L. Mitchell, Bob E. Murdock, Guy Oliver, Will W. Orr (a*), Ted Owens (a*), H. E. Pressly, W. L. Pressly, Lonnie L. Richardson, C. Stephen Rimmer, E. Timothy Robinson, Harry T. Schutte, K. C. Seawright (a*), Robert E. Sherer, P. L. Sherrill, Gregory C. Slater, Charles A. Steele, William H. Tyson, R. M. Wallace, Jr., Zeb C. Williams, Michael E. Woodard.

Elder-Representatives: Back Creek (N. A. Caldwell), Boyce Memorial (Mariott Phifer), Burlington First (W. H. Bush, Jr.), Chalmers Memorial (Cameron K. Chittenden), Charlotte First (None), Christ Community**, Coddle Creek (James C. Wallace), Concord (Adeeb Nashif), Covenant (Harry Barkley, Lee Spencer), Craig Avenue (Glenn Baker), Crowders Creek (William Best), Ebenezer (Frank Kobler, Frank Griffin), Elk Shoals (Kenneth Sherrill), First Union (J. E. Kanipe), Garrison Memorial (Robert Gamble), First Gastonia (Thomas E. Carson), Gilead (Ernest Long), Glenwood (Lloyd Nance (a), Huntersville (Paul Irvin, Sr.), Idlewild (Henry Bigham), Linden (Leonard McAbee, Paul Powers), Maupin Avenue (John B. Fisher), Mooresville (B. T. Compton), New Amity (Lee Donaldson), New Covenant (Jerry Austin, C. T. Hughes), New Perth (Carl Smith), New Sterling (Ewell Stevenson, David Sides), Pinecrest (Robert S. Hutchison, W. Crawford Pearson), Pisgah (Gene Kaylor), Pressly Memorial (None), Saint Andrew (Campbell Stewart), Sandy Plains (Fulton Roper*), Statesville First (A. B. Stradley - #1, R. B. Wood - #2), Stony Point (Mack Oliver), Tabernacle (R. C. Bryson - #1, S. L. Boyce - #2), Westminster (None).

Florida Presbytery

Ministers: William L. Barron, Bobby E. DeWitt, Douglas G. Fleming, Wayne A. Frazier, John R. Hopkins, Robert F. Ingram, Kenneth Lotze, Neil Mathias, R. T. Nelson, Grady R. Oates, Harold B. Probes, Jr., W. O. Ragsdale (a*), David M. Rockness, John M. Rogers*, Mark S. Shuttleworth, George C. Stulting.

Elder-Representatives: Avon Park (Ted Ward), Bartow (Monte Campbell), Chapel-By-The-Sea (Arthur K. Bradley), Faith (Wayne Stevenson), Frostproof (Homer German), Grace** (John Gade, observer), Lakeland**, Lake Placid (R. R. Grigsby), Lake Wales (Thomas G. Shrefler - #1, Donald D. Pollard - #2), New Hope (William Bland), Sebring (Robert L. Wolfe), Trinity (Charles L. Gilkison).

Mississippi Valley Presbytery

Ministers: John S. Banks, James Coad, John A. Coad, Webster Curry, Charles W. Echols (a*), William B. Everett, Nale Falls, Stephen Irby, Gary Letchworth (a*), James McLurkin, Alan Morrow, Thomas G. Morris, Joe O'Cain, Alton Roberts (a*), Gilbert Rowell, J. Calvin Smith, Wayne Stanchfield (a*), Charles Y. Todd, J. Roger Wade, Robert Washington, Jr.

Elder-Representatives: Bethany (None), Brighton (F. M. Huffman), Covington (Sam Fee), Ebenezer (Thomas Stewart), Elsberry (None), Greenview Heights**, Havana (J. D. Welch), Hickory Springs (None), Hopewell (None), Lawndale (None), Midlane Park (None), Mount Zion (None), New Albany (Hugh Stephens), Parkway Place (Robert F. Rutt), Pottsville (E. Dean Ferguson), Richland (Harry McCalla), Rives (None), Saint Paul (Claude Ferguson), Salem (James E. Simonton), Shady Grove (None), Sharon (G. K. Spencer), Southwest (Mike Velez), Troy (None), Westminster (R. M. Robinson), Wood Avenue (Charles R. Carmichael).

Second Presbytery

Ministers: Robert W. Ackerman, W. F. Blakely (a*), E L. Bland, W. J. Boyd (a*), S. Harry Cain, Conrad E. Cheatham, James Coad, Jr., James T. Corbitt, D. W. Elliott, Guy R. Everson, Billy O. Fleming, Michael L. Garvey, P. L. Grier, W. C. Halliday, Ted L. Jones, Jr., R. Eldridge Kelley, Lee P. Kennerly, W. E. Kirkpatrick, Joseph B. Lennon, R. C. Lewis, Jr., R. J. Marshburn, George McBane (a*), Clyde T. McCants, J. B. McFerrin, R. R. McGregor, K. F. Morris, Gary L. Pierstorff, James Edward

Pitts, L. Thomas Richie, R. T. Ruble, O. J. Rundus, William T. Sherer, III, Palmer Steele, Robert P. Taylor, M. S. Turner, Jr. (a*), F. T. White, Harry C. White, Charles W. Wilson.

Elder-Representatives: Abbeville (David R. Beaty), Bethel (None), Bethlehem (Lucien Leslie), Cannons Creek-Prosperity (James Long), Cedar Springs (None), Doraville (J. J. Perpall, Jr. - #1, J. C. Roberts - #2), Due West (Gordon Parkinson), Ebenezer (Jack Hobbs), Generostee (None), Greenville (Wiley C. Wimberly - #1, David J. Vickery - #2, Larry Creswell, H. Elliott Batson), Greenwood (Roy Long, Bill Patrick, Philip Tinkler), Grier Memorial (R. C. Grier, Jr.), Highlands (Neil Harmon), Hopewell (Paul Wilson), Iva (Thomas L. Dobbins), Louisville (Walter J. Revell), Lower Long Cane (Moffatt Young (a), Lyndon Grove (Brice B. Duke), Mount Carmel (John A. McAllister, Sr., R. D. McDill), Newberry (Elmer Shealy), North Gwinnett Mission**, Ora (Milton Y. Blakely), Pressly Memorial (Horace Creswell (a)), Providence (Marvin S. Turner, Sr.), Spartanburg (Gwin A. Pierce, Jr.), Troy (T. A. Robinson, R. A. Russell), Tucker (Bill Kirkpatrick), White Oak (None), Woodruff (None), Wrens (Robert L. Whitaker), Young Memorial (James H. Young).

Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery

Ministers: Robert P. Brawley, L. Calvin Draffin, Charles F. Edgar, James R. Fee, R. C. Kennedy (a*), Harold M. Pearson, Harold N. Smith, Tommy L. Wilson (a).

Elder-Representatives: Bethel (None), Camden (Hugh Dale), Cleveland Street (Paul K. Shannon, Carl Catt), Fayetteville (Robert Hamilton), Hopewell (James Patterson), Lincoln Memorial (None), Pressly Memorial (Fred Hartin), Prosperity, Ala. (Burns Sanderson), Prosperity, Tenn. (Lawson Good).

Virginia Presbytery

Ministers: James M. Bell, Sr.*, Paul A. Campbell (a*), David R. Ellis, G. J. Gerard (a*), M. B. Grier (a*), William M. Harris, Jr., D. O. Jones, Robert S. Miles, Jr.*, Troy L. Pritt, Stewart J. Rankin, Ashton T. Stewart, Jr., A. K. Whitesides (a*), Robert A. Whitesides.

Elder-Representatives: Ballston Center (Robert Trieble), Broad Creek (None), Church of the Atonement (Maurice Hauschildt), Ebenezer (John A. Hunter (a), Edgemont (John Lee Davis), Fairlea (None), Johnson Creek (None), Kingsborough**, Ladd (None), Lauderdale (M. D. Sensabaugh), New Lebanon (None), Old Providence (Don Richie), Spring Valley (None), Timber Ridge (None), Wildhurst (None).

BY-LAWS OF BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ARTICLE I
Name and Purpose

Section 1. NAME. The name shall be *"Board of Stewardship of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church,"* commonly known as Board of Stewardship, with principal offices at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center, One Cleveland Street, Greenville, S.C.

Section 2. PURPOSE. The purpose of this corporation is to (a) promote the general program of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; (b) receive and hold in trust for the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church financial resources and properties contributed, devised and bequeathed to the General Synod for current use; (c) develop and implement programs for securing the funds required to meet the operating needs of the General Synod; (d) to prepare for presentation at the annual meeting of the General Synod a financially sound annual operating budget for

the General Synod; (e) discharge obligations in stewardship in accordance with the budget adopted by the General Synod; (f) provide on an annual basis for an independent auditor's report on the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod; (g) exercise prudent rules of investment of current financial resources; (h) assist in developing financial stewardship models for presbyteries, congregations, and agencies of the General Synod; and (i) serve as the legal entity of the Associate Reforemed Presbyterian Church.

As the legal entity of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Board of Stewardship shall hold title to properties of the General Synod, excluding properties of congregations and properties of the individual boards and/or agencies of the Synod, provided, however, that in the event of a division of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, the property held by the Board of Stewardship shall be held for the use and benefit of and shall be the property of that branch which shall retain the name *"Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church"* and which shall adhere to the system of doctrine of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as set forth in the *"Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church."*

ARTICLE II
The Board

Section 1. POWERS. The corporate powers, business, property, and affairs of this corporation shall be managed by the board. Members of this board need not be residents of the State of South Carolina.

Section 2. NUMBER AND TENURE: Membership on the board shall be as follows:

(a) Six (6) members elected by the General Synod, with one member elected each year for a six-year term;

(b) Seven (7) presbytery representatives, one from each presbytery, each of whom serves as the chairman of the presbytery committee;

(c) Treasurer of the General Synod; and

(d) Treasurer of the Woman's Synodical Union.

In addition, the following shall serve as non-voting, advisory members: a Youth Representative appointed by the General Synod for a two-year term and the Moderator of the General Synod.

Members shall not be eligible for a second term until one (1) year after completion of the term.

Section 3. VACANCIES. Vacancies shall be filled as set forth in Section 2 in this Article.

Section 4. MEETINGS. The board shall meet at least two (2) times annually during the months of April and September or it may by resolution fix any other regular time for such meetings. The board shall meet on the call of the chairman or secretary or any three voting members. Members shall be advised of a called meeting by telephone, telegraph, or mail so as to receive notice of such meeting at least five (5) days before such meeting but such notice may be waived by any member. At any called meeting at which every member shall be present any business may be transacted. Telephonic conference call meetings may be held when necessary; however, an affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the board will be required for approval of action in a telephone meeting.

Section 5. QUORUM. A majority of the voting members of the board (8) shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of the business of the corporation. If at any meeting there is less than a quorum present, a majority of those present may adjourn the meeting from time to time without notice in order to secure a quorum.

Section 6. AUTHORITY. The board shall have the full responsibility for the management and control of the business, property, and affairs of the corporation subject to the directions and control of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. In the exercise of its authority, the board shall comply with the *Standards of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church* and shall act in an impartial and non-discriminatory manner.

Section 7. ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS. The board may employ an administrative officer or utilize the services of the Director of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center as the administrative officer. Such administrative officer shall not be a member of the board and his duties shall be the duties usual to such positions and such other and further duties as may be prescribed from time to time by the board.

Section 8. COMPENSATION. The board of directors shall not receive compensation for their attendance at the meetings of the board, but will be reimbursed for normal and reasonable travel expenses. Compensation paid to the administrative officer shall be within the limitations of a budget approved by the General Synod.

ARTICLE III
Officers

Section 1. OFFICERS. The officers of this corporation shall be the chairman, vice-chairman, secretary, treasurer, and such other officers as the board may from time to time provide. The chairman, vice-chairman, and secretary shall be members of the board. The treasurer shall be the Treasurer of the General Synod. The board shall appoint an assistant treasurer who shall carry out the necessary functions of the treasurer in the event of the death, resignation, retirement, disqualification, or any other cause, until such time as a treasurer can be elected by the General Synod or the Executive Board of Synod. The assistant treasurer need not be a member of the board.

Section 2. ELECTION. The chairman, vice-chairman, secretary, and assistant treasurer shall be elected for a term of one year by the board at its April meeting to begin service on July 1 following. The treasurer shall be elected by the General Synod through its normal nominating process.

Section 3. VACANCIES. In case of a vacancy in any office of the corporation, except for that of the treasurer, the majority of the directors then in office, even if less than a quorum, may elect an officer to fill such vacancy, and the officer so elected shall hold office and serve until the normal election date. In the event of the vacancy of the office of treasurer, the Executive Board of Synod will be requested to appoint a treasurer pro-tem.

Section 4. CHAIRMAN. The chairman shall preside at all meetings of the board and perform such other duties as are usually incumbent upon and incident to this position which may be assigned from time to time by the board.

Section 5. VICE-CHAIRMAN. The vice-chairman shall have the power and perform the duties of the chairman during the absence or disability or refusal to act of the chairman or in case of a vacancy in the office of chairman, and perform such other duties which may from time to time be assigned by the board.

Section 6. SECRETARY. The secretary shall perform the duties incident to this office or which may be from time to time assigned by the board. He shall keep minutes of all the meetings of the board and of the Executive Committee of the board and shall give notice of all such meetings requiring notice. He shall have the custody of the corporate seal and he may sign, with the chairman or vice-chairman, in the name and on behalf of the corporation, any contracts, deeds, or agreements authorized by the board and when so authorized or ordered by the board he may affix the seal of the corporation.

Section 7. TREASURER. In his capacity as Treasurer of the General Synod, the treasurer shall receive and safely keep all monies and securities committed to the General Synod and shall deposit or keep the same in depositories designated by the board. He shall sign all checks drawn upon the account under the general directions and authority conferred upon him by the board from time to time. He shall render a statement of account to the board at its regular meetings and more frequently if required by said board. He shall perform all other duties usually incident to his office or which may be from time to time assigned him by the board.

Section 8. BONDS. The board shall require all officers and employees having control of or access to monies or securities of the corporation in the regular discharge of their duties to give bond to the company with corporate surety conditioned upon the

honesty of such officers and employees, in such amounts as may be deemed necessary and containing such other conditions as may be required from time to time by the board. The premium of such surety bonds shall be paid by the General Synod.

ARTICLE IV
Committees

Section 1. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. The Executive Committee of the board shall consist of the chairman, vice-chairman, secretary, and chairmen of the other standing committees. The duties of the Executive Committee shall be to handle emergencies between stated meetings of the board, to be of general assistance to the Treasurer of Synod and its administrative officer, and to bring to the board any recommendations deemed necessary for the good of the board. The Executive Committee shall keep full and accurate records of its proceedings and actions and shall report them to the next succeeding meeting of the board who may alter or revise such actions, provided that no rights of third persons shall be affected by any such revision or alteration.

Section 2. AUDIT COMMITTEE. There shall be an audit committee consisting of not less than two (2) nor more than four (4) voting members which shall meet at all meetings of the board and such other times as necessary to fulfill its responsibilities and shall present a written report of its meetings to the board. The audit committee shall recommend the appointment of the independent public accounting firm to audit the books of the General Synod and shall receive and review the report of the independent public accounting firm and present this report and their evaluation to the board.

Section 3. INVESTMENT AND REAL PROPERTY COMMITTEE. The Investment and Real Property Committee shall consist of not less than two (2) nor more than five (5) voting members. The committee shall meet at all meetings of the board and shall present a written report of its meetings to the board. It shall be the duty of the committee, subject to such limitations as the board may provide, to direct the mode, manner, and time of making and calling in investments and the sale and transfer of investments and reinvestments or the proceeds thereof. The committee shall handle all property and title matters relative to the work of the board.

Section 4. OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. The Operation and Management Committee shall consist of not less than two (2) nor more than five (5) voting members. This committee shall meet at all meetings of the board and shall give a written report of its proceedings to the board. This committee shall be responsible for items referred to it by the board and will include responsibilities for such areas as liability insurance, surety bonds, capitalization policies, and areas of general management of the board and General Synod which have not been specifically assigned elsewhere.

Section 5. BUDGET COMMITTEE. The Budget Committee, consisting of not less than five (5) nor more than eight (8) voting members, is responsible for the preparation, submission and supervision of the budget of the General Synod. The committee will meet at all board meetings and at such other times as are necessary to fulfill its responsibilities and shall make a written report of all meetings. The committee shall prepare and maintain budget preparation guidelines and budget expenditure policies.

Section 6. COMMITMENT AND SERVICES COMMITTEE. The Commitment and Services Committee will consist of not less than five (5) nor more than eight (8) voting members. It shall be responsible for the denominational voluntary commitment program and primary concern in all programs designed for services to the congregation or directly involving the congregations in education, tithing, stewardship of resources and use and care of money of individuals and the congregations. The committee shall meet at all meetings of the board and at such other times as are necessary to fulfill its responsibilities. The committee shall make a written report of its meetings.

Section 7. OTHER COMMITTEES. The chairman shall have the power to appoint such other committees as may be necessary for the efficient conduct of the business of this board.

Section 8. LIMITATIONS. The board shall at all times have power to modify, add to, take from or otherwise change and alter the duties and functions of committees, subject to the review of the General Synod.

Section 9. APPOINTMENT. All committees of the board with the exception of the Executive Committee, shall be appointed by the chairman.

ARTICLE V
Miscellaneous

Section 1. FISCAL YEAR. The fiscal year of the corporation shall begin on the first day of January and terminate on the 31st day of December of each year. Terms of office for board members will begin July 1 and will terminate on June 30 of the year indicated.

Section 2. CONVEYANCES. All conveyances of real property, releases of mortgages, liens and judgments, and all other instruments affecting real property, made by the corporation or required by law to be a matter of record, shall be executed by the chairman or vice-chairman and the secretary and attested to by the corporate seal.

Section 3. CORPORATE SEAL. The corporation shall have and use a corporate seal. Said seal shall have inscribed thereon "Board of Stewardship of The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Corporate Seal 1913, South Carolina." Changes must be by resolution of the Board of Stewardship and directed by the General Synod.

Section 4. ANNUAL REPORT. The board shall make an annual written report at the annual meeting of the General Synod.

ARTICLE VI
Amendments

Section 1. AMENDMENTS TO CHARTER. The Charter shall be amended in such manner as is provided by the laws of the State of South Carolina subject to the prior approval of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Section 2. AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS. These By-Laws may be amended by the board members at any regular or special meeting, provided a copy of such proposed amendment has been mailed to each member of the board at least ten days prior to the date of the meeting. A vote of at least eight members of the board shall be necessary for the adoption of any amendment of any such meeting. No amendment to these by-laws in conflict with any standing rule or action of the General Synod shall be adopted and all amendments must be reported to the General Synod for review.

APPENDIX

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March 26, 1982

To the General Synod of the
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

We have examined the statement of net assets available for plan benefits of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan as of December 31, 1981 and 1980 and the related statement of income and expenses and changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the years then ended. Except as stated in the following paragraph, our examinations were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information for the year ended December 31, 1981 certified by the Trust Company Bank, the trustee of the plan, except for comparing such information, which is summarized in Note 6, to the related information included in the financial statements and schedules. We have been informed by the plan administrator that the trustee holds the plan's investment assets and executes transactions therein. The plan administrator has obtained a certification from the trustee that the information provided to the plan administrator by the trustee is complete and accurate.

In our opinion, the financial statements examined by us present fairly the net assets available for plan benefits of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan at December 31, 1980 and the income and expenses and changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles consistently applied.

Because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, as discussed in the second paragraph, we are unable to, and do not, express an opinion on the net assets available for plan benefits of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan at December 31, 1981 and the income and expenses and changes in net assets available for plan benefits for the year then ended.

Our examinations were made primarily for the purpose of forming our opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The additional information included in Schedules I and II is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Price Waterhouse

APPENDIX

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN RETIREMENT PLAN

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

Assets	December 31, 1981	December 31, 1980
Investment in securities, at market value (Notes 1 and 5):		
Commercial paper	$ 209,000	$ 163,000
U. S. Government agencies	74,410	
Commingled funds	1,477,921	1,447,763
	1,761,331	1,610,763
Contribution receivable from Plan Treasurer	6,345	15,096
Accrued interest receivable	5,795	2,286
Cash held by trustee	211	262
	1,773,682	1,628,407
Liabilities		
Trustee fee payable	2,752	2,198
Actuarial fee payable		5,795
	2,752	7,993
Net assets available for plan benefits	$1,770,930	$1,620,414

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

	For the years ended December 31, 1981	For the years ended December 31, 1980
Income from investments: Dividend and interest income	$ 163,727	$ 114,631
Net realized gain from sales, maturities or redemptions of commingled funds:		
Proceeds	219,366	100,333
Cost	204,918	(69,923)
Net realized gain	14,448	30,410

Unrealized gain (loss) on commingled funds:		
Unrealized (loss) at beginning of year	86,732	(41,94
Unrealized gain (loss) at end of year	(36,419)	86,72
Unrealized gain (loss) during the year	(123,151)	128,65
Contributions:		
Churches	158,245	136,35
General Synod of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and Agencies	23,353	19,25
Income from Ola B. Hunter Trust	4,904	4,15
	186,502	159,75
	241,526	433,42
Benefits and expenses:-		
Benefits paid from trust	79,528	69,55
Plan expenses:		
Actuarial and accounting services	2,300	7,75
Trustee fees	9,002	7,11
Other	180	)
	90,010	84,51
Increase in net assets for the year	150,516	348,91
Net assets:		
At beginning of year	1,620,414	1,271,43
At end of year	$1,770,930	$1,620,44

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF PLAN AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:-

The Plan is a noncontributory defined benefit plan for the benefit of substantially all ministerial and lay employees of The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church (Sponsor). Plan assets are held in trust (the Trust) and managed by The Trust Company Bank. See Note 3 for a description of the Plan funding policy.

Benefits payable to a participant are based on a percentage of the participant's earnings, with a minimum annual benefit based on years of service. The Plan provides for 100% vesting after ten years of credited service.

Termination of the Plan would not reduce any vested interest of a participant nor result in any of the Plan's assets reverting

to the General Synod.

Basis of accounting:

The accounting records of the Plan are maintained on a cash basis; however, in accordance with the provisions of the Retirement Plan, the participants' interest in the Plan is based on market values, including accrued income. Accordingly, certain adjustments (principally accruing interest income, dividend income and sundry payables and reporting investment securities at their market value) have been made to present the net assets of the Plan at market value as of December 31, 1981 and 1980.

Plan expenses:

All administration expenses including trustee fees and normal brokerage charges are paid by the Plan.

Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits:

The significant actuarial assumptions used in the valuation as of January 1, 1980, the latest actuarial valuation date, were (a) life expectancy of participants using a 1949 Mortality Table, (b) retirement age of 65, (c) average rate of return on investments of 7%, and (d) zero administrative expenses associated with providing benefits. The foregoing actuarial assumptions are based on the presumption that the Plan will continue. Were the Plan to terminate, different actuarial assumptions and other factors might be applicable in determining the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits.

NOTE 2 - INCOME TAXES:

The General Synod has received from the Internal Revenue Service a determination that the Plan and Trust meet the requirements of Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and that the trust is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Under the present federal income tax laws, a participating employee will not be subject to federal income taxes on the contributions by the employer, or on the interest, dividends or profits on the sale of investments received by the trustee, until the participating employee's accounts are distributed or unqualifiedly made available to him.

NOTE 3 - CONTRIBUTIONS:

It is the Sponsor's policy to provide funding at a rate at least as great as that recommended by the consulting actuary. In the opinion of the fund administrator, the current rate of contribution (8% of participants' annual earnings) will be adequate to cover all costs and expenses of the Trust, including retirement benefits, and to fund the remaining unfunded prior service liability ($61,019 at January 1, 1980) over a period of not more than thirty years from January 1, 1978.

NOTE 4 - ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS:-

At January 1, 1980 the actuarially computed present value of accumulated plan benefits was:

Vested benefits:	
Participants currently receiving benefits	$ 501,237
Other participants	531,191
	1,032,428
Nonvested benefits	96,359
	$1,128,787

NOTE 5 - INVESTMENTS:-

Investments in securities at December 31, 1981 are summarized as follows:

Commercial paper	Yield(%)	Market value	Cost
Trusco Retirement Reserve Fund Units	13.2	$ 208,000	$ 208,000
J. P. Morgan Co. - demand note	12.7	1,000	1,000
		$ 209,000	$ 209,000

U. S. Government Agency	Interest Rate(%)	Market value	Cost
Federal Farm Credit Banks Bond, par value $25,000, due March 1986	13.95	$ 24,345	$ 24,438
Federal Farm Credit Banks Bond, par value $50,000, due September 1985	14.90	50,065	50,000
		$ 74,410	$ 74,438

Trust Company of Georgia Commingled Trust Funds	Units	Market value	Cost
Trusco Retirement Fixed Income Fund	2,606	$ 513,778	$ 711,795
Trusco Retirement Equity Fund	2,284	782,946	625,030
Trusco Retirement Equity Fund B	743	87,332	90,449
Trusco Retirement Sunbelt Equity Fund	777	93,865	87,038
		$1,477,921	$1,514,312

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NOTE 6 - INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE TRUSTEE:-

Following is a summary of Plan financial information certified by The Trust Company Bank, the Plan trustee:

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

CASH BASIS

DECEMBER 31, 1981

Investments	$1,761,331
Accrued interest receivable	5,795
Cash	211
Net assets available for plan benefits	$1,767,337

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES
IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS

CASH BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1981

Interest income	$ 34,161
Gain on sale of investments	20,790
Contributions	187,050
	242,001
Benefits	79,528
Plan expenses	8,448
	87,976
Increase in net assets for the year	154,025
Net assets:	
At beginning of year	1,613,312
At end of year	$1,767,337

SCHEDULE

COMBINING STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1981

	Combined	Trust	Plan Treasur
Income from investment:			
Dividend and interest income	$ 163,727	$ 163,654	$
Net realized gain from sales, maturities or redemptions of commingled funds:			
Proceeds	219,366	219,366	
Cost	204,918	204,918	
Net realized gain	14,448	14,448	
Unrealized gain on commingled funds:			
Unrealized gain at beginning of year	86,732	86,732	
Unrealized loss at end of year	(36,419)	(36,419)	
Unrealized loss for the year	(123,151)	(123,151)	
Contributions:			
Churches	158,245		158,2
General Synod of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and Agencies	23,353		23,3
Income from Ola B. Hunter Trust	4,904		4,9
	186,502		186,5
Transfers to Trustee		177,350	(177,3
	241,526	232,301	9,2
Benefits paid from Trust	79,528	79,528	
Plan expenses:			
Accounting services	2,300		2,3
Trustee fees	9,002	9,002	
Other	180		1
	90,010	88,350	2,4
Increase in net assets for the year	150,516	143,771	6,7
Net assets:			
At beginning of year	1,620,414	1,626,112	(5,6
At end of year	$1,770,930	$1,769,883	$ 1,0

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SCHEDULE II

COMBINED STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN BENEFITS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1980

	Combined	Trust	Plan Treasurer
ıcome from investments:			
Dividend and interest income	$ 114,631	$ 114,631	
ɜt realized gain from sales, naturities or redemptions ɔf commingled funds:			
Proceeds	100,333	100,333	
Cost	69,923	69,923	
Net realized gain	30,410	30,410	
ınrealized gain on commingled funds:			
Unrealized loss at beginning of year	(41,964)	(41,964)	
Unrealized gain at end of year	86,732	86,732	
Unrealized gain for the year	128,696	128,696	
ɔntributions:			
Churches	136,365		$136,365
General Synod of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and Agencies	19,255		19,255
Income from Ola B. Hunter Trust	4,125		4,125
	159,745		159,745
ansfers to Trustee		157,700	(157,700)
	433,482	431,437	2,045
ɜnefits paid from Trust	69,595	69,595	
lan expenses:			
Actuarial and accounting services	7,795		7,795
Trustee fees	7,111	7,111	
Other	10		10
	84,511	76,706	7,805
Increase (decrease) in net assets for the year	348,971	354,731	(5,760)
ɜt assets:			
At beginning of year	1,271,443	1,271,381	62
At end of year	$1,620,414	$1,626,112	($ 5,698)

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We have examined the balance sheet of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated as of September 30, 1981 and 1980, and the related statements of revenues and expenses, changes in fund balances and changes in financial position for the years then ended. Our examinations were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Assembly Grounds, Incorporated at September 30, 1981 and 1980, and the results of its operations and the changes in its financial position for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis.

Pannell Kerr Forster

November 13, 1981

	1981			1980		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
ASSETS						
Current Assets						
Cash	$ 38,882	$ -	$ 38,882	$ 55,655	$ -	$ 55,655
Certificates of deposit	43,000	-	43,000	40,300	-	40,300
Total	81,882	-	81,882	95,955	-	95,955
Less: Cash reserved for capital and unusual maintenance expenditures (Note 1(e))	16,641	-	16,641	-	-	-
Unreserved cash	65,241	-	65,241	95,955	-	95,955
Accounts receivable (Note 2)	8,929	-	8,929	18,661	-	18,661
Inventories (Note 1(d))	1,613	-	1,613	753	-	753
Prepaid expenses	6,020	-	6,020	4,214	-	4,214
Total Current Assets	81,803	-	81,803	119,583	-	119,583
Cash Reserved for Capital and Unusual Maintenance Expenditures (Note 1(e))	16,641	-	16,641	-	-	-
Cash Held for Safekeeping (Note 6)	-	-	-	3,913	-	3,913
Property, Plant and Equipment (Notes 1(b) and 3)						
Land	-	222,380	222,380	-	222,380	222,380
Lake	-	46,600	46,600	-	46,600	46,600
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	-	319,945	319,945	-	318,489	318,489
Buildings and improvements	-	1,318,161	1,318,161	-	1,277,747	1,277,747
Total	-	1,907,086	1,907,086	-	1,865,216	1,865,216
Less: Accumulated depreciation	-	736,496	736,496	-	645,775	645,775
Property, Plant and Equipment - Net	-	1,170,590	1,170,590	-	1,219,441	1,219,441
Total Assets	$ 98,444	$1,170,590	$1,269,034	$123,496	$1,219,441	$1,342,937
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Current Liabilities						
Accounts payable	$ 11,759	$ -	$ 11,759	$ 20,572	$ -	$ 20,572
Payroll taxes payable	2,313	-	2,313	2,004	-	2,004
Advance deposits	120	-	120	108	-	108
Sales tax payable	2,262	-	2,262	879	-	879
Accrued expenses	570	-	570	-	-	-
Total Current Liabilities	17,024	-	17,024	23,563	-	23,563
Cash Held for Safekeeping (Contra) (Note 6)	-	-	-	3,913	-	3,913
Fund Balances						
Designated by the board of trustees for capital and unusual maintenance expenditures (Note 1(e))	16,641	-	16,641	-	-	-
Undesignated	64,779	1,170,590	1,235,369	96,020	1,219,441	1,315,461
Total Fund Balances	81,420	1,170,590	1,252,010	96,020	1,219,441	1,315,461
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	$ 98,444	$1,170,590	$1,269,034	$123,496	$1,219,441	$1,342,937

See notes to financial statements

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1981 AND 1980

	OPERATING FUND		PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
	BOARD DESIGNATED	UNDESIGNATED		
Fund Balances - October 1, 1979	$ -	$ 88,275	$1,271,629	$1,359,904
Interfund Transfers				
Cost of land sold	-	12,249	(12,249)	-
Additions to property, plant and equipment (Note 1(b))	-	(51,339)	51,339	-
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses	-	46,835	(91,278)	(44,443)
Fund Balances - September 30, 1980	-	96,020	1,219,441	1,315,461
Interfund Transfer				
Additions to property, plant and equipment (Note 1(b))	-	(42,304)	42,304	-
Intrafund Transfer				
Board designation of fund balance for capital and unusual maintenance expenditures (Note 1(e))	16,641	(16,641)	-	-
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses	-	27,704	(91,155)	(63,451)
Fund Balances - September 30, 1981	$ 16,641	$ 64,779	$1,170,590	$1,252,010

STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1981 AND 1980

	1981			1980 (Note 1(f))		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
Operating Revenues						
Hotel	$ 8,112	$ -	$ 8,112	$	$	$
Memorial hall	28,647	-	28,647			
Motel	20,084	-	20,084			
Garrison hall	4,706	-	4,706			
Apartments	11,627	-	11,627			
Camp complex	4,669	-	4,669			
Campgrounds	1,023	-	1,023			
Dining room and convocation hall	87,665	-	87,665			
Nibble Nook - canteen	4,891	-	4,891			
Gift shop	11,341	-	11,341			
Other revenues	11,240	-	11,240			
Total Operating Revenues	194,005	-	194,005	191,897	-	191,897
Operating Expenses						
Departmental expenses						
Hotel	12,012	-	12,012			
Memorial hall	13,294	-	13,294			
Motel	8,379	-	8,379			
Garrison hall	3,022	-	3,022			
Apartments	3,816	-	3,816			
Camp complex	1,684	-	1,684			
Campgrounds	557	-	557			
Dining room and convocation hall	63,542	-	63,542			
Nibble Nook - canteen	7,337	-	7,337			
Gift shop	7,628	-	7,628			
Allocated expenses						
Administrative and general	65,596	-	65,596			
Promotion	1,578	-	1,578			
Property insurnace	5,757	-	5,757			
Property operation, maintenance and energy costs	56,954	-	56,954			
Depreciation (Notes 1(b) and 3)	-	91,155	91,155			
Total Operating Expenses	251,156	91,155	342,311	235,740	91,278	327,018
(Deficiency) of Operating Revenues Over Operating Expenses	(57,151)	(91,155)	(148,306)	(43,843)	(91,278)	(135,121)
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses)						
Management Advisory Services (Note 5)	(49,549)	-	(49,549)	(25,772)	-	(25,772)
Contributions (Note 5)	134,404	-	134,404	103,858	-	103,858
Gain on sale of land (Note 1(a))	-	-	-	12,592	-	12,592
Excess of Non-Operating Revenues Over Non-Operating Expenses	84,855	-	84,855	90,678	-	90,678
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses	$ 27,704	$(91,155)	$(63,451)	$ 46,835	$(91,278)	$(44,443)

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1981 AND 1980

	1981			1980		
	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS	OPERATING FUND	PLANT FUND	TOTAL FUNDS
Funds Were Provided By						
Operations						
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	$ 27,704	$(91,155)	$(63,451)	$ 46,835	$(91,278)	$(44,443)
Add (deduct): Items not affecting funds						
Depreciation - (Notes 1 (b) and 3)	-	91,155	91,155	-	91,278	91,278
Gain on sale of land (Note 1(a))	-	-	-	(12,592)	-	(12,592)
Funds provided from operations	27,704	-	27,704	34,243	-	34,243
Proceeds from sale of land (Note 1(a))	-	-	-	40,579	-	40,579
Transfer from plant fund	-	-	-	12,249	-	12,249
Transfer from operating fund	-	42,304	42,304	-	51,339	51,339
Land cost transferred to operating fund	-	-	-	-	12,249	12,249
Total Funds Provided	27,704	42,304	70,008	87,071	63,588	150,659
Funds Were Used For						
Reservation of cash for capital and unusual maintenance expenditures (Note 1(e))	16,641	-	16,641	-	-	-
Additions to property, plant and equipment	-	42,304	42,304	-	51,339	51,339
Additions to land development costs	-	-	-	1,569	-	1,569
Land cost transferred from plant fund	-	-	-	12,249	-	12,249
Transfer to plant fund	42,304	-	42,304	51,339	-	51,339
Transfer to operating fund	-	-	-	-	12,249	12,249
Total Funds Used	58,945	42,304	101,249	65,157	63,588	128,745
Net Increase (Decrease) in Working Capital	$(31,241)	$ -	$(31,241)	$ 21,914	$ -	$ 21,914
Analysis of Changes in Working Capital Components						
Increase (decrease) in current assets						
Unreserved cash	$(30,714)	$ -	$(30,714)	$ 26,966	$ -	$ 26,966
Accounts receivable	(9,732)	-	(9,732)	14,634	-	14,634
Inventories	860	-	860	(93)	-	(93)
Prepaid expenses	1,806	-	1,806	(1,868)	-	(1,868)
	(37,780)	-	(37,780)	39,639	-	39,639
Decrease (increase) in current liabilities						
Accounts payable	8,813	-	8,813	(17,855)	-	(17,855)
Payroll taxes payable	(309)	-	(309)	(248)	-	(248)
Advance deposits	(12)	-	(12)	(58)	-	(58)
Sales tax payable	(1,383)	-	(1,383)	(64)	-	(64)
Accrued expenses	(570)	-	(570)	-	-	-
Other current liabilities	-	-	-	500	-	500
	6,539	-	6,539	17,725)	-	(17,725)

APPENDIX

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN
ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, INCORPORATED
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the company have been prepared on the accrual basis. The significant accounting policies followed are described below to enhance the usefulness of the financial statements to the reader.

a) Ownership and Operations

The company, a wholly-owned subsidiary and agency of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, provides meeting and lodging facilities to denominational organizations for worship, educational and other activities which are within the framework of the standards of the Synod. Facilities, when available, are also provided to nondenominational groups for like use.

The company, for fund raising purposes, has, on occasion, engaged in the development and sale of residential building lots.

b) Fund Accounting

The assets, liabilities and fund balances of the company are reported in two self-balancing funds as follows:

1) Operating Fund, which includes all resources other than property, plant and equipment, reports revenues and expenses of the company in the conduct of its operations.

2) Plant Fund includes all property, plant and equipment. Operating funds used for property, plant and equipment acquisitions are accounted for as transfers to plant funds. Proceeds from the sale of plant fund assets, if unrestricted, are transferred to operating fund balances or, if restricted, to deferred amounts to be used solely for plant acquisitions. Property, plant and equipment acquired prior to 1970, principally by contribution, are carried at values determined by appraisals made in 1970 less accumulated depreciation from that time. Assets subsequently acquired are carried at cost (which is based on the purchase price or fair value at date of donation), less accumulated depreciation from date of acquisition.

Depreciation is recognized as an expense of the plant fund and is provided on a straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives of the various classes of the assets:

Buildings and improvements	5 - 40 years
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	2 - 20 years

c) Income Taxes

No provision for income taxes is reflected in the statement of revenues and expenses inasmuch as the company, as a subsidiary and agency of the

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, a religious organization, is exempted from Federal income taxes under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. A determination of exemption letter, dated March 7, 1967, was received by the Synod from the Internal Revenu Service.

d) Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost and are determined on a first-in, first-out basis.

e) Reserved Cash

During 1981, the company adopted a policy of setting aside certain funds, as they are determined from time to time by the Board of Trustees, to be available to provide for future capital and unusual maintenance expenditures. The fund is intended to be maintained at a balance of $50,000. Disbursement of funds so designated is subject to approval by the Board of Trustees.

f) Classification of Accounts

In 1981, the company adopted a new chart of accounts which provides detailed, departmentalized revenue and expense information. The prior year's accounting records do not provide sufficient detail to restate 1980 operating results in the current year's financial statement format

2. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable at September 30, 1981 and 1980 consist of the following:

	1981	1980
Amounts due from guests	$ 567	$ -
Contribution from Member (See Note 5)	5,431	17,780
Other	2,931	881
	$ 8,929	$ 18,661

3. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment at September 30, 1981 and 1980 is comprised a follows:

	1981			1980		
	ASSETS CARRIED AT APPRAISED VALUES	ASSETS CARRIED AT COST	TOTAL	ASSETS CARRIED AT APPRAISED VALUES	ASSETS CARRIED AT COST	TOTAL
Land	$ 206,650	$ 15,730	$ 222,380	$ 206,650	$ 15,730	$ 222,0

e	46,600	-	46,600	46,600	-	46,600
niture, ixtures and quipment	46,650	273,295	319,945	46,650	271,839	318,489
ldings and nprovements	702,096	616,065	1,318,161	702,096	575,651	1,277,747
	1,001,996	905,090	1,907,086	1,001,996	863,220	1,865,216
s: Accumu-ated Depre-iation	421,216	315,280	736,496	388,077	257,698	645,775
	$ 580,780	$589,810	$1,170,590	$ 613,919	$605,522	$1,219,441

ation and depreciation policies are set forth in Note 1(b). Depreciation expense ated to assets carried at appraised values amounted to $33,139 and $35,877 in 1981 1980, respectively. Depreciation expense related to assets carried at cost nted to $58,016 and $55,401 in 1981 and 1980, respectively.

Retirement Plan

The company participates in a noncontributory pension plan of the Synod. Ordained ministers and other professional employees of the denomination qualify for inclusion in the plan. Retirement costs charged to operations in 1981 and 1980 were $820 and $1,456, respectively.

Related Party Transactions

The company, as a subsidiary and agency of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, is provided support from the Synod's annual operating budget. The company received contributions from the Synod in 1981 and 1980 amounting to $53,814 and $59,455, respectively.

The company also received contributions in 1981 and 1980 of $49,549 and $25,772, respectively, from a member of the Board of Trustees. These contributions were restricted for use in payment for management advisory services.

Cash Held for Safekeeping

Certain funds were being held by the company as a courtesy for the Bonclarken Homeowners' Association. The funds were carried in a bank account in the company's name. In 1981, these funds were donated to the company.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Trustees
Erskine College and Theological Seminary
Due West, South Carolina

We have examined the balance sheet of Erskine College and Theological Seminary as of June 30, 1981 and the related statements of changes in fund balances and current fund revenues, expenditures and other changes for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the above-mentioned financial statements present fairly the financial position of the College and Seminary as of June 30, 1981 and the changes in fund balances and current fund revenues, expenditures, and other changes for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Deloitte Haskins & Sells

August 27, 1981

ERSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

BALANCE SHEETS
JUNE 30, 1981 AND COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS FOR 1980

ASSETS	NOTES	1981	1980
CURRENT FUNDS:			
Unrestricted:			
Cash		$ 117,637	$ 69,987
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1981 - $6,292; 1980 - $6,009)		130,019	84,110
Due from other funds		4,804	10,630
Inventories	1	91,612	77,417
Prepaid expenses		15,879	6,726
Other assets		4,500	9,464
Total unrestricted		364,451	258,334
Restricted:			
Cash		153,432	108,132
Short-term investments		30,000	30,000
Total restricted		183,432	138,132
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS		$ 547,883	$ 396,466
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:			
Cash		$ 83,519	$ 99,739
Accrued interest and accounts receivable		11,313	17,529
Student loan notes receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts (1981 - $109,376; 1980 - $95,376)		792,127	773,820
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS		$ 886,959	$ 891,088
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:			
Cash		$ 37,783	$ 223
Accrued interest purchased			233
Investments	1,3,9,10	4,488,403	4,337,457
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS		$4,526,186	$4,337,913

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	NOTES	1981	1980
CURRENT FUNDS:			
Unrestricted:			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		$ 151,929	$ 152,350
Notes payable to bank, short-term	4	150,000	200,080
Deposits and prepayments		60,668	70,745
Due to other funds		500	52,781
Deferred income	6	80,162	42,421
Fund balances (deficit)		(78,808)	(260,043)
Total unrestricted		364,451	258,334
Restricted:			
Fund balances		183,432	138,132
Total restricted		183,432	138,132
TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS		$ 547,883	$ 396,466
STUDENT LOAN FUNDS:			
Accounts payable		$ 16	$ 297
Due to other funds			3,628
Fund balances	7	886,943	887,163
TOTAL STUDENT LOAN FUNDS		$ 886,959	$ 891,088
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:			
Overdraft in fiscal agent cash			$ 5,805
Due to other funds			6,864
Fund balances		$4,526,186	4,325,244
TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS		$4,526,186	$4,337,913

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BALANCE SHEETS
JUNE 30, 1981 AND COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS FOR 1980

ASSETS	NOTES	1981	1980
ANNUITY AND POOLED LIFE INCOME FUNDS:			
Annuity funds:			
Cash		$ 1,063	$ 1,685
Investments		39,852	42,750
Due from Campaign Fund		10,580	
Total annuity funds		51,495	44,435
Pooled life income funds:			
Cash		246	
Investments		29,660	
Total pooled life income funds		29,906	
TOTAL ANNUITY AND POOLED LIFE INCOME FUNDS		$ 81,401	$ 44,435
PLANT FUNDS:			
Unexpended:			
Cash and short-term investments		$ 124,228	$ 780,795
Accrued interest receivable			22,311
Accounts receivable			11,400
Due from other funds			52,781
Real estate not used for plant purposes		62,046	62,046
Projects in progress		2,448,858	92,725
Total unexpended		2,635,132	1,022,058
Renewals and replacements:			
Cash		14,203	570
Investments		65,364	70,162
Total renewals and replacements		79,567	70,732
Invested in plant:	1		
Grounds		375,132	378,733
Buildings		5,429,385	5,341,433
Equipment		2,418,946	2,219,994
Total invested in plant		8,223,463	7,940,160
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS		$10,938,162	$9,032,950

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	NOTES	1981	1980
ANNUITY AND POOLED LIFE INCOME FUNDS:			
Annuity funds:			
Annuities payable		$ 31,650	$ 27,892
Fund balances		19,845	16,543
Total annuity funds		51,495	44,435
Pooled life income funds:			
Fund balance		29,906	
Total pooled life income funds		29,906	
TOTAL ANNUITY AND POOLED LIFE INCOME FUNDS		$ 81,401	$ 44,435
PLANT FUNDS:			
Unexpended:	8		
Notes payable	4	$ 505,066	$ 37,007
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		208,669	56
Due to other funds		20,222	139
Fund balance - restricted		1,826,126	363,304
Fund balance - unrestricted		75,049	621,552
Total fund balances	2	1,901,175	984,856
Total unexpended		2,635,132	1,022,058
Renewals and replacement - Fund balance		79,567	70,732
Total renewals and replacements		79,567	70,732
Invested in plant:			
Notes payable	4	57,885	34,583
Bonds payable	5	1,177,000	1,212,000
Fund balance		6,988,578	6,693,577
Total invested in plant		8,223,463	7,940,160
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS		$10,938,162	$9,032,950

See notes to financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHANGES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1981

	1981			1980
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	TOTAL	TOTAL
REVENUES:				
Educational and general:				
Tuition and fees	$2,239,642		$2,239,642	$1,855,597
Government grants		$ 60,480	60,480	44,201
Gifts and private grants	390,422	151,623	542,045	537,190
Endowment income	201,889	253,373	455,262	362,222
Sales and services	23,414		23,414	11,818
Interest on temporary investments	14,706		14,706	3,217
Other sources	8,846		8,846	5,505
Total educational and general	2,878,919	465,476	3,344,395	2,819,750
Auxiliary enterprises	1,295,763		1,295,763	1,069,996
Total revenues	4,174,682	465,476	4,640,158	3,889,746
EXPENDITURES AND MANDATORY TRANSFERS:				
Educational and general:				
Instruction	1,231,491	108,286	1,339,777	1,161,575
Libraries	142,800	10,538	153,338	124,625
Operations and maintenance	343,546	3,455	347,001	340,385
General administrative	812,920	44,182	857,102	812,629
Student aid	90,979	253,373	344,352	242,128
Educational and general expenditures	2,621,736	419,834	3,041,570	2,681,342
Mandatory transfers for:				
Principal and interest	35,572		35,572	11,753
Renewals and replacements	8,000		8,000	8,000
Loan fund matching grant	1,667		1,667	556
Total educational and general	2,666,975	419,834	3,086,809	2,701,651
Auxiliary enterprises:				
Expenditures	1,255,998	45,642	1,301,640	1,174,406
Mandatory transfers for principal and interest	70,474		70,474	74,828
Total auxiliary enterprises	1,326,472	45,642	1,372,114	1,249,234
Total expenditures and mandatory transfers	3,993,447	465,476	4,458,923	3,950,885
OTHER:				
Reclassification of Sardis Fund income		6,827	6,827	
Excess of restricted receipts over transfers to revenue		38,473	38,473	35,036
Total other		45,300	45,300	35,036
NET INCREASES (DECREASES) IN FUND BALANCES	$ 181,235	$ 45,300	$ 226,535	$ (26,103)

See notes to financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1981

	.....CURRENT FUNDS.....				ANNUITY AND POOLED LIFE INCOME FUNDS	.....PLANT FUNDS.....		
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	LOAN FUNDS	ENDOWMENT FUNDS		UNEXPENDED	RENEWALS AND REPLACEMENT	INVESTED IN PLANT
REVENUES AND ADDITIONS:								
Education and general	$2,878,919							
Auxiliary enterprises	1,295,763							
Private gifts and grants		$225,625	$ 1,000	$ 183,831	$40,486	$1,056,329		$ 19,579
Investment income		217,844	16,757	11,756		40,537	$ 8,921	
Interest on loans receivable			11,211					
Expended for plant facilities (charged to current funds expenditures)								145,169
U. S. Government grant		60,480	15,000					
Proceeds on sale of property						5,500		
Rental income						2,500		
Realized gains on investments				12,182				
Total revenues and additions	4,174,682	503,949	43,968	207,769	40,486	1,104,866	8,921	164,748
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DEDUCTIONS:								
Educational and general expenditures	2,621,736	419,834						
Auxiliary enterprises expenditures	1,255,998	45,642						
Loan cancellations and write-offs			20,843					
Administrative and collection costs			25,012					
Retirement of assets								22,280
Interest on indebtedness						3,624		39,249
Adjustment of actuarial liability for annuities payable					4,591			
Campaign expenditures						101,235		
Other					2,687	6,038		
Total expenditures and other deductions	3,877,734	465,476	45,855		7,278	110,897		61,529
TRANSFERS AMONG FUNDS - Additions (deductions):								
Principal and interest for plant facilities debt	(106,046)					1,300		104,746
Renewal and replacement	(8,000)						8,000	
Loan fund matching grant	(1,667)		1,667					
Completed projects						(78,950)	(8,086)	87,036
Reclassification of Sardis Fund income		6,827		(6,827)				
Total transfers	(115,713)	6,827	1,667	(6,827)		(77,650)	(86)	191,782
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) FOR THE YEAR	181,235	45,300	(220)	200,942	33,208	916,319	8,835	295,001
FUND BALANCES AT BEGINNING OF YEAR:								
As previously reported	(260,043)	138,132	887,163	4,325,244	16,543	921,174	70,732	6,693,577
Adjustment (Note 2)						63,682		
As adjusted	(260,043)	138,132	887,163	4,325,244	16,543	984,856	70,732	6,693,577
FUND BALANCES AT END OF YEAR	$ (78,808)	$183,432	$886,943	$4,526,186	$49,751	$1,901,175	$79,567	$6,988,578

See notes to financial statements.

APPENDIX

RSKINE COLLEGE AND THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

OTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
OR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1981

. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting - The financial statements of Erskine College and Theological Seminary have been prepared on the accrual basis except that no depreciation is recorded on the physical plant and equipment. The statement of current funds revenues, expenditures, and other changes is a statement of financial activities of current funds related to the current reporting period. It does not purport to present the results of operations or the net income or loss for the period as would a statement of income or a statement of revenues and expenses.

To the extent that current funds are used to finance plant assets, the amounts so provided are accounted for as (1) expenditures, in the case of normal replacement of movable equipment and library books; (2) mandatory transfers, in the case of required provisions for debt service and equipment renewal and replacement; and, (3) as transfers of a nonmandatory nature for all other cases.

Fund Accounting - In order to ensure observance of limitations and restrictions placed on the use of the resources available to the Institution, the accounts of the Institution are maintained in accordance with the principles of "fund accounting". Accordingly, resources for various purposes are classified for accounting and reporting purposes into funds that are in accordance with activities or objectives specified. Although accounts are maintained for each fund, in the accompanying financial statements, funds with similar characteristics have been combined into fund groups.

Fund balances restricted by outside sources, for utilization only in accordance with the purposes established by the source of such funds, are so indicated and are distinguished from unrestricted funds designated for specific purposes by action of the governing board and over which the governing board retains full control to use in achieving any of its institutional purposes.

Endowment funds contain both funds restricted by the donors so that the principal is invested in perpetuity and only income can be utilized and funds which have been designated as endowment by action of the Board of Trustees (quasi-endowment). The quasi-endowment funds may be expended by approval of the Board of Trustees. These two types of endowment funds are not separately disclosed in the financial statements because records are not available for a substantial number of older funds to indicate the source of their restrictions.

Investments - The investments consist solely of real estate, certificates of deposit, common stocks, and bonds which are stated at cost or, in the case of gifts, at fair market value at date of donation.

Inventories - Inventories are stated at cost, on a first-in first-out basis, which is not less than market.

Invested in Plant - The grounds, buildings and equipment are carried on the basis of appraisals of plant fund assets as of June 30, 1956 with additions since that date at actual cost, less removals at cost or appraised value. Depreciation on physical plant and equipment is not recorded.

Retirement Plans - The Institution has a defined contribution retirement plan available to essentially all employees after one year of employment. The Institution's contribution is based on a percentage of the employee's annual salary ranging from 5% to 7 1/2% with the employee contributing an additional 5%. The Plan is administered by insurance companies and the contributions are charged to expense annually as the related annuities are purchased. The retirement plan expense for the current year was approximately $84,000.

Auxiliary Enterprises - Revenues and expense from auxiliary enterprises relate to the operations of dormitories, dining hall athletics, and other student related functions.

2. ADJUSTMENT OF PLANT FUND BALANCE

In fiscal 1980, certain capital expenditures totaling $63,682 were deducted from the unexpended Plant Fund's fund balance rather than being recorded as construction in progress. Accordingly, an adjustment was made in 1981 to restore the construction in progress payments to that fund balance.

3. ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Assets of certain endowment funds are pooled on a market value basis. The participating funds subscribe to, or dispose of, units at the beginning unit market value of the calendar quarter within which the transaction takes place. At June 30, 1981, investments of endowment funds were composed of the following:

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	Notes	Carrying Value	Market Value
Pooled assets:			
Common stocks		$1,404,835	$1,616,089
Preferred stocks		10,000	10,000
Bonds and cash equivalents:			
Unencumbered		1,341,321	1,187,929
Pledged to debt service fund	5	98,923	83,249
Real estate		51,424	51,424
Savings and loan certificates purchased to support faculty housing funds	9	255,000	255,000
Bank certificate of deposit		8,000	8,000
Note receivable - Plant fund		485,000	485,000
Total pooled		3,654,503	3,696,691
Assets of separately invested funds:			
Savings account		80	80
Marketable stocks and bonds		618,869	642,564
Mortgage notes		126,993	126,993
Real estate - 1/2 interest in farm land		45,209	45,209
Bank certificate of deposit		42,749	42,749
TOTAL		$4,488,403	$4,554,286

Changes in the relationships between cost and market values of endowment investments are summarized below:

	Market	Cost	Net Gains (Losses)
End of year	$4,554,286	$4,488,403	$ 65,883
Beginning of year	4,516,741	4,337,457	179,284
Unrealized net losses for the year			(113,401)
Realized net gains for year			12,182
Total net losses for year			$(101,219)

Earnings on investments amounted to $448,678 for fiscal 1981, or an annual rate of return of approximately 10.17% based on the average cost of assets invested or 9.89% based on their average market value.

4. NOTES PAYABLE

Notes payable at June 30, 1981 in the funds indicated consisted of the following:

	Balance
Current Unrestricted Funds:	
Note payable to bank, due September 24, 1981 interest at 17.75%, unsecured	$150,000
Plant Funds (Erskine College Development Company, Inc.):	
Notes payable to bank, due in monthly installments of $285 through January 17, 1989, interest at 7%, collateralized by real estate costing approximately $39,900 (current portion $2,081)	$ 20,066
Plant Funds (Unexpended Plant Fund):	
Note payable to Endowment Fund, due on demand, interest at bank prime rate, adjusted quarterly, unsecured	485,000
Total	$505,066
Plant Funds (Invested in Plant):	
Notes payable to bank, due in monthly installments totaling $2,327 maturing at various dates through May 1984, interest at 9.74% to 15.75%, collateralized by vehicles costing approximately $70,000 (current portion $19,856)	$ 41,803
Note payable to Burroughs Corporation, due in monthly installments of $654.68 through September 1983, interest at 8.3%, secured by office equipment costing approximately $23,000 (current portion $6,781)	16,082
Total	$ 57,885

5. BONDS PAYABLE - Plant Funds

At June 30, 1981 bonds payable were $1,177,000 with the principa balance payable in annual installments ranging from $35,000 to $55,000 through 2008 and interest rates of 2 7/8% and 3%. The bonds arose from the financing of the construction of dormitory and dining hall facilities with an original cost of approximatel $1,807,000 and are collateralized by a first mortgage on these facilities and pledged gross revenues to be derived from the facilities, approximately $335,000 in 1981. In addition, the te

of the trust indenture require: (1) cash and certain securities of the Endowment Fund, (market value of approximately $83,249 at June 30, 1981) to be held by the trustees in separate escrow funds or accounts as collateral for the bonds; and, (2) payments of $8,000 per year to be made to trustees for a renewals and replacements fund until such funds aggregate $80,000 (balance at June 30, 1981 was $79,567). The renewal and replacements assets and related fund balance are reported as a separate fund within the plant fund group.

DEFERRED INCOME

In accordance with established practice, the operations of the Summer School Session are included in income and expenditures of the current fund during the year when the summer term is completed. Consequently, the following items of income and expenditures relating to the 1981 Summer School Session are deferred at June 30, 1981.

Income:		
Tuition and fees	$85,774	
Room and board charges	15,435	$101,209
Expense		21,047
Deferred income		$ 80,162

STUDENT LOAN FUNDS

The student loan funds group is made up of the Erskine College Student Loan Funds and the National Direct Student Loan Fund. The Erskine College Student Loan Fund is funded by private individuals and restricted endowment income. The National Direct Student Loan Fund is funded by the federal government (90%) and transfers from current funds (10%).

At June 30, 1981 the student loan funds balance consisted of:

Erskine College Student Loan Fund	$120,412
National Direct Student Loan Fund	766,531
Total	$886,943

PLANT FUNDS - Unexpended

The unexpended plant fund group is made up of three separate funds: the Campaign Fund, the Plant Fund, and the Erskine College Development Company, Inc.

The Campaign Fund is utilized to account for all Greater Distinction for Erskine Campaign Funds and their expenditure, and the Plant Fund is used to record all other amounts collected for capital purposes, their expenditure and projects under construction. Upon completion of a construction project, its cost is transferred to the "Invested in Plant" section of the Plant Fund. At June 30, 1981 the total costs of projects under construction was $2,448,858.

The Erskine College Development Company, Inc. is a separate non-profit corporation organized in 1958 under the control of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College. The corporation was organ ized for the function of acquiring real estate for the college i accordance with a long-term plan for development of the campus.

9. FACULTY HOUSING LOANS FROM SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

The Institution has an agreement with a local savings and loan association to enable members of the faculty to obtain loans for home construction. Under this agreement the Institution keeps endowment funds on deposit which equal the total balance of the outstanding loans made to faculty members under the program. Th Institution receives 6% return on its endowment funds and the faculty members are charged 7 1/2% interest on their loans. The Institution is not a guarantor of the loans made through this program and is free to withdraw the funds from the savings and loan at any time; however, the rate of interest on the faculty loans will be increased should the funds be withdrawn. The tota balance of the funds on deposit with the savings and loan associ ation under this program at June 30, 1981 was $255,000.

10. SARDIS A.R.P. CHURCH MEMORIAL FUND

The Sardis A.R.P. Church Memorial Fund's assets, which are accou for in the College's Endowment Fund, are held by a fiscal agent. In accordance with the terms of the trust agreement summarized fi cial information of the Memorial Fund at June 30, 1981 is presen below:

Assets and fund balance:	
Cash	$(5,282)
Investments at cost (market value $100,982)	95,570
Total assets and fund balance	$90,288
Cash receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1981:	
Cash receipts:	
Investment income	$ 8,553
Sale of investments	17,391
Total cash receipts	25,944
Cash disbursements:	
Transfer of accumulated income to scholarship fund	9,084
Purchase of investments	16,473
Payment of fiscal agent's fee	396
Payment of scholarships	5,900

Total cash disbursements	31,853
Excess (deficiency of cash receipts over disbursements	(5,909)
Cash balance, July 1, 1980	627
Cash balance, June 30, 1981	$(5,282)

1. COMMITMENTS

Capital commitments for a new physical education facility to be completed in September 1981 total approximately $653,000. The College intends to fund the cost of the facility through donations and, to the extent necessary, long-term financing.

2. RECLASSIFICATION

Certain amounts in the June 30, 1980 financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Stewardship
General Synod of the Associate Reformed
Presbyterian Church:

We have examined the balance sheets of the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church as of December 31, 1981 and the related statements of support, revenue, expenses and changes in fund balances and of changes in financial position for the year then ended. Except as stated in the following paragraph, our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

A significant portion of the Synod's revenues are derived from contributions that, by their nature, are not susceptible to accounting control prior to collection and initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, it was impracticable to extend our examination beyond the receipts recorded.

In our opinion, except for the effects of any adjustments that might have resulted had the revenues referred to above been susceptible to satisfactory audit tests, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the expendable and nonexpendable funds of the General Synod at December 31, 1981 and the results of their operations and changes in their financial position for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted account ing principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination was made for the purpose of forming an opinic on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supp mental schedules listed in the accompanying table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such supp mental schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedur applied in the examination of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respec when considered in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Deloitte Haskins & Sells

March 26, 198

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
BALANCE SHEETS, DECEMBER 31, 1981

	EXPENDABLE		NONEXPENDABLE			TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY) .....DECEMBER 31.....	
	OPERATING FUND	A.R.P. CENTER FACILITY	PERMANENT FUND	DUNLAP ORPHANAGE INVESTMENT FUND	TOTAL	1981	1980
ASSETS							
CASH AND CASH ITEMS	$109,326	$16,013	$ 2,858		$ 2,858	$ 128,197	$ 172,577
ACCOUNT RECEIVABLE	788					788	4,833
FUNDS ADVANCED TO PAKISTAN	7,035					7,035	34,034
INVESTMENTS - AT COST WHICH APPROXIMATES MARKET	587,201	20,000	162,868	$289,846	452,714	1,059,915	821,406
LAND	35,000					35,000	35,000
TOTAL ASSETS	$739,350	$36,013	$165,726	$289,846	$455,572	$1,230,935	$1,067,850
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
LIABILITIES:							
Accounts payable	$ 1,702	$ 597				$ 2,299	$ 7,899
Deferred subscription income (Note 1)	34,357					34,357	30,675
Total liabilities	36,059	597				36,656	38,574
FUND BALANCES							
Restricted:							
World Witness	205,433		$ 95,322		$ 95,322	300,755	$ 242,495
Church Extension	120,614		51,465		51,465	172,079	153,661
Dunlap Orphanage			18,939	$289,846	308,785	308,785	280,538
Miscellaneous	171,487	174				171,661	138,882
Unrestricted	205,757	35,242				240,999	213,700
Total fund balances	703,291	35,416	165,726	289,846	455,572	1,194,279	1,029,276
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	$739,350	$36,013	$165,726	$289,846	$455,572	$1,230,935	$1,067,850

See notes to financial statements.

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENTS OF SUPPORT, REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1981

	EXPENDABLE							TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	RESTRICTED			UNRESTRICTED		NONEXPENDABLE		.....DECEMBER 31.....	
	WORLD WITNESS	CHURCH EXTENSION	MISCELLANEOUS	OPERATING	A.R.P. CENTER FACILITY	PERMANENT AND DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	ELIMINATIONS	1981	1980
SUPPORT AND REVENUE:									
Voluntary commitments				$701,471				$ 701,471	$ 635,992
Interest income and dividends				28,642		$ 44,883	$(16,636)	56,889	54,866
Other undesignated				30,776				30,776	13,083
Designated contributions:									
A.R.P. Center			$ 4,503					4,503	430
A.R.P. Center Facility					$44,649		(11,178)	33,471	31,049
Christian education			37,060					37,060	29,274
Church extension		$105,442						105,442	79,287
Photo-typesetting project			18,136					18,136	
Publications			39,612					39,612	33,555
World Witness	$685,150							685,150	513,202
Miscellaneous:									
Group insurance premiums			131,236					131,236	110,183
Other			229,226					229,226	225,066
Transfer to fund balance	(59,153)	(37,694)	(47,694)					(144,541)	(39,950)
Transfer from fund balance	893	19,276	14,915					35,084	27,505
Total support and revenue	626,890	87,024	426,994	760,889	44,649	44,883	(27,814)	1,963,515	1,713,542
EXPENSES:									
A.R.P. Center			6,406	77,983			(6,714)	77,675	60,536
A.R.P. Center Facility					27,419			27,419	25,851
Bonclarken				49,947				49,947	48,045
Christian education			33,385	49,158			(1,644)	80,899	62,330
Church extension		87,024		145,602		4,440	(5,112)	231,954	170,728
Dunlap Orphanage						1,479	(1,479)		
Erskine College				138,878				138,878	132,035
Photo-typesetting project			12,108					12,108	18,616
Publications			39,612	21,859			(1,020)	60,451	59,680
Standing committees			9,810	19,181				28,991	23,526
World Witness	626,890			185,795		10,717	(11,845)	811,557	704,949
Miscellaneous:									
Group insurance premiums			131,236					131,236	110,183
Other			194,437	42,417				236,854	248,330
Total expenses	626,890	87,024	426,994	730,820	27,419	16,636	(27,814)	1,887,969	1,664,809
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF SUPPORT AND REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	-0-	-0-	-0-	30,069	17,230	28,247		75,546	48,733
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	147,173	102,196	138,708	195,688	18,186	427,325		1,029,276	892,073
TRANSFERS FROM CURRENT RECEIPTS	59,153	37,694	47,694					144,541	39,950
TRANSFER TO CURRENT RECEIPTS	(893)	(19,276)	(14,915)					(35,084)	(27,505)
TRANSFER TO RESTRICTED FUND				(20,000)				(20,000)	
BEQUEST									76,000
OTHER TRANSFERS									25
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	$205,433	$120,614	$171,487	$205,757	$35,416	$455,572	$ -0-	$1,194,279	$1,029,276

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1981

	EXPENDABLE		NONEXPENDABLE	TOTAL ALL FUNDS (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	OPERATING FUND	A.R.P. CENTER FACILITY	PERMANENT AND DUNLAP ORPHANAGE	.....DECEMBER 31,.... 1981	1980
RESOURCES PROVIDED:					
Excess of support and revenue over expenses.....	$ 30,069	$17,230	$28,247	$ 75,546	$ 50,710
Increase in accounts payable.....		591		591	
Increase in deferred income.....	3,682			3,682	3,660
Repayment of advanced funds.....	26,999			26,999	
Decrease in accounts receivable and advances.....	1,266	2,779		4,045	1,324
Bequest.....					76,000
Net transfers from fund balance.....	89,457			89,457	12,470
Total resources provided.....	151,473	20,600	28,247	200,320	144,164
RESOURCES USED:					
Increase in investments.....	200,289	10,000	28,220	238,509	81,207
Increase in accounts receivable and advances.....					2,779
Decrease in accounts payable.....	6,191			6,191	16,756
Decrease in notes payable.....					33,647
Total resources used.....	206,480	10,000	28,220	244,700	134,389
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH.....	$(55,007)	$10,600	$ 27	$(44,380)	$ 9,775

See notes to financial statements.

APPENDIX

GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EXPENDABLE AND NONEXPENDABLE FUNDS
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1981

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Operations - The Synod is the governing body for the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. The accompanying financial statements include the assets, liabilities, fund balances and financial activity of the Synod's expendable and nonexpendable funds. Trans actions and balances of other funds and related institutions, such as the fixed asset fund, Erskine College, Bonclarken, and Dunlap Orphanage, are not included in these financial statements.

The A.R.P. Center Facility is operated by the General Synod. Oper ations consist of owning and operating an office building for leas to agencies of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and to others.

Certain trust and agency funds are not included in the records of the General Synod and have not been included in the accompanying financial statements. Selected unaudited information excerpted from the trustee's reports as of December 31, 1981 is summarized below:

	.....Unaudited.....	
	Book Value	Market Val
Trust Company of Georgia, Trustee		
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Fund.....	$1,797,961	$1,761,54
North Carolina National Bank, Agent		
Church Extension Revolving Loan Fund.....	858,252	858,25
North Carolina National Bank, Trustee		
A.R.P. Widows Benefit Fund.....	189,177	148,36
A.R.P. Foundation, Inc.....	188,633	174,43

APPENDIX

Fund Accounting - To recognize limitations and restrictions placed on the use of resources available to the Synod, the accounts of the Synod are maintained in accordance with the principles of fund accounting. Under these principles, resources for different purposes are classified according to their nature and purposes into separate funds for accounting and reporting purposes.

Funds restricted by donor, grantor, or other outside parties for particular purposes are recorded as revenue in the year expended. Current restricted receipts which are not expended within the year received are added to the restricted fund balances.

Description of Funds

Expendable Funds:

Unrestricted Funds - These funds represent the general operating funds of the Synod and the A.R.P. Center Facility and include substantially all resources over which the Synod and the Center Facility Board of Trustees, respectively, have discretionary control.

Restricted Funds - These funds represent revenues received by the Synod, or its agencies, which have restrictions placed on their use by the donor.

Nonexpendable funds:

Permanent Fund - This fund is comprised of investments held by Synod. The use of the earnings from these investments (primarily interest and dividends) is restricted to the support of certain specified functions of the expendable funds.

Dunlap Orphanage Fund - This fund represents certain remaining assets of the Dunlap Orphanage located in Tipton County, Tennessee. Operations of the orphanage have been terminated and the Synod is maintaining custody of the assets until their ultimate disposition is determined.

Deferred Income - Deferred income results from the sale of subscriptions to The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine and The Adult Quarterly. Sales of such subscriptions which apply to subsequent periods are deferred and recognized as income when the magazines are delivered.

Donated Property - Donated property is recorded as revenue at its estimated fair value at date of receipt.

3. PENSION PLAN

The Synod has a noncontributory pension plan covering all regular salaried, ordained A.R.P. ministers, A.R.P. missionaries, and othe professional lay employees of the Synod. Total contributions to t plan from all sources during 1981 amounted to $177,400, of which $21,900 was contributed from the funds included in the accompanying financial statements. The Synod's policy is to fund the plan in amounts equal to or greater than the minimum level suggested by the consulting actuary. A comparison of accumulated plan benefits and plan net assets for the Synod's plan as of January 1, 1980, the date of the latest actuarial valuation, is presented below:

Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits	
Vested	$1,032,428
Nonvested	96,359
Total	$1,128,787

Net assets available for benefits	
Total	$1,263,015

The weighted average assumed rate of return used in determining th actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is 7%.

4. COMMITMENT FOR SELF-INSURANCE

In connection with a change in 1972 in the group insurance policy carried by the Synod for the benefit of its ministers and lay employees, the Synod undertook to provide specified death benefits for a limited group of older persons rather than to cover them und the new group policy.

As of December 31, 1981 the status of this fund was:

Balance of fund, 12/31/80	$54,653
Amount added during current year	5,184
Less amounts paid during current year	(3,000)
Balance of fund, 12/31/81	$56,838

The fund balance at December 31, 1981 equaled the remaining commitment at the same date. Accordingly, the Synod does not plan to make any further contributions to the fund.

RELATED PARTIES

During the year ended December 31, 1981, the Permanent Fund distributed $16,636 of its interest and dividend earnings to various offices of the General Synod. Also, the Center Facility had rental income of $11,178 from various offices of the General Synod.

NOTE: The Supplemental Schedules are not printed herein, but are available from the Board of Stewardship on request.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1981

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members	Witness and Outreach	Prayer Emphasis Offering (Week of Prayer)	World Missions General and Specials	White Cross Offering	Jubilee Birthday Offering	Self-Denial Offering	Woman's Synodical Union Medical Missionary Scholarship Fund	Retired Missionaries' Fund	Erskine College and Seminary	Christian Education	Bonclarken	Dunlap Home	Thank Offering	Life Membership And Memorial Fund	Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine	Special Project	American Bible Society	Contingent Funds—Synodical and Presbyterial	Miscellaneous	Total To Synodical Causes	Average Per Capita To Synodical Causes	Spent In Congregation	Grand Total	Grand Total Average Per Capita
Catawba	1,165	5,467.50	1,435.35	15,847.80	3,618.41	6,128.00	2,709.30	1,492.50	1,307.00	3,048.80	1,397.50	1,956.70	—	4,647.61	3,275.00	—	221.00	942.00	1,219.00	1,215.00	55,928.47	48.01	19,993.00	75,921.47	65.17
First	1,448	4,107.60	1,351.15	12,652.50	3,290.94	5,609.38	2,281.50	800.00	717.00	1,943.00	1,877.00	2,269.50	—	6,082.91	3,300.00	—	—	775.00	1,463.00	4,376.53	52,897.01	38.53	24,565.22	77,462.23	53.50
Florida	365	2,881.05	424.75	3,731.69	1,438.15	2,589.20	348.68	360.00	85.00	495.00	551.00	453.50	—	1,476.82	575.00	—	1,125.00	127.00	841.15	152.00	17,654.79	48.37	4,758.02	22,412.81	81.40
Mississippi Valley	427	1,396.50	604.00	6,315.00	1,758.50	2,276.00	1,232.50	279.00	318.00	648.50	538.00	469.00	—	3,130.00	900.00	—	—	219.00	906.11	371.61	21,361.72	50.03	3,554.76	24,916.48	58.35
Second	800	4,238.95	738.25	12,437.95	3,107.75	4,354.00	1,952.45	623.55	332.00	2,208.40	1,343.95	2,092.60	—	3,797.70	1,600.00	—	1,058.20	804.20	1,126.25	3,549.75	45,365.95	56.70	10,287.05	55,653.00	69.57
Tennessee-Alabama	154	458.50	334.86	2,514.35	1,363.85	1,084.75	708.03	35.00	256.00	261.10	87.00	215.50	—	895.25	475.00	—	—	105.00	287.95	306.60	9,388.74	60.97	2,262.31	11,651.05	75.68
Virginia	261	277.48	164.81	1,224.77	338.00	511.54	358.15	96.00	40.00	192.75	97.20	123.50	—	684.21	550.00	—	—	105.50	598.25	199.40	5,561.56	21.31	5,483.27	11,044.83	42.32
Totals	4,620	18,827.58	5,053.17	54,724.06	14,915.60	22,562.87	9,590.61	3,888.05	3,055.00	8,797.55	5,891.65	7,580.30	—	20,714.30	10,675.00	—	2,404.20	3,077.70	6,441.71	10,170.89	208,158.24	45.06	70,903.63	279,061.87	60.40

EDUCATIONAL REPORT OF THE SYNODICAL UNION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1981

PRESBYTERIALS	Number Active Members?	Total Number Subscriptions Associate Reformed Presbyterian Magazine?	Observe Day of Prayer and Self-Denial?	Present Program On Missions To Youth of Congregation?	Systematic Bible Study?	Prayer Emphasis Observed?	Local Outreach Project?	Family Living Project?	General Support of A Particular Child At Dunlap?	Dunlap General Fund and Other Gifts?	Students Contacted For Erskine College?	Project For College Students in Local Congregation?	Youth Project?	Did Youth Attend Conferences and Retreats?	Send Items To Bonclarken Gift Shop?	Represented at Presbyterial, District or Presbyterial Workshop or Bonclarken Conference?	History Being Written?
Catawba	1,165	1,012	25	18	27	26	20	19	—	—	20	3	15	19	25	25	25
First	1,448	1,306	26	21	33	30	23	21	—	—	24	12	14	20	32	32	33
Florida*	365	239	2	7	7	5	2	2	—	—	4	1	5	6	5	6	6
Mississippi Valley	427	495	15	8	18	17	12	13	—	—	5	2	5	5	16	15	17
Second	800	755	19	12	25	23	17	9	—	—	9	6	9	8	22	23	21
Tennessee-Alabama	154	173	7	3	7	7	5	2	—	—	3	2	1	2	6	6	7
Virginia	261	206	10	5	11	10	8	6	—	—	5	3	5	6	9	11	10
Totals	4,620	4,186	104	74	128	116	87	72	—	—	70	29	54	66	115	118	119

PRESBYTERY REPORTS AND STATISTICAL TABLES
January—December 31, 1981

PRESBYTERY REPORTS

The information included herein is taken from the Presbytery Reports submitted to the Principal Clerk and from the Annual Statistical Reports submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center. The names of the congregations, names of ministers, names of seminary students, and the names of elders lost by death appear elsewhere in the **Minutes of Synod.** Information relative to *ministers* reflects changes since the last meeting of Synod. All other information is for the period January 1—December 31. 1981.

CATAWBA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Hardeeville, Hopewell, New Hope, Tirzah, White Oak. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Dutch Fork ($55,365), Faith ($3,000), Hardeeville, Vietnamese Church ($13,236), Wando ($21,008). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Richard C. Lewis, Jr. (5-30-82), David W. Setzer (1-31-82). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Barry Dagenhart (6-14-82), Joseph W. Donahue (6-8-81), Jan Senneker (11-15-81). **Ministers Lost by Death:** none. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** Richard C. Lewis, Jr. (6-14-82), Lawrence W. Young (1-3-82). **Ministers Lost by Removal from Roll:** none. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Archie C. Reed (White Oak, New Hope), Robert Grigg (Tirzah), **Number Active Elders:** 276. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Blacksburg (L. L. DuBose), Lancaster First (E. F. Ash, G. C. Henley), Rock Hill First (W. L. Oates, Jr.), Rogers Memorial (Dennis Hinson), Sherwood Forest (Francis Christmus), Tirzah (Randy Byrum, John Adams), Unity (R. C. McCain), **Elders Received by Certificate:** Centennial (Thomas D. Isbell), Rock Hill (Daniel Canupp), **Numer Elders Lost by Certificate:** 1. **Number Active Deacons:** 296. **Number Deacons Lost by Death.** 4. **Number Deacons Lost by Certificate:** 5. **Number of Deacons Ordained and Installed:** 27. **Supplemental Information: Hardeeville Mission** was approved November 15, 1981. **Bethel** printed a hard cover history of the church. **Chester** had a study course on "What ARP's Believe" and had a Leadership Training School. **Oak Ridge** called a pastor separate from Pleasant Hill and built a manse. **Sherwood Forest** has a new building program underway. **Union** is building a new fellowship hall.

FIRST PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Pressly Memorial. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** Christ Community ($28,297). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Barry Dagenhart (5-23-82). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Robert J. Hamilton, Jr. (9-8-81), O. Neil McCarter (4-16-82), Guy Oliver (6-14-82), W. W. Orr (10-13-81), Theodore Owens (7-30-81). **Ministers Lost by Death:** none. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** Barry Dagenhart (6-14-82), Clyde T. McCants (3-9-82), James McQuiston (11-9-81), William A. Robfogel (5-12-82). **Ministers Lost by Removal from Roll:** none. **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** none. **Number Active Elders:** 335. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Back Creek (Eddie Willis), Burlington (H. L. Perdue, Alfred Garner), Concord (Adeeb Hashif), Covenant (Michael C. Eudy, Eugene B. Miller, Jr.), Craig Avenue (Vance Porter), First Union (Charles L. Skipper, Jr.), First Gastonia (Jack W. Wilson), Glenwood (Wm. B. Parks, Jr.), Idlewild (Stuart Taber), Linden (Harry A. Conner), Mooresville (Frank Alexander), New Amity (Douglas Wolfe), New Perth (Walter J. Little, Howard H. Munday), First Statesville (Payton Morrison, John Plyler). **Elders Received by Certificate:** none. **Number Active Deacons:** 344. **Number of Deacons Ordained and Installed:** 59. **Supplemental Information: Back Creek** is building an educational building, has set goals for evangelism, and plans to study history of the church this year in cooperation with bicentennial celebration. **Boyce Memorial** has a missions program. **Covenant** continues the Child Care Center and will build an educational building in 1982, **Crowders Creek** plans for a local bicentennial celebration. **Glenwood** provides a list of giving (without names) to the church from the largest to smallest, mailed with annual statements. **Pinecrest** is in the process of planning for a new Sanctuary and has started a youth coffee house that meets

twice weekly. **Tabernacle** organized a senior adults program and is planning Family night. **Westminster** approved only a six-month budget (2-7-82 — 8-7-82) due to limited resources. **Celebration of Presbyteries:** On Sunday evening, May 16, 1982, First Presbytery joined Catawba Presbytery of the United Presbyterian Church, USA and Mecklenburg Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, U.S., in sponsoring "A Celebration of Presbyterians." The featured speakers were Dr. James I. McCord, President of the Princeton Theological Seminary, and Dr. Thelma Davidson Adair, former Moderator of the United Presbyterian Church, USA. The 200th anniversary of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church and the 150th anniversary of the host congregation, the First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, were significant elements of the celebration.

FLORIDA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Chapel-by-the-Sea. **Mission Congregations and Supplements:** Grace ($12,000), Lakeland ($28,750). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** John Hopkins (5-30-82), Neil Mathias (8-23-81), Mark S. Shuttleworth (10-18-81). **Minister Received by Certificate:** George Stulting (4-4-82). **Minister Lost by Death:** none. **Minister Lost by Certificate:** W. W. Orr (10-13-81), Jan Senneker (11-1-81). **Minister Lost by Removal from Roll:** none. **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** John D. LeHeup (Frostproof). **Number Active Elders:** 83. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Avon Park (Leroy Rowley), Faith (Don Horsley, Doug L'Hommedieu, Jerry Jester), Lake Placid (Harold Morris, R. R. Grigsby), New Hope (William Shaffer). **Elders Received by Certificate:** none. **Elders Lost by Certificate:** none. **Number Active Deacons:** 64. **Number Deacons Lost by Death:** 64. **Number Deacons Lost by Death:** 1. **Number Deacons Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Deacons Ordained and Installed:** 13. **Supplemental Information: Lakeland** opened its doors June 14, 1981 with 44 people in attendance. William Barron is Mission Developer. **First Presbyterian Church of Frostproof** was taken into the Florida Presbytery on February 28, 1982. The Reverend John D. LeHeup is the stated supply. He been given permission by the Westminster Presbytery (PCUS) to serve for one year outside his presbytery. **First Presbyterian Church of Sebring** was taken into the Florida Presbytery, along with the pastor, Dr. George Stulting, on April 4, 1982.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ebenezer, Sharon. **Mission Congregations and Supplements:** Greenview Heights ($5,500). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** none. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Joe O'Cain (10-17-81), Robert Washington. Jr. (1-23-82). **Ministers Lost by Death:** none. **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** James A. Hunt (6-9-81), O. Neil McCarter (4-24-82), Robert G. Herrmann (4-24-82). **Minister Lost by Removal from Roll:** none. **Minister on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** James Ragsdale (Havana), Vernie Bartlett (Hickory Springs). **Number Active Elders:** 119. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Brighton (James Mashburn), Covington (Clarence A. McLennan), Hopewell (William Browning), Parkway Place (Robert F. Rutt), Richland (Don Wylie), Southwest (Richard Zelnick). **Elders Received by Certificate:** none. **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Active Deacons:** 98. **Number Deacons Lost by Death:** none. **Number Deacons Lost by Certificate:** 3. **Number Deacons Ordained and Installed:** 13. **Supplementary Information:** The **Lawndale Church** will be officially removed from Presbytery's roll as of September 12, 1982.

SECOND PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Abbeville, Due West, Greenville, Louisville, Ora, Woodruff. **Mission Congregations and Supplement:** none. **Ministers Received by Ordination:** Joseph W. Donahue (6-28-81), Joe O'Cain (9-19-81), Robert Taylor (10-20-81), Clyde T. McCants (3-9-82). **Ministers Received by Certificate:** Richard C. Lewis, Jr. (6-14-82). **Ministers Lost by Death:** E. Gettys (8-30-81). **Ministers Lost by Certificate:** Joseph W. Donahue (6-28-8), Gary R. Fravel (8-18-81), Joe O'Cain

(9-19-81). **Ministers Lost by Removal from Roll:** Allen Larson (6-8-81). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** J. Calvin Smith (Cedar Springs), L. M. Allison (Generostee), Ray A. King (Lower Long Cane and Troy). **Number Active Elders:** 206. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Doraville (F. W. Jumper), Greenwood (William B. Patrick, Jr., Robert B. Davis), Mount Carmel (John A. McAllister, Jr.), Newberry (E. W. McCullough), Spartanburg (Richard B. Rodermond, Steven A. Link), Young Memorial (John A. Hunt). **Number Elders Received by Certificate:** 6. **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** 3. **Number Active Deacons:** 192. **Number of Deacons Lost by Death:** 1. **Number Deacons Lost by Certificate:** 1. **Number of Deacons Ordained and Installed.** 23. **Supplementary Information: Grace Mission** was dissolved 9-27-81.

TENNESSEE-ALABAMA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Hopewell, Lincoln Memorial, Pressly Memorial. **Mission Churches and Supplements:** None.**Ministers Received by Ordination:** None. **Ministers Received by Certificate:** None. **Minister Lost by Death:** None. Minister Lost by Certificate: Theodore Owens (7-30-81). **Minister Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Hascal Bain (Lincoln).

VIRGINIA PRESBYTERY: Vacant Pastorates: Ballston Center, Broad Creek, Ladd, Spring Valley, Timber Ridge, Wildhurst. **Mission Congregations and Supplement:** Johnson's Creek ($2,000), Kingsborough ($6,000). **Ministers Received by Ordination:** none. **Minister Received by Certificate:** Stewart J. Rankin (3-20-82). **Minister Lost by Death:** none. **Minister Lost by Certificate:** none. **Minister Lost by Removal from Roll:** Martin E. Gilbert (3-20-82), R. S. Miles, Jr. (6-16-82). **Ministers Not on Roll of Presbytery Serving as Approved Supply:** Robert W. Siemens (Ballston Center). **Number of Active Elders:** 106. **Elders Received by Ordination:** Ballston Center (Harry David, Edward P. Higgins), Church of Atonement (Zoltan O. G. Korossy, Richard D. Riddle, Sr., Samuel A. Schoolfield, Arthur Wilson Stetson, Charles W. Thorpe, Hugh W. Easter, F. Norman Everard, G. Richard Fanning, Yancey H. Garner, Sr., David T. Weston, Maurice R. Hauschildt, H. Lee Hess, James A. Miller, David L. Porter, Franklin B. Yarian). **Number Elders Received by Certificate:** 1. **Number Elders Lost by Certificate:** 2. **Number Active Deacons:** 78. **Number of Deacons Lost by Death.** 3. **Number Deacons Lost by Certificate:** none. **Number Deacons Ordained and Installed:** 12.

STATISTICAL TABLES
January 1 — December 31, 1981

The annual statistical reports have been tabulated for printing in the **Minutes of Synod**, using information submitted by the individual churches to the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Center as of December 31, 1981.

The following notes of explanation should be reviewed prior to drawing conclusions from the statistical information:

1. **MEMBERSHIP**

The **Communicant Membership Total at Beginning of Year** for 1981 has been recorded as that number reported in the 1981 **Minutes of Synod** as the 1980 **Communicant Membership Total at End of Year.** Differences have been adjusted in either *Accession by Reaffirmation* or *Losses by Removal from Roll.* Churches which reported a 1981 **Beginning of Year** figure which was "smaller" than the 1980 **End of Year** will show a loss by *Removal from Roll.* Those which reported a 1981 **Beginning of Year** figure which was "larger" than the 1980 **End of Year** will show an *Accession by Reaffirmation.* Churches which reported differences are indicated by asterisk. Differences reported are: Rogers Memorial (+4), Tirzah (−63), Union (−2), Vietnamese Church (+36), White Oak, S.C. (−4), Craig Avenue (+3), Glenwood (−6), Pisgah (−3), Havana (+1), Hickory Springs (+2), Troy, Tn. (−3), Lower Long Cane (−34), Mount Carmel (−1), Pressly Memorial, S.C. (−2), Hopewell, Tn.(−3), Ebenezer, Va. (−3), and Ladd (−10). These adjustments reflect a net loss of 88.

For churches which have not reported, the only figures reported are those for **Communicant Membership Total at Beginning of Year,** and **Communicant Membership Total at End of Year.** Churches not reporting are: Avon Park, Chapel By The Sea, Lawndale Rives, Woodruff, Lincoln Memorial, and Prosperity, Ala.

2. **RECEIPTS**

A. **Auxiliary Treasurers:** This column reflects receipts reported through the auxiliary organizations, i.e., church school, men's and women's organizations, and youth groups.

b. **Other Receipts:** This column reflects receipts through Bequests and Wills, Synod and Presbytery Supplements, Transfers from Savings, etc. These receipts are not a part of the regular tithes and offerings of the membership.

3. **AVERAGE PER CAPTIA GIVING**

This reflects the average given by each ACTIVE COMMUNICANT MEMBER, excluding those funds reported as Other Receipts.

4. **DISBURSEMENTS**

Paid on Voluntary Commitment—No attempt was made to reconcile the amounts reported here and the total amount reported by Synod's auditor. These figures represent the totals reported in the Statistical Reports.

SUMMARY OF PRESBYTERIES	MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICANT												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									FELLOWSHIP									
														YOUTH						ADULT			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Catawba.....	5,772	79	139	69	57	97	144	5,761	4,595	773	90	2,603	3,249	208	113	108	106	63	23	1,364	314	20	1,195
First.....	8,881	112	198	71	109	286	75	8,792	6,320	1,139	103	3,788	4,745	237	158	166	130	61	51	1,572	351	211	2,136
Florida.....	2,456	55	96	44	25	34	73	2,519	1,696	273	64	954	748	77	74	59	9	12	8	181	35	72	376
Mississippi Valley	2,597	48	34	34	28	55	36	2,594	1,728	273	41	1,001	1,486	72	79	40	22	6	9	382	116	51	517
Second.....	4,932	89	165	24	64	273	66	4,807	3,721	587	106	2,037	2,607	153	87	80	126	40	40	860	205	128	931
Tennessee-Alabama.	976	6	19	8	15	11	9	974	596	78	17	383	484	12	14	20	10	14	3	158	52	0	228
Virginia.....	2,552	36	404	19	36	47	41	2,887	1,719	392	60	1,279	1,517	95	34	57	6	9	49	356	0	32	1,079

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Catawba.....	1,257,142	63,314	206,881	55,540	137,794	452	355,436	2,076,107	459,939	178,660	30,992	450,552	403,105	15,742	33,432	173,124	49,674	62,976	127,729	11,537	1,997,462
First.....	1,891,842	83,891	326,557	52,304	110,762	443	336,372	2,801,728	586,579	326,711	45,489	489,478	632,773	21,344	41,706	212,236	24,701	74,001	90,008	97,307	2,642,333
Florida.....	537,093	63,911	159,180	87,065	35,813	552	52,785	935,847	166,876	120,435	82,253	68,015	157,140	1,341	14,202	60,161	25,820	57,589	28,803	16,087	798,722
Mississippi Valley	628,502	29,992	56,815	19,092	61,850	539	135,763	932,014	281,131	53,070	12,905	178,539	183,966	8,914	21,289	53,218	13,997	34,377	55,802	9,539	906,747
Second.....	1,095,756	42,133	194,939	30,363	96,916	422	111,112	1,571,219	344,630	168,966	17,679	288,790	313,724	6,740	26,753	135,688	27,694	47,371	89,571	66,094	1,533,700
Tennessee-Alabama.	157,263	15,950	16,298	1,870	19,254	377	14,172	224,807	72,681	13,485	5,106	15,678	37,227	240	5,498	24,178	16,505	1,600	17,225	1,512	210,935
Virginia.....	517,278	12,761	91,318	52,933	53,031	477	92,016	819,337	171,052	86,491	6,413	190,573	157,899	8,790	10,506	29,135	5,167	104,678	52,809	9,283	832,796
TOTALS FOR 1981..	6,084,876	311,952	1,051,988	299,167	515,420	459	1,097,656	9,361,059	2,082,888	947,818	200,837	1,681,625	1,885,834	63,111	153,386	687,740	163,558	382,592	461,947	211,359	8,922,695
TOTALS FOR 1980..	5,361,695	384,855	856,998	174,852	476,144	386	668,335	7,922,879	1,854,161	829,960	194,142	1,506,247	1,839,535	50,791	129,675	645,407	163,889	214,400	415,610	137,722	7,981,539

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Catawba Presbytery																							
Bethany, J. Cohen Davidson, Clerk	198	7	6	0	2	2	0	207	138	19	2	112	145	6	0	7	2	16	7	35	0	0	0
Bethel, J. R. Wolff	212	1	3	2	1	4	0	213	162	24	1	78	80	20	0	0	0	0	0	59	0	0	61
Blacksburg, R. M. Williams	108	0	0	0	1	3	0	104	55	11	0	33	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	20	0
Centennial, J. C. Barker	484	5	21	0	3	8	4	495	366	62	2	307	282	11	0	15	19	12	2	113	0	0	64
Chester, D. L. Pearson	332	0	4	0	5	4	0	327	230	46	2	131	212	9	5	0	0	0	0	100	25	0	62
Clover, C. W. Todd	416	0	0	0	5	4	0	407	303	36	1	211	214	8	0	10	9	0	0	92	40	0	0
Dutch Fork, J. F. Beard	27	0	15	0	0	3	0	39	36	10	2	16	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eden Terrace, W. F. Mitchell	75	3	0	2	2	1	0	77	60	10	2	35	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	30
Edgemoor, J. A. Derrick	140	6	4	0	1	0	0	149	115	17	1	84	90	14	8	4	4	0	0	37	0	0	48
Edwards Memorial, R. E. Ashmore	60	1	1	2	1	0	5	58	51	9	0	31	55	6	0	0	0	0	0	9	14	0	0
Faith, W. M. Pittendreigh, Jr.	127	1	2	2	0	0	24	108	90	36	5	60	85	0	7	14	8	0	0	22	27	0	33
Hickory Grove, R. M. Wilson	57	0	0	0	3	0	0	54	33	2	0	18	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
Hopewell, W. W. McKown, Clerk	71	0	4	0	2	1	0	72	44	8	0	24	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0
Lancaster First, R. E. Beckham	362	5	18	4	6	14	34	335	315	55	10	220	215	12	13	7	10	6	0	101	35	0	77
Neely's Creek, J. Senneker	535	13	10	6	4	14	3	543	474	57	17	215	403	20	15	15	13	15	4	116	0	0	200
New Hope, M. E. Stevenson, Clerk	29	0	0	0	1	0	0	28	17	11	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
Oak Grove, J. A. Derrick	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	20	8	1	14	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Oak Ridge, J. W. Donahue	100	1	2	6	0	0	0	109	81	9	2	57	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	0
Pleasant Hill, H. M. Bolin	131	2	1	1	1	0	3	131	101	13	1	40	75	11	0	0	0	0	0	19	20	0	55
Rock Hill First, R. J. Robinson	484	2	16	0	6	4	0	492	414	56	6	195	211	14	12	11	14	0	0	140	0	0	200
Rogers Memorial, F. J. Musselman*	237	0	1	4	1	3	0	238	180	58	1	134	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	15	0	0
Sharon, J. H. Boyce	104	0	0	0	1	0	1	102	89	9	3	42	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0
Sherwood Forest, C. R. Beard	250	5	8	0	0	5	0	258	235	42	5	91	83	7	4	6	0	0	0	44	29	0	38
Shiloh, R. W. Dickson	219	6	4	0	1	2	0	226	185	28	4	78	145	8	4	0	9	0	0	59	41	0	89
Smyrna, R. M. Wilson	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	63	3	3	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0
Tirzah, Tommy Parrish, Clerk*	250	0	3	0	2	6	63	182	131	56	0	72	97	9	10	4	3	3	1	44	13	0	72
Union, J. A. Derrick*	146	7	1	0	0	0	2	152	144	3	4	57	94	13	15	7	3	4	9	43	0	0	47
Unity, G. H. Smith, Jr.	342	10	2	0	3	1	1	349	284	55	8	158	242	27	10	8	12	7	0	80	35	0	83
Vietnamese Church, J. A. Liem*	0	4	0	36	0	10	0	30	30	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wando, W. B. Sutherland, Jr.	20	0	5	2	0	5	0	22	12	0	0	6	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
White Oak, M. T. Patrick, Clerk*	32	0	0	0	2	0	4	26	21	5	0	10	21	1	2	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
York, T. D. Grant	125	0	8	2	3	3	0	129	116	15	3	67	75	12	8	0	0	0	0	65	0	0	36

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Bethany	32,974	2,170	1,600	0	4,283	297	0	41,027	15,801	4,478	1,133	2,158	2,728	723	1,152	3,600	795	1,600	4,283	0	38,451
Bethel	51,688	2,812	0	1,620	9,475	405	0	65,595	22,090	2,103	466	0	20,130	515	1,680	6,000	2,121	1,620	8,675	0	65,400
Blacksburg	20,781	799	1,805	0	3,809	494	1,260	28,454	10,203	1,600	0	4,661	4,663	0	710	2,400	799	0	3,686	0	28,722
Centennial	132,576	4,699	19,361	2,414	14,253	474	5,456	178,759	24,493	37,898	2,965	16,396	45,866	1,752	1,670	22,052	3,577	6,964	14,676	637	178,946
Chester	87,329	15,211	22,300	280	5,575	568	121,765	252,460	28,800	14,358	0	138,192	25,852	698	1,832	11,530	13,418	280	5,170	0	240,130
Clover	84,661	1,537	3,200	6,616	6,060	337	0	102,074	21,481	11,615	6,616	9,946	32,239	706	1,344	9,300	1,299	2,750	5,590	0	102,886
Dutch Fork	10,278	800	3,640	0	291	417	113,874	128,883	17,244	0	0	88,376	3,537	34	1,600	1,362	800	0	0	0	112,953
Eden Terrace	25,183	1,368	3,697	0	1,435	528	0	31,683	12,206	340	606	7,827	4,306	136	893	1,600	360	0	747	0	29,021
Edgemoor	24,396	1,169	190	0	4,390	262	0	30,145	7,260	1,460	0	0	11,043	314	501	3,500	1,031	0	4,542	0	29,651
Edwards Memorial	28,650	609	2,813	440	90	639	395	32,997	14,472	0	0	6,211	9,400	167	1,068	500	442	440	0	0	32,700
Faith	22,108	327	0	0	5,360	309	10,882	38,677	14,911	1,730	41	3,401	11,451	255	922	1,260	186	60	4,791	0	39,008
Hickory Grove	9,732	105	1,615	0	771	370	0	12,223	5,680	240	0	1,615	2,133	73	394	1,603	105	0	771	0	12,614
Hopewell	17,005	791	4,574	0	1,723	548	6,119	30,212	3,575	535	165	0	4,266	228	0	1,200	655	0	4,137	0	14,761
Lancaster First	84,621	3,243	0	4,575	11,576	330	5,000	109,015	23,293	12,626	875	0	31,444	863	1,522	13,043	2,828	15,825	9,826	0	112,145
Neely's Creek	100,402	3,575	21,034	38,299	6,943	359	3,574	173,827	19,584	24,509	10,247	3,339	35,621	661	1,921	15,579	3,575	24,598	6,550	0	146,184
New Hope	2,100	1,100	200	0	560	233	0	3,960	2,235	0	900	0	0	205	0	450	100	0	0	0	3,890
Oak Grove	5,910	1,118	0	0	4,197	561	570	11,795	2,970	0	0	0	377	607	237	1,000	1,365	0	2,514	0	9,070
Oak Ridge	25,963	197	29,252	0	1,325	700	0	56,737	9,278	1,234	0	29,560	14,336	131	1,000	2,295	196	0	1,758	0	59,788
Pleasant Hill	33,591	2,254	3,533	0	2,979	419	0	42,357	11,996	1,800	530	7,723	6,808	413	711	5,072	1,183	0	2,979	0	39,215
Rock Hill First	91,958	5,135	23,822	0	9,319	315	36,281	166,515	27,376	25,318	2,411	55,615	23,494	2,177	1,978	15,222	1,763	0	9,027	900	165,281
Rogers Memorial	58,063	931	4,696	0	3,322	372	2,100	69,112	17,408	10,412	215	6,377	22,056	374	1,304	5,100	650	3,400	3,250	0	70,546
Sharon	32,004	2,089	453	0	6,391	460	641	41,578	14,792	704	448	0	5,659	491	1,706	5,125	1,103	2,943	3,152	0	36,123
Sherwood Forest	37,042	354	16,176	0	3,851	244	5,032	62,455	15,970	4,922	0	20,007	10,163	311	1,417	6,236	353	0	3,851	0	63,230
Shiloh	50,592	1,544	4,685	996	5,269	341	958	64,044	19,563	3,040	880	3,253	8,480	1,186	1,440	8,580	890	2,196	4,874	10,000	64,382
Smyrna	12,015	565	0	0	1,623	225	640	14,843	5,513	0	0	0	6,716	83	442	2,640	565	0	0	0	15,959
Tirzah	35,000	421	0	300	6,440	322	0	42,161	14,930	6,231	0	0	10,784	319	1,330	3,000	471	300	6,440	0	43,805
Union	24,440	950	0	0	6,026	218	1,888	33,304	7,382	0	0	0	10,105	860	845	3,000	790	0	6,026	0	29,008
Unity	66,675	3,233	20,975	0	4,186	335	689	95,758	20,275	6,393	1,468	20,975	21,651	910	1,748	13,878	4,661	0	4,186	0	96,145
Vietnamese Church	1,325	0	0	0	44	46	13,410	14,779	9,774	0	0	0	3,825	0	1,136	0	0	0	0	0	14,735
Wando	6,409	180	6,430	0	0	1,085	21,008	34,027	22,050	0	471	6,619	4,889	0	0	847	255	0	0	0	35,131
White Oak	6,380	2,399	7,050	0	1,497	825	3,894	21,220	2,280	0	200	11,652	1,856	314	0	1,950	2,134	0	1,497	0	21,883
York	35,291	1,629	3,780	0	4,731	392	0	45,431	15,054	5,114	355	6,649	7,227	236	929	4,200	1,204	0	4,731	0	45,699
TOTALS	1,257,142	63,314	206,881	55,540	137,794	452	355,436	2,076,107	459,939	178,660	30,992	450,552	403,105	15,742	33,432	173,124	49,674	62,976	127,729	11,537	1,997,462

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Back Creek, A. C. Bridges	369	5	7	1	5	5	0	372	282	50	3	117	229	10	12	10	12	10	0	65	40	0	111
Boyce Memorial, W. H. Tyson	341	0	9	0	3	6	2	339	229	57	1	126	234	8	7	11	0	6	17	77	0	0	149
Burlinston First, E. T. Robinson	308	0	9	2	3	1	0	315	184	25	0	165	195	10	0	10	0	0	0	63	25	0	85
Chalmers Memorial, T. L. Owens	133	0	0	2	5	4	0	126	50	5	1	80	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0
Charlotte First, P. L. Sherrill	86	0	0	0	3	2	3	78	41	2	0	38	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0
Christ Community, J. S. Kimmons, Jr	38	10	12	8	0	2	4	62	62	8	8	35	51	0	4	0	8	0	0	23	13	0	0
Coddle Creek, J. A. Hunt	269	0	5	0	4	5	6	259	167	31	5	83	131	8	0	5	0	0	10	40	0	0	75
Concord, G. R. Slater	133	5	0	16	4	0	1	149	91	15	4	54	89	0	13	0	0	0	0	23	16	0	51
Covenant, C. L. Mitchell	152	4	7	0	2	3	2	156	96	17	4	38	72	0	0	21	0	0	0	32	14	0	88
Crais Avenue, C. A. Steele*	207	3	8	5	0	2	1	220	152	28	5	75	94	15	0	20	10	2	0	30	30	0	63
Crowders Creek, R. J. Hamilton	287	3	3	1	4	11	0	279	213	24	5	133	211	4	7	7	4	9	0	68	0	0	76
Ebenezer, J. L. Carson	285	7	16	3	7	5	17	282	249	73	11	145	227	12	2	7	7	0	0	89	0	0	0
Elk Shoals, C. E. Linderman	68	0	0	1	0	0	0	69	42	10	0	46	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	31
First Union, B. S. Howell, Jr	268	1	3	1	1	6	1	265	135	23	1	35	92	8	7	0	0	0	0	23	10	13	13
Garrison Memorial, A. A. Fischer	74	2	0	.0	2	1	0	73	73	3	0	28	7	0	0	2	3	2	0	11	0	0	0
Gastonia First, H. T. Schutte	370	5	13	0	5	8	0	375	333	19	3	201	215	7	5	5	5	0	0	123	90	90	63
Gilead, W. A. Macaulay, Jr	163	0	2	1	2	0	0	164	114	33	0	59	103	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	76
Glenwood, B. E. Murdock*	455	0	6	3	2	3	7	452	349	40	1	131	175	14	0	0	0	0	0	68	0	0	94
Huntersville, M. L. Cavin	164	8	2	3	2	1	1	173	147	31	9	60	119	0	15	0	9	4	0	38	0	0	71
Idlewild, R. M. Wallace, Jr	206	8	10	0	0	8	0	216	184	71	5	94	65	23	5	14	8	0	0	25	0	0	93
Linden, H. S. Mace	286	0	3	0	3	0	23	263	170	12	1	80	181	8	5	3	5	0	0	40	0	30	111
Maupin Avenue, J. R. Blevins	127	0	1	0	2	3	0	123	75	13	0	52	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0
Mooresville, B. McLendon	208	0	3	1	2	1	0	209	182	11	2	100	107	0	5	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	0
New Amity, W. P. Flemins	129	2	1	0	1	4	0	127	60	12	2	55	57	10	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	36
New Covenant, L. L. Richardson	390	4	2	3	7	1	4	387	212	36	5	237	68	0	12	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0
New Perth, R. E. Sherer	290	4	2	0	4	6	0	286	220	16	2	95	207	20	11	8	6	4	0	54	45	0	0
New Sterlins, C. E. Linderman	344	9	12	2	7	4	0	356	230	41	2	197	144	14	8	11	6	0	0	49	0	0	50
Pinecrest, C. B. Evans	191	2	30	0	1	10	0	212	190	21	1	120	127	12	8	8	9	9	0	50	0	71	53
Pissah, R. B. Elliott, Jr.*	430	9	8	13	4	6	3	447	415	81	5	235	258	13	7	15	11	9	11	103	68	0	164
Pressly Memorial, R. R. Rary	188	0	1	0	2	0	0	187	88	5	0	50	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0
Prosperity, WITHDRAWN	145	0	0	0	0	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew, Z. C. Williams	162	4	11	0	0	8	0	169	130	27	3	56	104	9	4	0	14	0	0	25	0	0	61
Sandy Plains, J. M. Lineberger	105	2	5	2	2	2	0	110	71	8	1	79	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	65
Statesville First, R. B. Leaptrott	952	7	6	1	11	17	0	938	610	253	7	375	545	25	10	9	7	6	11	113	0	0	157
Stony Point, W. P. Flemins	36	0	0	0	1	1	0	34	25	5	1	15	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabernacle, G. R. Hallman	493	7	1	2	8	5	0	490	422	27	5	290	273	7	11	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	300
Westminster, J. J. Hoerrich	29	1	0	0	0	0	0	30	27	6	0	9	11	0	0	0	6	0	2	9	0	7	0

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Back Creek.....	93,824	12,563	53,580	752	8,270	599	86,631	255,620	21,123	20,064	9,971	30,164	25,140	1,566	1,469	13,889	2,254	752	8,336	0	134,728
Boyce Memorial....	57,834	3,528	24,997	0	8,269	413	0	94,628	20,421	10,510	2,051	24,997	18,757	700	1,326	8,873	1,402	1,638	6,620	11	97,306
Burlington First..	69,762	815	0	272	2,537	399	0	73,386	19,807	9,347	904	14,351	13,937	608	1,557	6,000	815	759	2,537	0	70,622
Chalmers Memorial.	18,555	174	0	0	1,628	407	53,723	74,080	7,804	14,317	0	0	12,370	0	760	2,000	174	0	1,267	28,723	67,415
Charlotte First...	9,671	52	0	0	974	261	0	10,697	4,800	0	10	0	3,573	0	948	350	42	0	974	0	10,697
Christ Community..	29,236	0	0	0	0	472	23,879	53,115	25,629	2,000	400	0	13,561	650	0	2,000	480	370	0	8,000	53,090
Coddle Creek.....	29,796	1,370	6,918	2,146	4,361	267	4,356	48,947	11,368	1,113	315	6,274	7,143	836	1,084	4,200	529	2,217	2,682	0	37,761
Concord.....	40,111	608	0	0	700	455	2,401	43,820	14,136	1,680	266	4,270	16,157	382	864	4,372	319	550	700	0	43,696
Covenant.....	22,723	8,561	8,366	1,527	68	430	18,100	59,345	19,535	1,440	0	8,561	11,780	392	1,282	4,320	575	754	0	12,086	60,725
Crais Avenue.....	46,374	1,396	1,387	0	0	323	169	49,326	22,768	7,872	1,324	4,451	10,689	275	1,548	200	72	100	0	0	49,299
Crowders Creek....	81,469	784	2,238	0	4,262	417	4,144	92,897	5,447	5,333	86	27,103	34,125	500	1,440	12,513	1,725	5,958	3,651	414	98,295
Ebenezer.....	88,350	21,400	12,000	1,554	5,880	519	0	129,184	18,850	23,160	13,200	12,000	52,558	200	936	2,400	0	0	5,880	0	129,184
Elk Shoals.....	8,521	616	1,350	0	1,129	277	1,096	12,712	3,600	300	0	165	1,824	242	346	1,062	471	0	1,214	5,025	14,249
First Union.....	27,533	480	8,193	0	1,195	277	7,892	45,293	9,987	4,336	1,866	14,129	9,985	0	0	2,500	435	0	723	1,957	45,918
Garrison Memorial.	19,076	18	1,418	0	0	281	0	20,512	13,017	0	0	0	6,168	90	787	1,080	0	0	0	0	21,142
Gastonia First....	177,944	3,937	0	35,639	15,691	700	15,134	248,345	29,324	47,089	1,193	0	75,157	490	2,008	18,000	2,272	32,473	12,577	0	220,583
Gilead.....	27,829	552	1,824	1,420	2,950	303	7,603	42,178	12,978	0	0	10,883	7,323	250	701	1,800	552	0	2,808	0	37,295
Glenwood.....	55,595	1,226	979	0	0	166	2,614	60,414	19,480	6,852	147	13,200	14,293	662	1,171	4,732	1,002	0	0	3,068	64,607
Huntersville.....	39,300	6,408	0	0	3,569	335	0	49,277	14,518	4,485	212	5,240	11,337	350	998	4,608	1,238	0	906	0	43,892
Idlewild.....	51,372	198	4,738	0	0	306	572	56,880	25,981	9,088	50	9,266	11,692	300	2,765	1,500	198	0	0	0	60,840
Linden.....	43,819	5,838	20,154	300	1,150	419	20,117	91,378	9,223	12,129	5,102	26,182	26,649	376	1,527	7,100	737	300	1,150	0	90,475
Maupin Avenue.....	29,032	98	3,999	435	2,903	486	0	36,467	12,397	4,258	434	3,804	9,166	129	920	2,000	98	515	2,895	0	36,616
Mooresville.....	52,784	1,045	11,896	0	0	361	56,023	121,748	16,846	9,598	305	72,414	21,460	370	1,056	6,034	1,075	0	0	0	129,158
New Amity.....	24,273	0	0	0	0	405	0	24,273	13,234	0	0	0	4,776	70	465	2,600	300	0	0	2,500	23,945
New Covenant.....	49,187	773	12,550	1,193	1,607	308	3,709	69,019	18,450	8,871	849	13,579	16,329	556	1,296	5,800	457	1,336	0	0	67,523
New Perth.....	62,860	600	0	0	4,214	308	0	67,674	18,082	12,075	460	0	19,464	1,750	1,392	7,500	0	0	4,214	2,500	67,437
New Sterlins.....	52,269	1,251	8,250	600	3,697	287	0	66,067	21,163	5,320	300	5,003	13,809	500	1,584	8,280	951	1,170	2,806	2,523	63,409
Pinecrest.....	60,211	1,380	21,503	2,831	2,408	465	0	88,333	27,937	5,685	250	19,471	12,492	800	1,680	6,960	1,130	3,600	2,153	13,500	95,658
Pisgah.....	104,355	3,352	43,469	366	10,809	391	0	162,351	20,338	32,025	16	43,494	32,982	1,248	1,536	16,341	1,678	2,866	9,405	0	161,929
Pressly Memorial..	11,973	66	16,229	0	0	321	0	28,268	4,950	0	0	16,228	6,181	26	488	272	40	0	0	0	28,185
Prosperity.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Andrew.....	30,708	231	0	0	2,328	256	3,061	36,328	24,518	0	231	1,253	10,537	520	1,717	1,000	0	0	2,328	0	42,104
Sandy Plains.....	24,259	853	0	3,269	10,241	544	0	38,622	8,659	5,145	729	0	6,573	360	1,122	3,500	124	12,293	1,381	0	39,886
Statesville First.	194,532	0	37,696	0	0	381	0	232,228	28,389	31,331	4,764	80,173	44,260	1,500	1,932	22,500	1,700	6,300	2,624	0	225,473
Stony Point.....	7,166	0	0	0	0	287	0	7,166	4,110	0	54	0	1,136	0	432	800	24	0	255	0	6,811
Tabernacle.....	144,115	3,718	22,823	0	9,922	428	6,844	187,422	19,126	30,978	0	22,823	45,759	4,646	1,509	25,000	1,832	50	9,922	17,000	178,645
Westminster.....	5,424	0	0	0	0	201	18,304	23,728	18,584	310	0	0	3,631	0	1,060	150	0	0	0	0	23,735
TOTALS.....	1,891,842	83,891	326,557	52,304	110,762	443	336,372	2,801,728	586,579	326,711	45,489	489,478	632,773	21,344	41,706	212,236	24,701	74,001	90,008	97,307	2,642,333

Florida Presbytery	MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICANT												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
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	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Avon Park, J. M. Rogers	195	0	0	0	0	0	0	195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bartow, G. R. Oates	367	14	13	3	8	4	2	383	330	52	11	203	177	24	11	9	9	8	7	65	35	72	140
Chapel By The Sea, E.L. Anthony, Clerk	282	0	0	0	0	0	0	282	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith, W. A. Frazier	91	13	0	10	0	6	0	108	90	16	13	47	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grace, D. G. Flemins	31	0	0	1	1	0	0	31	27	4	0	17	22	3	3	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
Lake Placid, B. E. DeWitt	366	3	27	15	5	6	0	400	369	34	4	149	55	0	12	0	0	0	0	75	0	0	0
Lake Wales, D. M. Rockness	748	15	25	4	10	9	0	773	616	111	20	368	269	40	44	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	140
Lakeland, W. A. Barron	0	4	13	6	0	0	0	23	23	14	6	13	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hope, N. R. Mathias	167	0	9	0	0	8	34	134	62	15	3	45	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0
Trinity, H. B. Probes	209	6	9	5	1	1	37	190	179	27	7	112	113	10	4	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	96

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Avon Park.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bartow.....	134,362	9,502	16,902	14,009	11,428	564	2,918	189,121	25,887	24,226	0	2,376	33,908	0	2,378	21,340	9,502	28,782	11,428	10,000	169,827
Chapel By The Sea.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith.....	44,844	2,936	425	600	1,211	556	6,724	56,740	20,097	1,921	874	7,350	11,263	146	1,200	1,800	400	3,204	0	6,087	54,342
Grace.....	17,935	530	2,444	314	0	786	12,178	33,401	19,560	0	145	0	9,141	260	1,176	600	128	1,800	0	0	32,810
Lake Placid.....	66,871	2,914	92,282	405	10,210	468	0	172,682	24,464	8,002	1,355	11,203	5,658	140	1,920	7,197	1,418	2,405	5,709	0	69,471
Lake Wales.....	164,639	47,087	39,489	60,234	8,872	520	2,000	322,321	28,896	76,862	79,819	27,211	55,837	150	3,985	22,420	14,000	2,000	8,784	0	319,964
Lakeland.....	6,114	130	263	0	0	283	23,134	29,641	14,643	0	0	0	9,674	0	1,107	0	130	0	0	0	25,554
New Hope.....	34,461	24	2,474	0	1,439	619	5,000	43,398	11,665	462	60	10,500	11,961	25	1,123	0	24	1,980	1,439	0	39,239
Trinity.....	67,867	788	4,901	11,503	2,653	490	831	88,543	21,664	8,962	0	9,375	19,698	620	1,313	6,804	218	17,418	1,443	0	87,515
TOTALS.....	537,093	63,911	159,180	87,065	35,813	552	52,785	935,847	166,876	120,435	82,253	68,015	157,140	1,341	14,202	60,161	25,820	57,589	28,803	16,087	798,722

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Bethany, A. L. Roberts	51	0	0	0	1	0	0	50	50	0	1	26	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brighton, G. H. Rowell	265	8	4	4	5	3	0	273	142	43	2	97	141	12	40	0	0	0	0	55	25	0	103
Covington, O. N. McCarter	84	0	0	0	0	1	1	82	71	6	1	39	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	14	0	0
Ebenezer, P. E. Smith, Clerk	95	0	0	0	1	0	0	94	45	0	0	24	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elsberry, A. A. Morrow	67	2	0	0	1	0	3	65	35	17	7	43	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Greenview Heights, J. A. Coad	32	3	0	4	0	0	3	36	36	13	4	17	45	0	0	7	0	0	2	10	0	10	51
Havana, J. H. Rassdale, Supply*	32	0	4	1	0	1	0	36	36	0	0	24	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Hickory Springs, W. L. Green, Clerk*	31	0	0	2	0	0	0	33	12	0	0	9	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hopewell, A. L. Roberts	67	2	0	0	1	0	5	63	60	1	3	50	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Lawndale, Clerk	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Midlane Park, W. E. Stanchfield	102	4	5	3	3	3	2	106	106	9	4	65	42	12	13	0	0	0	0	24	6	0	0
Mount Zion, J. Coad, III	59	0	0	2	0	0	0	61	39	8	1	18	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Albany, W. B. Everett	258	1	4	2	1	11	0	253	189	20	3	77	132	8	7	9	8	0	0	41	0	0	0
Parkway Place, J. D. McLurkin	99	0	0	2	1	3	0	97	93	5	0	63	72	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0	0	55
Pottsville, T. G. Morris	183	5	7	3	4	0	2	192	105	18	4	64	99	25	7	4	3	0	0	26	0	0	69
Richland, G. W. Curry	208	8	0	0	1	1	0	214	156	11	3	75	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	15	10	0
Rives, J. W. O'Cain	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul, J. R. Wade	122	6	2	1	0	11	6	114	94	44	2	45	107	0	5	8	6	0	0	10	15	0	49
Salem, C. Y. Todd	244	6	1	8	2	4	0	253	218	33	3	100	193	15	7	8	5	6	7	30	25	31	130
Shady Grove, J. H. Daniel, Clerk	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	16	10	0	0	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon, G. K. Spencer, Clerk	74	1	0	0	0	0	0	75	41	6	0	16	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Southwest, E. S. Irby	74	1	4	2	1	5	1	74	41	32	2	47	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Troy, J. W. O'Cain*	52	0	0	0	2	0	3	47	24	4	0	11	21	0	0	4	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
Westminster, R. G. Herrmann	137	0	3	0	1	6	0	133	70	3	1	41	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	16	0	0
Wood Avenue, W. N. Falls	110	1	0	0	2	6	10	93	55	0	0	43	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0

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Bethany.....	9,094	123	0	0	2,021	225	0	11,238	6,000	0	0	0	2,087	0	384	500	123	0	1,277	0	10,371
Brighton.....	46,971	2,912	15,951	2,588	10,974	559	0	79,396	17,917	4,658	353	17,899	13,053	163	1,348	8,184	2,759	3,120	11,243	0	80,697
Covington.....	29,257	5,296	547	0	4,606	559	4,600	44,306	14,713	0	863	0	8,320	2,245	864	2,600	3,672	360	6,849	0	40,486
Ebenezer.....	8,670	600	833	0	1,788	264	0	11,891	3,260	0	323	0	2,063	0	0	1,350	232	288	1,039	0	8,555
Elsberry.....	15,343	101	1,645	1,490	0	531	689	19,268	13,352	0	300	0	3,368	405	1,056	900	216	759	0	1,910	22,266
Greenview Heights.	19,708	200	3,974	0	959	690	95,198	120,039	16,900	857	160	93,541	8,348	50	1,024	120	82	316	133	0	121,531
Havana.....	11,733	0	0	0	1,132	357	60	12,925	5,300	75	3,231	0	0	70	0	650	835	150	975	0	11,286
Hickory Springs...	4,522	0	0	0	578	425	0	5,100	2,026	0	0	0	1,170	120	0	550	25	0	699	0	4,590
Hopewell.....	9,187	0	0	0	715	165	0	9,902	5,000	375	176	0	1,946	44	400	500	182	0	586	0	9,209
Lawndale.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Midlane Park.....	31,503	1,263	12,282	546	4,154	469	688	50,436	16,932	1,290	945	1,266	22,810	120	1,238	2,400	151	546	4,154	0	51,852
Mount Zion.....	12,565	106	35	434	1,392	373	1,384	15,916	7,577	560	44	156	2,851	398	696	670	62	434	1,820	0	15,268
New Albany.....	93,735	4,754	0	0	2,035	532	0	100,524	18,800	16,505	0	29,465	23,345	189	1,837	400	0	5,855	0	0	96,396
Parkway Place.....	44,585	756	3,621	595	3,066	566	3,508	56,131	17,413	4,239	205	10,954	12,083	478	1,267	5,333	631	765	2,164	0	55,532
Pottsville.....	25,235	654	3,754	1,050	2,468	316	0	33,161	13,420	0	0	5,739	7,391	430	1,106	2,750	573	1,278	2,424	0	35,111
Richland.....	51,970	2,889	0	0	9,453	412	0	64,312	21,300	9,346	789	0	13,847	1,211	1,622	5,500	1,244	0	8,472	0	63,331
Rives.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saint Paul.....	42,242	771	7,660	0	463	544	1,670	52,806	20,852	0	0	11,635	11,968	900	1,828	1,800	0	3,360	463	0	52,806
Salem.....	50,599	4,240	3,971	10,550	6,451	348	3,100	78,911	21,235	7,150	2,131	3,600	17,786	1,289	1,555	9,300	1,106	13,135	5,322	0	83,609
Shady Grove.....	1,663	0	0	0	0	166	200	1,863	899	0	100	115	413	0	60	205	0	0	0	0	1,792
Sharon.....	17,907	358	269	0	1,481	488	0	20,015	2,500	1,020	0	269	2,526	160	1,056	1,100	238	50	1,434	0	10,353
Southwest.....	28,899	0	0	1,839	800	769	0	31,538	18,938	591	685	1,101	6,533	60	1,370	600	0	1,839	800	0	32,517
Troy.....	8,127	0	2,273	0	2,740	548	9,925	23,065	4,900	804	0	2,799	2,961	0	144	606	0	240	2,212	0	14,666
Westminster.....	43,053	4,443	0	0	2,630	716	7,954	58,080	16,665	5,600	2,600	0	9,488	582	1,282	6,000	1,341	1,762	2,179	7,629	55,128
Wood Avenue.....	21,934	526	0	0	1,944	444	6,787	31,191	15,232	0	0	0	9,609	0	1,152	1,200	525	120	1,557	0	29,395
TOTALS.....	628,502	29,992	56,815	19,092	61,850	539	135,763	932,014	281,131	53,070	12,905	178,539	183,966	8,914	21,289	53,218	13,997	34,377	55,802	9,539	906,747

Second Presbytery	MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICANT												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									FELLOWSHIP									
														YOUTH						ADULT			
	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Abbeville, N. Steifle, Clerk	64	0	2	0	3	0	3	60	54	2	1	22	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel, O. J. Rundus	73	1	1	0	2	0	0	73	60	23	2	43	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	18	50
Bethlehem, T. Jones	62	1	2	0	0	0	0	65	45	6	1	23	49	8	0	1	0	0	5	19	0	0	0
Cannon's Creek, G. L. Pierstorff	68	0	0	0	1	0	0	67	38	14	2	20	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	27
Cedar Springs, P. N. Well, Clerk	51	0	0	1	2	0	0	50	50	7	2	38	31	0	0	0	5	0	0	9	0	7	0
Doraville, R. J. Marshburn	791	19	49	5	6	31	26	801	581	31	20	268	293	29	16	13	8	12	6	113	36	31	101
Due West, L. Ware, Clerk	330	9	3	1	5	7	0	331	291	32	3	196	219	21	7	12	8	0	0	100	40	35	0
Ebenezer, M. L. Garvey	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	30	18	0	5	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
Generostee, L. M. Allison	38	1	0	0	0	0	0	39	29	3	1	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grace, CLOSED	42	0	0	0	0	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville, L. B. Creswell, Clerk	626	9	12	1	6	16	0	626	560	75	10	250	339	13	14	8	18	10	8	110	50	0	142
Greenwood, D. W. Elliott	270	14	8	4	2	5	0	289	243	52	16	107	171	10	0	15	30	0	0	62	0	0	84
Grier Memorial, J. T. Corbitt	135	8	15	2	1	10	0	149	149	29	6	64	107	7	9	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	50
Highlands, S. M. Cain	286	3	24	0	8	5	0	300	208	55	10	176	197	5	11	9	24	0	0	42	41	0	90
Hopewell, C. E. Cheatham	89	0	0	0	2	0	0	87	48	1	1	30	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Iva, W. E. Kirkpatrick	115	0	1	1	0	1	0	116	83	33	0	64	73	0	0	3	2	0	0	34	0	0	0
Louisville, W. J. Revell, Sr., Clerk	148	0	3	1	0	2	0	150	115	25	3	87	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	60
Lower Long Cane, R. A. King*	65	0	0	0	1	0	34	30	20	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyndon Grove, R. P. Taylor	78	1	3	0	0	1	0	81	79	1	2	29	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	0	0
McElroy Memorial, CLOSED	125	0	0	0	0	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Carmel, J. B. McFerrin*	11	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	10	1	0	4	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newberry, E. L. Bland	274	1	3	0	9	7	0	262	238	28	2	121	176	13	9	0	0	0	5	51	0	0	90
Ora, M. Y. Blakely, Clerk	114	5	2	0	2	5	0	114	89	24	2	63	77	12	0	0	8	0	0	30	22	0	80
Pressly Memorial, R. E. Kelley*	44	1	7	0	3	1	2	46	41	5	3	16	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Providence, W. T. Sherer, III	124	0	0	0	2	1	0	121	93	14	0	58	71	0	0	0	3	6	4	28	0	0	25
Spartanburg, H. C. White	222	3	15	0	4	3	0	233	150	34	5	102	107	11	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	19
Troy, R. A. King	72	0	0	0	1	0	0	71	45	4	0	20	24	0	0	3	0	0	0	9	0	11	0
Tucker, J. E. Pitts	51	0	0	1	0	0	0	52	27	4	0	17	22	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	6	8	0
White Oak, C. W. Wilson	188	9	2	7	3	2	0	201	167	25	11	85	169	17	13	6	10	6	11	38	0	0	61
Woodruff, M. S. Bender, Clerk	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wrens, M. L. Garvey	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	50	19	0	31	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young Memorial, L. T. Richie	246	4	13	0	1	9	0	253	128	22	3	87	93	7	8	10	10	6	0	60	0	18	52

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	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvemen	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Abbeville.....	11,896	420	0	0	460	237	0	12,776	4,980	1,444	400	1,197	1,938	81	97	1,000	585	0	460	0	12,182
Bethel.....	27,136	288	1,330	3,306	4,240	605	3,751	40,051	15,000	0	0	4,990	8,188	123	2,476	2,000	288	6,124	1,797	0	40,986
Bethlehem.....	15,391	176	0	180	2,240	400	0	17,987	10,049	860	0	0	4,260	140	837	315	125	175	2,112	0	18,873
Cannon's Creek....	19,530	191	124	0	535	536	2,996	23,376	10,908	300	187	6,834	1,103	60	840	1,200	104	0	314	3,369	25,219
Cedar Springs.....	6,285	2,214	0	1,000	936	209	0	10,435	3,000	600	200	0	2,582	86	184	500	1,169	0	936	0	9,257
Doraville.....	125,190	3,376	0	3,550	9,372	244	413	141,901	26,667	37,726	0	0	35,663	1,602	2,844	19,669	3,546	3,550	9,083	0	140,350
Due West.....	68,278	9,872	0	5,210	14,776	337	71	98,207	12,859	9,487	7,368	0	20,406	851	776	12,553	5,097	5,210	14,377	0	88,984
Ebenezer.....	8,379	100	1,046	237	394	339	0	10,156	4,494	372	50	0	2,237	45	0	800	0	0	0	0	7,998
Generostee.....	2,765	252	0	0	808	132	2,205	6,030	2,875	0	0	4,650	1,023	22	0	850	252	0	0	0	9,672
Grace.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville.....	180,794	7,703	45,127	0	15,770	445	28,730	278,124	7,568	42,602	2,923	62,996	49,624	855	2,078	28,636	4,649	6,648	15,770	55,393	279,742
Greenwood.....	74,539	1,870	33,748	735	4,468	475	8,915	124,275	32,182	11,933	0	28,489	24,536	0	2,226	10,200	1,557	0	1,991	0	113,114
Grier Memorial....	52,490	463	17,939	5,190	2,359	526	0	78,441	26,060	4,369	0	21,082	14,581	0	1,824	2,400	569	7,859	2,358	0	81,102
Highlands.....	74,839	2,400	14,167	0	9,168	484	0	100,574	23,865	18,064	1,765	21,137	14,436	359	1,584	8,000	399	0	7,744	0	97,353
Hopewell.....	15,665	0	0	1,075	2,441	400	0	19,181	12,869	0	0	0	2,841	113	777	728	235	1,075	2,441	0	21,079
Iva.....	27,548	441	3,965	0	2,482	415	0	34,436	10,950	999	181	6,690	7,011	140	1,008	2,400	260	300	2,655	0	32,594
Louisville.....	38,382	1,082	1,641	1,000	1,441	379	7,122	50,668	6,000	0	113	5,170	22,648	196	768	6,895	788	3,400	1,441	1,000	48,419
Lower Long Cane...	4,459	60	0	0	310	241	0	4,829	2,590	0	0	0	0	62	10	700	40	0	0	0	3,402
Lyndon Grove.....	22,852	1,858	5,210	0	1,371	396	0	31,291	11,862	2,007	0	6,078	8,842	109	1,032	1,500	358	600	1,383	0	33,771
McElroy Memorial..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Carmel.....	2,292	255	0	0	0	255	0	2,547	1,740	0	0	0	309	8	0	260	255	0	108	0	2,680
Newberry.....	53,563	1,281	12,373	0	7,925	316	320	75,462	18,748	5,905	60	11,041	15,933	396	1,114	8,437	1,271	0	6,659	6,332	75,896
Ora.....	35,914	2,555	0	5,433	4,902	548	5,286	54,090	10,248	3,566	350	0	8,668	330	1,073	6,592	2,071	9,901	3,635	0	46,434
Pressly Memorial..	10,466	125	0	0	0	258	0	10,591	3,340	0	125	0	6,268	49	0	1,070	0	0	0	0	10,852
Providence.....	34,523	929	3,999	0	3,550	462	0	43,001	18,000	0	0	3,999	10,522	268	1,353	4,300	797	0	2,905	0	42,144
Spartanburg.....	47,809	666	5,029	2,735	1,882	387	0	58,121	14,243	8,828	2,399	1,512	10,930	244	1,088	3,500	615	2,479	6,058	0	51,896
Troy.....	5,798	26	0	0	485	140	0	6,309	2,375	0	0	0	1,978	130	0	550	100	0	308	0	5,441
Tucker.....	11,150	460	823	0	1,000	498	0	13,433	6,745	4,418	0	143	2,685	45	0	200	310	0	44	0	14,590
White Oak.....	39,425	999	46,818	712	3,059	545	46,088	137,101	14,277	3,650	712	92,907	15,697	210	917	1,833	999	0	3,059	0	134,261
Woodruff.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wrens.....	12,913	50	1,600	0	0	291	0	14,563	10,832	0	100	0	0	0	624	600	0	50	0	0	12,206
Young Memorial....	65,485	2,021	0	0	542	532	5,215	73,263	19,304	11,836	746	9,875	18,815	216	1,223	8,000	1,255	0	1,933	0	73,203
TOTALS.....	1,095,756	42,133	194,939	30,363	96,916	422	111,112	1,571,219	344,630	168,966	17,679	288,790	313,724	6,740	26,753	135,688	27,694	47,371	89,571	66,094	1,533,700

Tennessee-Alabama Presbytery	MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICANT												ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									FELLOWSHIP									
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	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members	Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Bethel, R. P. Brawley	62	0	1	0	2	1	0	60	44	9	2	32	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	4
Camden, R. P. Brawley	115	0	7	4	0	2	1	123	108	20	6	60	98	5	5	8	6	8	3	21	0	0	30
Cleveland Street, L. C. Draffin	111	0	8	0	2	5	0	112	97	6	1	69	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	20	0	69
Fayetteville, J. R. Fee	228	4	3	2	4	3	0	230	172	26	5	118	145	0	6	3	0	0	0	30	32	0	55
Hopewell, J. L. Patterson, Clerk*	30	0	0	0	0	0	3	27	21	0	0	8	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Memorial, J. B. Hayes, Clerk	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pressly Memorial, F. W. Martin, Clerk	114	0	0	0	4	0	0	110	52	2	0	45	25	0	0	4	0	6	0	18	0	0	0
Prosperity, Ala., R. P. Brawley	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prosperity, Tn., C. F. Edgar	165	2	0	2	3	0	5	161	102	15	3	51	85	7	3	5	4	0	0	34	0	0	70

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	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvemen	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Incom For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Specia Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Bethel.....	11,668	4,703	0	0	3,062	442	5,681	25,114	5,300	590	0	4,000	6,063	0	408	2,125	4,703	0	0	0	23,189
Camden.....	21,576	4,346	1,600	0	3,519	287	6,991	38,032	8,287	2,290	296	1,600	6,110	0	692	4,780	4,050	0	3,519	0	31,624
Cleveland Street..	34,899	985	6,063	520	2,690	466	0	45,157	14,767	3,720	1,972	2,323	6,431	60	1,128	2,900	1,505	250	2,338	1,512	38,906
Fayetteville.....	47,545	5,195	6,755	1,350	5,115	383	1,500	67,460	20,567	6,885	0	6,755	10,150	50	1,893	8,573	5,195	1,350	6,833	0	68,251
Hopewell.....	9,439	0	0	0	125	455	0	9,564	5,900	0	0	0	1,650	40	354	1,200	281	0	100	0	9,525
Lincoln Memorial..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pressly Memorial..	13,534	100	1,880	0	1,550	328	0	17,064	10,060	0	0	1,000	2,300	40	800	400	150	0	1,250	0	16,000
Prosperity.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prosperity.....	18,602	621	0	0	3,193	220	0	22,416	7,800	0	2,838	0	4,523	50	223	4,200	621	0	3,185	0	23,440
TOTALS.....	157,263	15,950	16,298	1,870	19,254	377	14,172	224,807	72,681	13,485	5,106	15,678	37,227	240	5,498	24,178	16,505	1,600	17,225	1,512	210,935

Virginia Presbytery	MEMBERSHIP COMMUNICANT									Non-Communicant Membership	Baptisms	Family Units	ENROLLMENT IN AUXILIARIES										
		ACCESSIONS			LOSSES									FELLOWSHIP									
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	Total At Beginning Of Year	By Profession	By Certificate	By Reaffirmation	By Death	By Certificate	By Removal From Roll	Total At End Of Year	Number Active Members				Church School	YPCU	Jr. High	Junior	Primary	Kindergarten	Cradle Roll	Women of The Church	Men's Clubs	Other	Vacation Bible School
Atonement, A. T. Stewart	0	2	383	7	2	7	3	380	330	88	12	229	368	30	16	0	0	0	0	54	0	0	200
Ballston Center, R. S. Trieble, Clerk	128	0	0	0	1	0	0	127	100	10	1	50	85	0	8	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	135
Broad Creek, J. Smith, Clerk	124	0	0	0	2	0	0	122	28	2	1	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebenezer, R. S. Miles, Jr.*	281	9	0	0	2	5	3	280	126	32	8	76	131	7	0	0	0	0	16	20	0	0	90
Edgemont, W. M. Harris, Jr.	314	2	5	0	5	4	2	310	202	19	6	150	132	12	0	8	0	4	0	43	0	0	114
Fairlea, T. L. Pritt	113	0	0	0	2	2	0	109	80	9	0	40	62	6	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	29
Johnson Creek, D. R. Ellis	147	0	3	1	0	2	0	149	72	9	2	44	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	56
Kingsborough, G. J. Gerard	55	3	0	3	1	0	0	60	40	23	2	43	46	10	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	101
Ladd, R. L. Keyes, Clerk*	123	3	0	1	1	13	12	101	40	17	2	18	42	0	0	7	6	5	3	11	0	32	53
Lauderdale, R. A. Whitesides	517	9	3	6	12	5	0	518	251	66	12	411	199	4	10	12	0	0	14	45	0	0	112
New Lebanon, T. L. Pritt	82	4	6	0	0	0	0	92	47	3	2	15	35	10	0	2	0	0	0	8	0	0	40
Old Providence, J. M. Bell, Sr.	422	2	0	1	3	2	0	420	289	87	6	137	240	16	0	0	0	0	16	51	0	0	74
Spring Valley, J. H. Dixon, Clerk	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
Timber Ridge, C. D. McGuffin, Clerk	176	2	2	0	3	1	1	175	79	18	5	50	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	31
Wildhurst, H. A. Mays, Clerk	65	0	2	0	2	6	20	39	30	9	1	12	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	44

	General Fund	Benevolent Specials	Building & Improvement	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Average Per-Capita	Other Income	Total Income For Year	Support Of Pastor	Support Of Other Personnel	Local Benevolence	Capital Purposes	Other Local Expenses	Presbytery Assessments & Specials	ARP Retirement Plan	Voluntary Commitment	Synod Special Offerings	Support Of Missions	Auxiliary Treasuries	Transfer To Savings	Total Disbursed For Year
Atonement.....	212,906	0	58,193	35,284	12,531	966	72,086	391,000	24,938	63,585	0	128,549	65,545	0	958	40	360	96,819	11,903	0	392,697
Ballston Center...	31,332	0	0	13,002	2,055	464	0	46,389	8,580	0	0	0	20,660	600	360	2,300	0	0	13,052	0	45,552
Broad Creek.....	5,610	24	0	0	0	201	254	5,888	0	2,600	0	1,360	0	325	0	725	43	0	787	0	5,840
Ebenezer.....	26,609	95	1,273	0	3,244	248	410	31,631	18,665	1,270	0	589	5,218	403	1,248	1,185	95	0	2,787	0	31,460
Edsemont.....	52,254	797	17,582	4,647	2,799	387	6,151	84,230	24,818	8,095	1,952	21,739	14,297	1,400	1,536	5,000	389	4,500	2,455	0	86,181
Fairlea.....	18,112	270	0	0	6,275	308	366	25,023	10,905	0	270	1,275	3,585	600	845	2,500	0	0	4,910	5,818	30,708
Johnson Creek.....	21,887	3,050	0	0	2,608	383	2,000	29,545	15,524	600	715	0	7,359	366	1,040	1,127	234	0	981	0	27,946
Kingsborough.....	11,535	2,706	5,457	0	735	511	8,290	28,723	17,585	93	1,388	5,860	1,148	348	780	600	36	420	1,093	0	29,351
Ladd.....	8,657	50	0	0	0	218	0	8,707	1,820	0	0	1,011	4,395	550	0	600	50	0	0	0	8,426
Lauderdale.....	45,469	716	7,646	0	6,784	241	1,805	62,420	18,500	6,474	325	14,871	14,319	868	1,344	3,250	364	0	3,262	2,537	66,114
New Lebanon.....	9,388	0	140	0	824	220	0	10,352	4,850	590	0	0	3,036	200	230	800	0	0	0	0	9,706
Old Providence....	52,652	4,358	0	0	12,472	240	0	69,482	18,832	2,664	1,634	12,863	10,757	2,500	1,248	8,948	2,915	2,523	9,454	0	74,338
Spring Valley.....	305	0	0	0	105	82	110	520	0	0	25	0	0	5	0	40	75	0	105	0	250
Timber Ridge.....	8,990	286	1,027	0	1,451	149	520	12,274	3,300	520	104	0	2,835	265	277	1,000	197	416	1,021	520	10,455
Wildhurst.....	11,572	409	0	0	1,148	438	24	13,153	2,735	0	0	2,456	4,745	360	640	1,020	409	0	999	408	13,772
TOTALS.....	517,278	12,761	91,318	52,933	53,031	477	92,016	819,337	171,052	86,491	6,413	190,573	157,899	8,790	10,506	29,135	5,167	104,678	52,809	9,283	832,796

RULES OF PROCEDURE

1. The General Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church shall meet annually on the second Monday of June at 7:30 P.M. At the opening service the retiring Moderator will present a sermon, or if he is a ruling elder, will present an appropriate address and will constitute the Synod with prayer. The service will include the celebration of the Lord's Supper and an appropriate memorial to deceased ruling elders and ministers.

2. All business sessions will be opened with a period of worship.

3. Following the period of worship each morning, the minutes of the preceding day's sessions shall be read for approval. The minutes of the final day's session(s) shall be read for approval immediately prior to the final adjournment.

4. TUESDAY MORNING: (a)The Roll prepared in accordance with the **Rules of Order** will be constituted by the Principal Clerk immediately following the opening period of worship. (b)Unfinished business shall follow the constituting of the roll. (c)After disposition of the unfinished business, the Retiring Moderator shall present to the Synod the Moderator-Elect, who shall present the Vice-Moderator and announce his committees for the current meeting. (d)There shall be a Call for Reports from the boards and committees and for memorials from presbyteries. The reports of the boards, unless there is a request for reading, shall be referred without reading to the appropriate Moderator's Committee. The memorials from presbyteries, after having been read to the General Synod, will be referred to the Moderator's Committee on Memorials. Presbytery reports shall be referred to a Moderator's Committee. The reports of the committees shall be considered by the Synod as a whole, unless referred by the Moderator to a Moderator's Committee. (e)The budget of the General Synod shall be presented for adoption at this first business session of the Meeting of the General Synod. Once adopted, the budget allocations approved therein supersede budget requests included in individual reports, if different.

5. TUESDAY AFTERNOON: Tuesday afternoon shall normally be left open for the meeting of Moderator's Committees.

6. WEDNESDAY MORNING: At 9:30 A.M. the Order of the Day shall be nominations for Moderator. Each nominee for the office shall previously have assured his nominator of his willingness to serve if elected. Nominating speeches and the seconding speeches are to be limited to five minutes, each with only one seconding speech per nomination. Each nominee shall be prepared to make a brief statement (not more than five minutes) to the General Synod immediately following the completion of the nominations which should be an expression of his willingness to serve if elected and his aspirations for the future of the denomination. The floor is open each year for the nomination of teaching or ruling elders.

7. WEDNESDAY EVENING: (a)On Wednesday evening, Fraternal Delegates shall be recognized to be followed by a program sponsored by the Committee on Inter-Church Relations. Presentation of the American Bible Society, The Lord's Day Alliance, and similar organizations approved by Synod, shall be left to the Committee on Inter-Church Relations as to time, place and procedure. (b)At 9:30 P.M., the order of the day will be the election of a Moderator from those nominated in the Morning Session.

8. THURSDAY MORNING: On Thursday morning a Vice-Moderator Elect shall be elected by Synod. The Moderator-Elect shall be allowed to submit a name in nomination.

9. Boards and committees of the General Synod, presbyteries, and the Woman's Synodical Union desiring program time for promotional purposes shall make their request to the committee to plan Synod's program. It will be the normal practice to provide promotional time as requested.

10. The hours for the opening of all sessions of the Synod, except for the opening session, shall be designated by the committee to plan Synod's program.

11. The annual meeting shall be concluded by Friday noon.

12. GENERAL: The General Synod will consider only those matters properly presented. One copy of the reports of boards, committees, and commissions of the General Synod and memorials of presbyteries shall be submitted for preparation to be distributed to those entitled to sit as members of the court at least one month prior to the meeting of Synod. Official copies of the reports and memorials and the reports of presbyteries must be submitted in triplicate to the Bill Clerk of Synod not later than the "Call for Reports for References." The official copies must be marked official and signed by the chairman, secretary, clerk, or president.

Reports of boards, committees, and commissions and memorials of presbyteries which are not submitted for distribution referenced above, will be considered by the court only if approved by a two-third majority vote.

When reports are open for consideration, the chairman of the board, committee, or commission submitting the report shall have the right to open and close the discussion. Chairman who are not members of the court shall be given the privilege of the floor to enter discussion during the consideration of the report of their board, committee, or commission. No member shall speak more than twice nor longer that ten minutes without the consent of the court.

The narrative portion of the report shall be read only as an aid for discussion when needed. Normal procedure will be to read orally the recommendations.

13. FRATERNAL DELEGATES from bodies with which we are in mutual fraternal relationship, will be granted seats to the delegate section of our General Synod, non-voting privileges on the floor, and acceptance into Moderator's Committees of their choice, on an advisory basis only.

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1987 — James T. Cashion, John C. McGill, Robert M. Wallace, Jr., James D. McLurkin, Mrs. Grace Lucille Hill
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SUCCESSION OF MODERATORS

ASSOCIATE REFORMED SYNOD OF THE CAROLINAS
Subordinate to the General Synod of the Associate Reformed Church

Date	Place	Moderator
1803 May 9	Ebenezer, S.C.	Rev. James Rogers
1804 Apr. 11	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. Alexander Porter
1805 Apr. 11	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. William Blackstocks
1806 Apr. 9	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. Robert Erwin
1807 Apr. 8	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. James McKnight
1808 Apr. 13	Ebenezer, S.C.	Rev. John Hemphill
1809 Apr. 12	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. James Rogers
1810 Apr. 10	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. Alexander Porter
1811 Apr. 10	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. Alexander Porter
1812 Apr. 8	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. William Blackstocks
1812 Nov. 18	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. William Blackstocks
1813 Apr. 8	Cedar Springs, S.C.	Rev. Robert Erwin
1814 Apr. 20	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. James McKnight
1814 Nov. 9	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. James Rogers
1815 Nov. 8	Ebenezer, S.C.	Rev. Robert Erwin
1816 Nov. 11	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. Isaac Grier
1817 Oct. 20	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. James Rogers
1818 Apr. 6	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. John Renwick
1819 Apr. 5	Cedar Springs, S.C.	Rev. John Hemphill
1820 Apr. 3	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. John T. Pressly
1821 Apr. 2	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. James Rogers

ASSOCIATE REFORMED SYNOD OF THE SOUTH
Independent

Date	Place	Moderator
1822 Apr. 1	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. Eleazer Harris
1823 Apr. 7	Ebenezer, S.C.	Rev. John Hemphill
1824	No Meeting (No Reason)	
1825 Apr. 3	King's Creek, S.C.	Rev. William Blackstocks
1825 Nov. 14	Cedar Springs, S.C.	Rev. Joseph Lowry
1826 Nov. 14	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. John Renwick
1827 Nov. 9	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. James Lowry
1828 Nov. 7	Bethel, Ga.	Rev. R. M. Galloway
1829 Nov. 2	King's Creek	
1830-1833	No Meetings	
1834 Nov. 10	Due West, S.C.	Rev. James Lowry
1835 Nov. 9	Cedar Springs, S.C.	Rev. James Lowry
1836 Nov. 14	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. Jonathan Galloway
1837 Oct. 9	Due West, S.C.	Rev. Thomas Turner
1838 Oct. 8	Bethel, S.C.(L.Co.)	Rev. James Boyce
1839 Oct. 14	Due West, S.C.	Rev. John Wilson
1840 Oct. 12	Hopewell, Tenn.	Rev. James P. Pressly
1841 Oct. 11	Coddle Creek, N.C.	Rev. E. E. Pressly
1842 Oct. 10	Due West, S.C.	Rev. J. G. Witherspoon
1843 Oct. 9	New Hope, S.C.	Rev. Joseph McCreary
1844 Oct. 14	Ebenezer, Ky.	Rev. John S. Pressly
1845 Oct. 13	Hopewell, Ga.	Rev. James L. Young
1846 Sept. 18	Due West, S.C.	Rev. James M. Young
1847 Oct. 1	Prosperity, Tenn.	Rev. N. M. Gordon

1848 Oct. 9	Prosperity, Ala.	Rev. R. C. Grier
1849 Sept. 27	Steele Creek, N.C.	Rev. G. Gordon
1850 Oct. 14	Head Springs, S.C.	Rev. J. N. Young
1851 Oct. 13	Bethel, Ga.	Rev. R. A. Ross
1852 Oct. 11	Salem, Tenn.	Rev. S. S. Patterson
1853 Oct. 10	Mt. Olivet, Ky.	Rev. John Wilson
1854 Oct. 9	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. L. McDonald
1855 Oct. 8	Cedar Springs, S.C.	Rev. J. C. Chalmers
1856 Oct. 13	Starkville, Miss.	Rev. D. G. Phillips
1857 Oct. 12	Old Providence, Va.	Rev. D. F. Haddon
1858 Oct. 11	Due West, S.C.	Rev. R. C. Grier
1859 Oct. 9	Hopewell, Tenn	Rev. Henry Bryson
1860 Oct. 8	Hopewell, Ga.	Rev. James Boyce, D.D.
1861 Sept. 16	Bethel, Ala.	Rev. David Pressly
1862 Sept. 15	Sardis, N.C.	Rev. R. W. Brice
1863 Sept. 21	Ebenezer, Ga.	Rev. John Miller
1864 Sept. 29	New Hope, S.C.	Rev. W. R. Hemphill
1865 Sept. 18	Due West, S.C.	Rev. J. I. Bonner
1866 Sept. 17	Prosperity, Tenn.	Rev. H. H. Robinson
1867 Sept. 16	Starkville, Miss.	Rev. H. T. Sloan
1868 Sept. 21	Winnsboro, S.C.	Rev. J. E. Pressly
1869 Sept. 20	Prosperity, Ala.	Rev. H. L. Murphy
1870 Sept. 15	Salem, Tenn.	Rev. E. E. Boyce
1871 Sept. 14	Long Cane, S.C.	Rev. John Wilson
1872 Sept. 12	Pisgah, N.C.	Rev. R. A. Ross
1873 Oct. 24	Mt. Zion, Mo.	Rev. J. P. Weed
1874 Sept. 24	Hopewell, Tenn.	Rev. R. W. Brice
1875 Sept. 23	Due West, S.C.	Rev. James A. Lowry
1876 Sept. 21	Hopewell, S.C.	Rev. W. B. Pressly
1877 Sept. 20	Troy, Tenn.	Rev. W. L. Pressly
1878 Aug. 15	New Lebanon, W.Va.	Rev. W. S. Moffatt
1879 Sept. 25	Union, S.C.	Rev. J. H. Peoples
1880 Sept. 23	Bethel, Ala.	Rev. J. M. Todd
1881 Sept. 22	Ebenezer, Ga.	Rev. A. S. Sloan
1882 Sept. 21	New Hope, Tenn.	Rev. J. H. Strong
1883 Oct. 25	Chester, S.C.	Rev. James Boyce, D.D.
1884 Sept. 18	Old Providence, Va.	Rev. R. G. Miller
1885 Sept. 24	Due West, S.C.	Rev. W. M. Grier, D.D.
1886 Sept. 16	Bethany, Miss.	Rev. D. B. Pressly
1887 Oct. 20	New Hope, S.C.	Rev. W. W. Orr
1888 Oct. 25	Pott's Station, Ark.	Rev. S. A. Agnew
1889 Oct. 24	Prosperity, S.C.	Rev. D. G. Caldwell
1890 Oct. 23	New Hope, Ky.	Rev. T. P. Pressly

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF THE SOUTH

Date	Place	Moderator
1891 Oct. 22	Statesville, N.C.	Rev. J. L. Hemphill
1892 Oct. 19	Salem, Tenn.	Rev. J. S. Moffatt
1893 Oct. 19	Sharon, S.C.	Rev. F. Y. Pressly
1894 Oct. 25	Troy, S.C.	Rev. G. R. White
1895 Oct. 24	Due West, S.C.	Rev. C. E. McDonald
1896 Oct. 22	Chicota, Texas	Rev. T. G. Boyce
1897 Oct. 21	Belfast, Tenn.	Rev. J. L. Young
1898 Nov. 10	Chester, S.C.	Rev. J. C. Galloway, D.D.
1899 Nov. 9	Charlotte, N.C.	Rev. H. Henry
1900 Nov. 8	Louisville, Ga.	Rev. T. W. Sloan

1901 Nov. 7	Richland, Tenn.	Rev. R. M. Stevenson
1902 Nov. 6	Pisgah, N.C.	Rev. J. W. Baird
1903 Nov. 5	Winnsboro, S.C.	Rev. C. B. Betts, D.D.
1904 Oct. 26	Mt. Zion, Mo.	Rev. S. W. Reid
1905 Nov. 9	Due West, S.C.	Rev. H. B. Blakely
1906 Nov. 15	Camden, Ala.	Rev. B. H. Grier
1907 Nov. 14	Elk Valley, Tenn.	Rev. J. A. White
1908 Nov. 5	Newberry, S.C.	Rev. W. H. Millen
1909 Nov. 18	Bartow, Fla.	Rev. S. W. Haddon
1910 Nov. 10	Charlotte, N.C.(C.M.)	Rev. C. S. Young
1911 Nov. 9	Troy, Tenn.	Rev. W. B. Lindsay
1912 Oct. 24	White Oak, Ga.	Rev. J. H. Pressly

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD

Date	Place	Moderator
1913 Nov. 6	Statesville, N.C.	Rev. J. H. Simpson
1914 Nov. 4	Little Rock, Ark.	Rev. G. G. Parkinson, D.D.
1915 Nov. 10	Due West, S.C.	Rev. W. M. Hunter, D.D.
1916 Nov. 15	York, S.C.	Hon. A. G. Brice
1917 Nov. 7	Fayetteville, Tenn.	Rev. I. N. Kennedy
1918 No meeting on account influenza epidemic.		
1919 Apr. 30	Tabernacle	Hon. Geo. S. Mower
1920 May 5	Gastonia, N.C.	Rev. R. F. Bradley
1921 May 5	Richland, Tenn.	Rev. W. A. M. Plaxco
1922 May 11	Old Providence, Va.	Rev. Oliver Johnson, D.D.
1923 May 2	Chester, S.C.	Hon. W. L. Phillips
1924 Apr. 17	Bartow, Fla.	Rev. T. H. McDill
1925 May 14	Statesville, N.C.	Mr. T. H. White
1926 May 20	Due West, S.C.	Rev. A. J. Ranson, D.D.
1927 May 12	Fayetteville, Tenn.	Mr. E. C. Stuart
1928 May 10	First Charlotte, N.C.	Rev. James P. Pressly, D.D.
1929 May 16	Memphis, Tenn.	Rev. L. I. Echols
1930 Apr. 23	Lexington, Va.	Rev. J. G. Dale, D.D.
1931 Apr. 22	Camden, Ala.	Rev. J. L. Oates, D.D.
1932 Arp. 27	Winnsboro, S.C.	Rev. D. G. Phillips, D.D.
1933 Apr. 26	New Albany, Miss.	Rev. J. M. Garrison, D.D.
1934 Apr. 25	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. R. S. Galloway, Sr.
1935 Apr. 24	Due West, S.C.	Rev. J. W. Carson, D.D.

THE GENERAL SYNOD OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Date	Place	Moderator
1936 Apr. 29	Old Providence, Va.	Rev. R.L. Robinson, D.D.
1937 Apr. 28	Neely's Creek, S.C.	Rev. M.T. Ellis, D.D.
1938 Apr. 20	Lake Wales, Fla.	Rev. E. N. Orr, D.D.
1939 Apr. 12	Ers. Col., Due West	Dr. E.L. Reid
1940 Apr. 24	Sardis, Charlotte	Rev. E. B. Hunter, D.D.
1941 Apr. 23	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. C. B. Betts, D.D.
1942 Apr. 22	First Ch., Statesville	Rev. C. B. Williams, D.D.
1943 Apr. 28	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. D. T. Lauderdale
1944 Apr. 26	Greenville, S.C.	Rev. B. G. Pressly, D.D.
1945 Apr. 25	Due West, S.C.	Rev. R. A. Lummus, D.D.
1946 May 29	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. John G. Barron
1947 May 28	Ers. Col., Due West	Rev. W. W. Boyce, D.D.
1948 May 26	Monticello, Ark.	Rev. J. Alvin Orr, D.D.
1949 June 1	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. M. R. Plaxco, D.D.

1950 June 7	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. R. C. Grier, D.D. LL.D.
1951 June 5	Fairlea, W. Va.	Rev. P.A. Stroup, D.D.
1952 June 3	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. P. L. Grier, D.D.
1953 June 2	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. C. E. Edwards, D.D.
1954 June 1	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. C. O. Williams
1955 June 7	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. M. B. Grier, D.D.
1956 June 5	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. R. T. Nelson, D.D.
1957 June 4	Little Rock, Ark.	Dr. J. R. Young, M.D.
1958 June 3	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. B. L. Hamilton, D.D.
1959 June 2	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. W. H. Stuart, LL.D.
1960 May 31	Due West, S.C.	Rev. M. W. Griffith
1961 June 6	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. E. Gettys, D.D.
1962 June 5	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. Chas. R. Younts, L.H.D.
1963 June 4	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. Chas. R. Younts, L.H.D.
1964 June 1	Due West, S.C.	Rev. R. J. Marshburn, D.D.
1965 June 7	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. H. H. Long
1966 June 6	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. L. M. Allison, Th.D.
1967 June 5	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. A. M. Rogers, D.D.
1968 June 3	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. W. C. Lauderdale
1969 June 2	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. William A. Deaton
1970 June 1	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Henry E. Pressly, Ph.D.
1971 June 7	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Roy E. Beckham
1972 June 5	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. Charles H. Carlisle
1973 June 4	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Kenneth C. Seawright
1974 June 3	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. Thomas S. Watt
1975 June 2	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Randall T. Ruble, Ph.D.
1976 June 7	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. G. G. Parkinson, Ph.D.
1977 June 6	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Grady R. Oates, D.D.
1978 June 5	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. Charles B. Todd
1979 June 4	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Clyde T. McCants
1980 June 2	Bonclarken, N.C.	Mr. J. H. Patrick, L.H.D.
1981 June 9	Bonclarken, N.C.	Rev. Will W. Orr, D.D.
1982 June 15	Due West, S.C.	Mr. C. A. Boswell, L.L.D.

CALENDAR FOR 1983

Church Year Begins	January 1
Month of Prayer	January
Bible Mastery Month, Begin Study of Luke	January
Bonclarken Day, Special Offering for Bonclarken	January 30
Presbytery and Local Church Offering	February
Special Offering for ARP Foundation	March 13
Easter	April 3
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering for World Witness	April 3
Mother's Day	May 8
Erskine College Day and Erskine Student Day Special Offering for Erskine College	May 8
Meeting of General Synod	June 13-16
Youth Conferences	June 20—July 10
Independence Day	July 4
Music Conference	July 11-15
Adult Conference	August 1-5
Lay Ministry Weekend	August 6-7
Erskine Theological Seminary Day, Special Offering for Erskine Theological Seminary	September 11
Voluntary Commitment Month	October
World Wide Communion Day	October 2
Special Offering for American Bible Society	October 2
Meeting of Woman's Synodical Union	October 5-6
Lay Ministry Day	October 9
Thanksgiving Day	November 25
Special Offering, Church Extension	Thanksgiving Season
Christmas Benevolent Offering	Christmas Season
Bible Sabbath	December 4
Christmas Sabbath	December 25
Christmas	December 25
Church Year Ends	December 31

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In thy light shall we see light